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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES AZMILS DATA

PRIMARY NAME: LITTLE MAY GROUP

ALTERNATE NAMES:

FISHER PROPERTY
FISHER PROPERTY

YAVAPAI COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 456

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 10 N RANGE 3 W SECTION 25 QUARTER SW
LATITUDE: N 34DEG 10MIN 30SEC LONGITUDE: W 112DEG 31MIN 50SEC
TOPO MAP NAME: WAGONER - 7.5 MIN

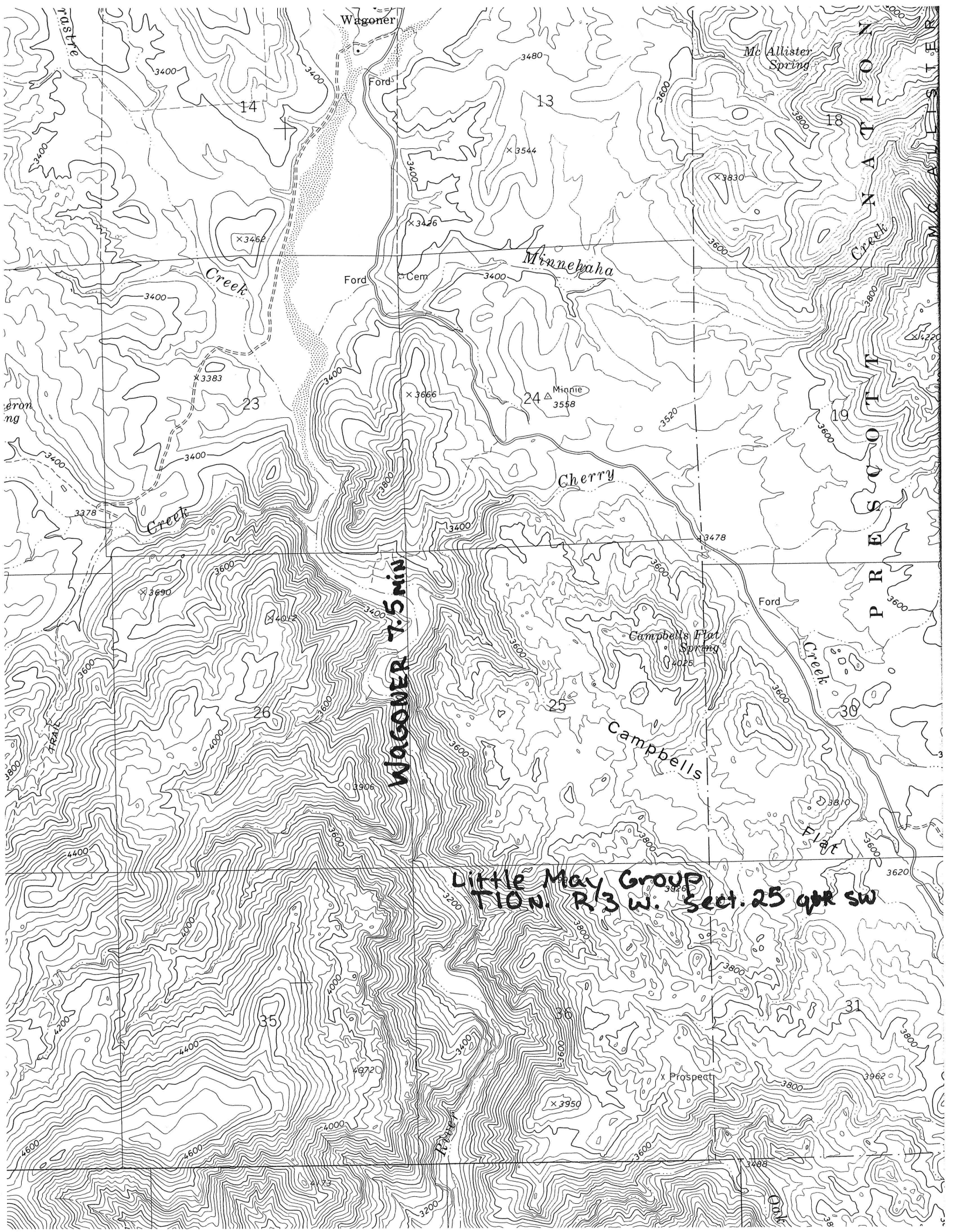
CURRENT STATUS: EXP PROSPECT

COMMODITY:

GOLD
LEAD
COPPER
VANADIUM

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

ADMMR LITTLE MAY GROUP FILE



Little May Group
T10N. R/3 W. Sect. 25 qbr sw

WAGONER 7.5 mi

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Wagoner

Ford

3480

13

Mc Allister Spring

18

14

x 3544

x 3830

x 3462

x 3426

Minnehaha

Ford

Cem

3400

Creek

3400

x 3383

23

x 3666

24

Minnie 3558

3520

19

3400

3400

3378

Creek

x 3690

x 4012

3400

3400

3478

Ford

Campbell's Flat Spring

3428

25

Campbell's

Creek

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3810

3620

Little May Group
T10N. R/3 W. Sect. 25 qbr sw

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x 3720

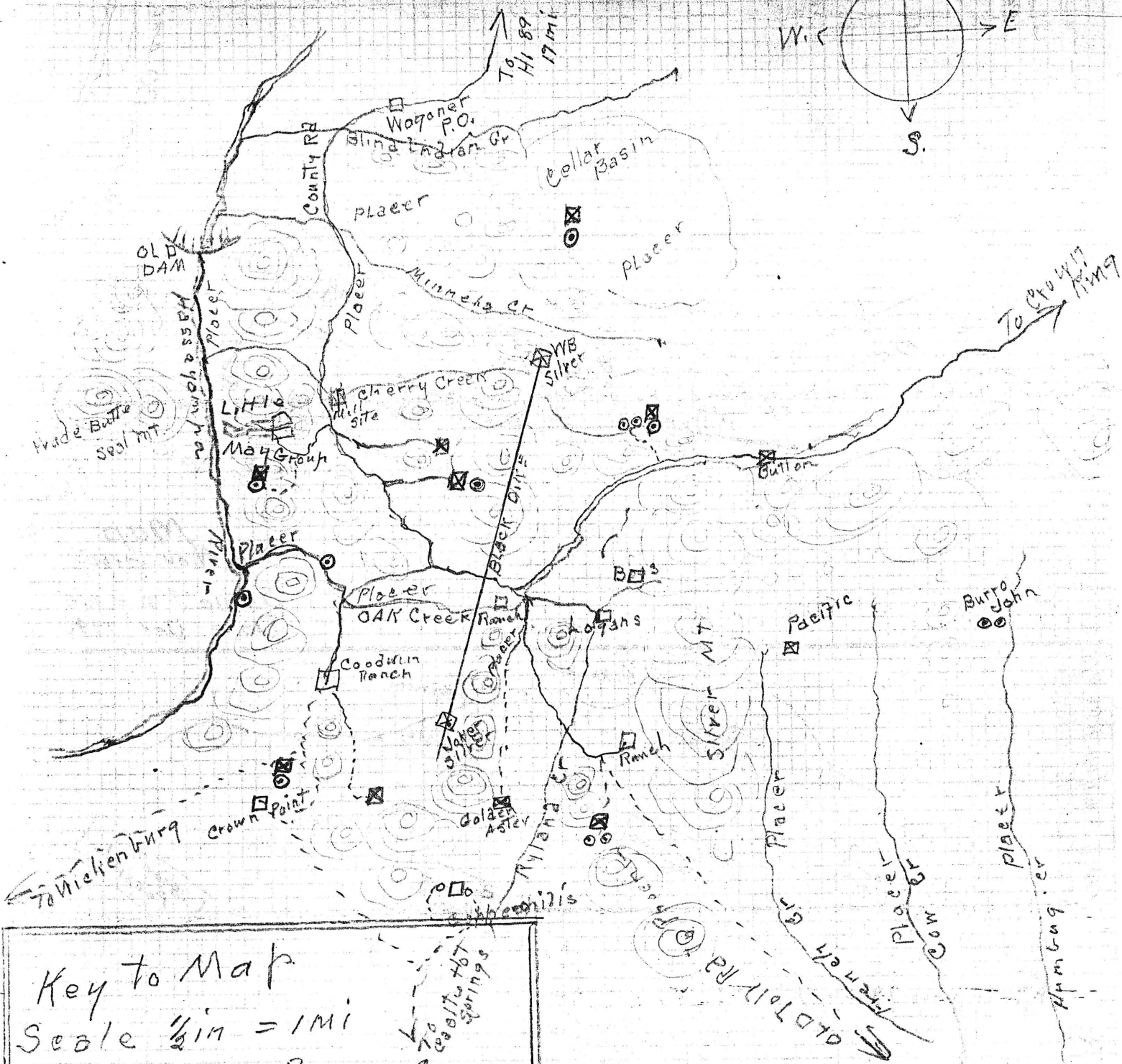
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x Prospect

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38



Key to Map

Scale $\frac{1}{2}$ in = 1 mi

Rivers & Creeks

Rodds

Old Roads

OLD M. 77s

Annastors

Open Ground

Possible Ore Mill

November 28, 1944

Mr. C. T. Palladine
228 Montezuma Street
Prescott, Arizona

Dear Mr. Palladine:

Mr. Harry W. Fisher of Chino Valley
has asked us to forward to you the information
we have regarding his "Little May" group of
claims, and we are enclosing same herewith.

Yours very truly,

Chas. H. Dunning
Director

CHD:LP

Enc.-Sketch map

Assay certificates (20)
Smelter sheets (2)
Report by B.W. Brown
Memo by W.C. Broadgate

CC: Mr. Fisher: There is little we can suggest at the
present time or until we have something more definite
regarding the gold situation.

Form 3506 (Rev. Jan. 21, 1935)
Receipt for Registered Matter
Registered at the Post Office at Prescott, Arizona
Fee paid 25 cents Class postage 25 cents
Declared value 3 Surcharge paid, \$
Return Receipt fee _____ Spl. Del'y fee _____
Delivery restricted to addressee:
In person _____ or order _____ Fee paid _____
Accepting employee will place his initials in
space indicating restricted delivery.
POSTMASTER, per _____
MAILING OFFICE
The sender should write the name of the addressee on back, based as an identification. Preserve
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insured by the Post Office against loss or damage in transit. The fee on domestic registered matter
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without intrinsic value and for which indemnity is not paid is 15 cents. Consult postmaster as to
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parcel-post packages for foreign countries. Fees on domestic registered (C. O. D.) six months) from date
of mailing. Indemnity claims must be filed within one year (C. O. D.) six months) from date
of mailing.
16-20805

POSTMARK OF
LITTLE MAY
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304 Hon. Builders Bldg 5/16/44

Department of Mineral Resources
Phoenix, Arizona.

Little May Gold Claims

Resumé Of information pertaining to

Little May Group Gold Claims, near Waggoner
Yavapai County, Ariz.

Owner Harry W. Fisher,

Address Chino Valley, Via Prescott, Arizona.

According to an undated summary of the
pertinent features of the "Little May" made by
a Mr Arthur B. Clark M. E. The following
deductions are made:

Mine Claims located 3 miles below Walnut
Cannon Dam Site, on the Hassayampa river,
and are reached by good graded road to within
2 miles of mine workings, This road connects
with the railroad station of Santa Fe at
Kirkland 20 miles northerly.

From graded road to mine distance 2 miles.
There is a passable road. Can be improved.

Economics: Local timber scarce, except as
trucked from saw mills at Williams, water
is abundant for domestic & metallurgical uses.

Rock Formations: Immediately affecting the Little Kay vein system are of Igneous origin

The well known mines of Octave & Congress are 6 miles & 12 miles westerly respectively, these mines are in ore production to depths of more than 2,000 feet below surface.

Due to declivity and erosion the vein is prospected to a depth of 600' to 800' on the incline or dip, a short tunnel here in Canyon driven on the vein should be advanced and the vein thus explored to determine vein & ore continuity.

about 24 samples assayed at various past times, show values principally in gold, this money metal content ranging from .01 of oz to over 2. ozs. The width of vein stated to be from 1 ft to 3 ft.

Recommendation: This mine is located within

The area served by Benjril Brown Field Engr. suggest Mr Brown visit the mine and contact the Owner, & obtain 1st hand data.

G. Macfarlane
Field Engr Eastern Area.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine LITTLE MAY

Date June 5, 1944

District Walnut Grove of Yavapai County

Engineer B. W. Brown

Subject: Preliminary examination of the Little May Group Mine for Harry W. Fisher, owner, whose address is Chino Valley, via Prescott, Ariz.

On June 4, 1944, and in the company of Mr. Harry W. Fisher, owner, this engineer made a preliminary investigation of the Little May Gold Mine.

The Little May Group of five unpatented mining claims is located in the Walnut Grove mining district of Yavapai county near Wagoner and is situated mainly in the S $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 36 T-10-N/ R-3-W and the S $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 31 T-10-N/ R-2-W (G & SRB & M). According to an oral communication from Mr. Fisher the property was originally discovered and located by himself more than 25 years ago.

According to a summary of the property made by a Mr. Arthur B. Clark E.M., a resume of which has been made by a Department of Mineral Resources Engineer, the Little May is 6 miles and 12 miles respectively from the well known Octave and Congress mines. This is not so. The distance to the Octave is roughly 12 miles and that to the Congress is over 18 miles.

The mine is reached from Wagoner by following the main road south for a little over three miles and thence by about 1.5 miles of mine road turning off towards the Hassayampa river. The mine road was not passable at the time of examination but could be put into good haulage shape with a minimum of work and expense.

The property lies in a bold granite formation covered with scrub vegetation at an altitude estimated to be in the neighborhood of four thousand feet. The vein appears as an eight inch ribbon of quartz frozen to granite walls and sometime s splits into streamers of quartz. Although the vein in general has a northeasterly trend, it shows in places a southeasterly strike and a contradictory easterly dip, indicating either a roll in the formation or a lack of contiguity. The quartz shows finely divided gold in vugs of limonite and hematite. The owner claims average assay values from this vein of from \$9 to 15\$ in gold (@ \$35m/oz) Nearby are to be found dykes of pegmatite, inclusions of granite schist and mica schist, and a basal dyke no doubt a lamprophyre.

The Rattler claim is the most westerly of the group and precipitates

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STATE OF ARIZONA
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine Little May

District

Subject: Continued

Date

Engineer B. W. Brown

over the granite rim into the deeply carved Hassayampa river canyon. The Hassayampa river, the nearest permanent water, flows tortuously a thousand feet below. The canyon fault exposes in section a northwesterly dipping vein which may possibly be a continuation of the veins opened up elsewhere on the group. The owner indicated four short cuts driven to open this vein and I was informed that they had cut several feet of good ore. Other than these cuts the exposures on the property included location holes, test pits, and trenching on the vein.

Further improvement on the property included a small stone building constructed of ore and adobe.

B. W. Brown
Field engineer

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL SOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine Little May Gold Claims Date May 18, 1944
District Tigre Dist., Yavapai County Engineer Andrew Macfarlane
Subject: Resume of information pertaining to Little May Gold Claims near Waggoner,
Yavapai County, Arizona

Owner: Harry W. Fisher.

Address: Chino Valley, via Prescott, Arizona.

According to an undated summary of the pertinent features of the Little May, made by a Mr. Arthur B. Clark, M.E., the following deductions are made:

Mine claims located 3 miles below Walnut Grove Dam Site on the Hassayampa River, and are reached by good graded road to within 2 miles of mine workings. This road connects with the railroad station of Santa Fe at Kirkland 20 miles northerly. From graded road to River, distance 2 miles, there is a passable road. Can be improved.

Economics: Local timber scarce, except as trucked from saw mills at Williams. Water is abundant for domestic and metallurgical uses.

Rock Formations: Immediately affecting the Little May vein system are of igneous origin. The well known mines of Octave and Congress are 6 miles and 12 miles westerly respectively. These mines are in ore production to depths of more than 2,000 feet below surface.

Due to diclivity and erosion the vein is prospected to a depth of 600' to 800' on the incline or dip, a short tunnel herein.canyon driven on the vein should be advanced and the vein thus explored to determine vein and ore continuity.

About 24 samples assayed at various past times show values principally in gold, this money metal content ranging from .01 of oz. to over 2 ounces. The width of vein stated to be from 1 to 3 feet.

Recommendation: This mine is located within the area served by Bahngrell Brown, field engineer. Suggest Mr. Brown visit the mine and contact the owner and obtain first hand data.

A. Macfarlane
Field Engineer

C O P Y

STATEMENT COMPILED FROM OWNER'S MEMORANDUM
LITTLE MAY GROUP OF MINING CLAIMS, NEAR WAGONER, ARIZONA.,
by Arthur B. Clark, Mining Engineer.

This is a compilation and not a technical report, on the Little May Group of five mining claims, from data furnished by the owners of the claims.

Location: ---- These claims are located about three miles below the old Walnut Grove dam site, on the Hassayampa River, where it forms a canyon about 1500 feet in depth. A good graded road passes within two miles of claims and there is a grading of an old road that could be easily put in passable condition leading to the claims, Wagoner Post Office is about 5 miles to the North, from there it is 17 miles to the State Highway, and about 20 miles to the Kirkland and railroad.

The Octave Mine is 6 miles due west, now working 30 men; has a production record of \$ 8,000,000.00 of gold ore and is opened up to a depth of 2800 feet on the incline of the vein. The Congress Mine near the Octave also has made a large production.

Timber is scarce. Water is abundant, 1500 feet to the river in canyon at the Mill site.

The country formation is Bradshaw granite, Menzanite, Porphyry, with diabase and rhyolite dykes.

The veins are quartz, showing traces of copper, galena, and vanadium and carry free gold and gold associated with iron pyrites and brown hematite; some of the gold is very bright and free, while some is rusty and is coated with the brown hematite.

The strike of the vein is east and west and dips north about 40° degrees from the horizontal, it can be traced nearly to the water's edge in the canyon approximately 1500 feet deep and 5000 feet East. Owing to the dip of vein as it comes out of canyon, it is exposed on the surface for an area of about 800 feet by 100 feet on the hanging wall. The country rock having eroded away. A trench out on the edge or top of vein for a distance of 500 feet exposes 18 inches of good ore estimated at a value of \$10, to \$15 per ton in gold. Width of vein in canyon is from 4 feet to 8 feet in width and is opened up by short tunnels driven in on the vein showing a continuity of the pay ore to a depth of 600 or 800 feet; driving in on the lower tunnel following the vein would develop and block out a large tonnage, sufficient to run a 50 ton mill for several years.

The undersigned has visited this property and has been personally acquainted with the owners for several years and I am convinced that the statements made to me are based on a large number of assays and that work done on claims, which they have held by assessment work for several years. The character of the vein quartz and country rock, together with the development prospecting already done, is sufficient to strongly recommend that the ore and vein be thoroughly and completely sampled so to get the average value of the ore as it would be mined, and I recommend that this be done.

Arthur B. Clark, Mining Engineer.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Geology & Mineralization

Mine *Fisher Property*
District *Black Rock*
Former name
Owner *H. W. Fisher*
Operator
President
Mine Supt.
Principal Metals *Gold*
Production Rate ☒
Power: Amt. & Type ☒
Operations: Present
None but assessment work.

Date *October 17, 1939*
Engineer ☒
Location *Sec. 25*
SW 1/4 T10N; R3W
5.6 miles SE Wagoner.
Address *Wagoner, Ariz.*
Address
Gen. Mgr.
Mill Supt.
Men Employed
Mill: Type & Cap.

Operations Planned

Number Claims, Title, etc.

Little May; Ratter; One Hope; Deertail; Birthday

Description: Topog. & Geog.

1000' above Hassayampa River
Rugged granite hills.

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition

Trenches & Tunnels.

Geology & Mineralization

In Granite of Crooks Complex
Tight, narrow quartz veins - oxidized
sulphides. Dip $\pm 30^{\circ}$ N.

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings

✓

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

✓

Road Conditions, Route

Good.

Water Supply

Hassayumpa River

Brief History

New location of 10 years ago.
Small shipment made - not commercial.

Special Problems, Reports Filed

Remarks

A Prospect.

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

Signed

Carl E. Barth Jr.

Use additional sheets if necessary. Separate sheets on each problem.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
OWNERS MINE REPORT

DEPT. MINERAL RESOURCES
RECEIVED
MAY 16 1944
PHOENIX, ARIZONA

Date

MAY 15 1944
CHINO VALLEY, ARIZ.

1. Mine ²⁻⁶¹ THE LITTLE MAY GROUP.
2. Mining District & County Tigre Dis. Yavapai Co. 3
3. Former name none
4. Location 3 miles below old Walnut Grove Damsite.
5. Owner Harry W. Fisher
6. Address (Owner) Chino Valley, Ariz
7. Operator same
8. Address (Operator)
9. President none
10. Gen. Mgr.
11. Mine Supt. none
12. Mill Supt.
13. Principal Metals gold
14. Men Employed
15. Production Rate none
17. Power: Amt. & Type none
18. Operations: Present
19. Operations Planned Tunnel development
20. Number Claims, Title, etc. 5 claims 2 deeded 3 assessment title
21. Description: Topography & Geography Steep and rough in canyon not bad out of canyon
22. Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition Exposing vein for 3,000ft.

23. Geology & Mineralization

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

Positive 18,000 tons Possible 63,000 tons
Probable 144,000 tons.

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

Width--1 foot to 8 feet Value--- & \$10. to \$15. Length--5 claims

25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

none

26. Road Conditions, Route

Leave Highway 89 at Kirkland Jct. South to Wagoner 5 miles South to
property

27. Water Supply

Abundant 800ft. to Hassayampa River

28. Brief History

29. Special Problems, Reports Filed

30. Remarks

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

One half interest for proper development Cost \$5,000 or \$6,000
Option on One quarter interest if wanted

32. Signed

Harry D. Fisher

33. Use additional sheets if necessary.

Chino Valley

Arizona

Prescott Ariz

Oct 17th 1939

Mr. Carl Barth Jr

Dear Mr Barth

Visited 10/16/39.

I wonder if it would be possit
to get you to visit my mining
property some day the next week for
I see you are to be in the Hualapai

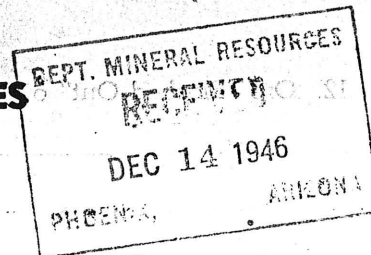
I have a group of 5 claims on the
edge of the Harsyampa canon about
three miles below the old Walnut Grove Dam
There is a fair road into the property
The branch from the Walnut Grove road
is about 4.2 miles below Wagoner. The
road is well marked with a low white
sign Fisher's Camp. 1 1/4 mi

It would take about 2 hrs to cover the
ground.

I am my way to Camp at present Get
my mail at Wagoner about once a week Saturday

Yours very truly
Harry N Fisher

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
State of Arizona
MINE OWNER'S REPORT



Date December 1946

1. Mine: FISHER PROPERTY
2. Location: Sec. 25 Twp. 10 N Range 2 W Nearest Town Wagoner
Distance 4.5 mi Direction N Road Condition Good County Yavapai
3. Mining District & County: Between Tiger & Crown King
4. Former Name of Mine: _____
5. Owner: H. W. Fisher
Address: Chino Valley Ariz.
6. Operator: _____
Address: _____
7. Principal Minerals: Gold
8. Number of Claims: 5 Lode X Placer _____
Patented No Unpatented _____
9. Type of Surrounding Terrain: Rough and steep in canyon
Dip
Strike of vein — 42° to North
Strike " " East & West
Altitude 5,000 ft
10. Geology & Mineralization: Bradshaw granite, Monzonite porphyry with
diabase & rhyolite dikes
Veins are quartz showing traces of galena, copper and
vanadium, showing free gold associated with iron pyrites
and brown hematite
11. Dimension & Value of Ore Body: Two small 3 ton shipments show
Gold 2.02 & 1.02, Dimension Estimated

12. Ore "Blocked Out" or "In Sight": See Section map.

Ore Probable: See

13. Mine Workings—Amount and Condition: Location holes, Trench + Cross Cut

No.	Feet	Condition
Shafts 4	8	Openings in Canyon
Raises None		
Tunnels 3	12	
Crosscuts Trench	100	
Stopes		

14. Water Supply: Hassayampa River + Cherry Creek

15. Brief History: Has none—With proper development + treatment of ore at mill site on Cherry Creek, together with other known sources of ore within 8 mi radius history could be made.

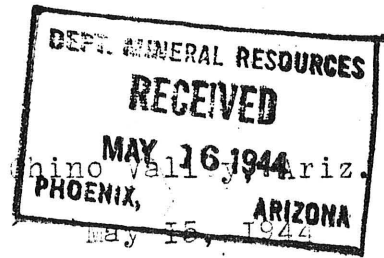
The copy taken from Bradshaw. Quad. Survey shows possible sources of ore for custom mill located on Cherry Creek

16. Signature:

Harry H Fisher
Chino Valley Arizona

17. If Property for Sale, List Approximate Price and Terms:

$\frac{1}{2}$ interest for proper development + option to buy



Department of Mineral Resources,

Phoenix Ariz.

Dear Sirs.

I am enclosing you my Owners Mine Report and hope you can get all the data you need to file from papers.

I have had Mr. Carl Barth on property, but he was ill at the time and could not do much. have not succeeded in grtting Mr. Holt there.

I have been a member of S.M.O.A. since it was first org-ized in Prescott some years ago, I think my number was 87 Being Assistant Post Master here I could be easily contacted.

Yours truly

Harry W Fisher

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December 6, 1940

REPLY TO

Mr. Harry W. Fisher
Chino Valley
Arizona

Dear Mr. Fisher:

The information contained in your letter of 10-30-1940 has been referred to the parties making the inquiry with the request that they contact you directly regarding your property.

However, in order that more detailed information may be furnished, and in order that information may be available in our files for other inquiries for properties such as yours, I am enclosing herewith a blank mine owners report, which I should suggest that you fill out in detail and return immediately for future reference.

Assuring you of my desire to be helpful, I am

Yours very truly

J. S. Coupal
J. S. Coupal
Director.

JSC:H
Enc.

Department of Mineral Resources
Phoenix Ariz.

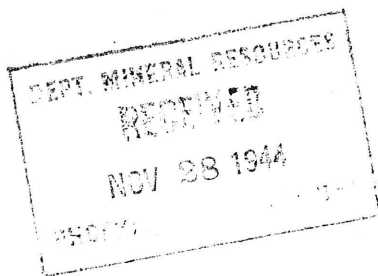
Clino Valley Ariz
Nov 27 1944

Will this Department be kind enough to
send to the address on the enclosed card,
papers relating my Mining property on file
in your office Namely "Little Moynihan" of
5 gold claims on the lower Hawayampa River
4 miles below Wagoner Ariz.

I have several requests for them on file
and will try and will try and keep them going
any suggestions I could receive from your
office would be appreciated.

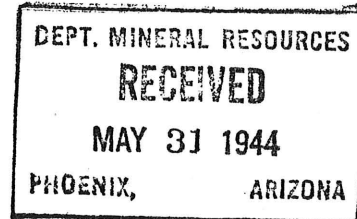
Yours truly

Harry W Fisher
Clino Valley
Arizona



*Noted
Data returned
BWP*

May 27, 1944



MEMORANDUM

TO: B. W. Brown

FROM: C. H. Dunning

Herewith is some data concerning the Little May Group of claims in your district.

It would be well for you to look into this when you have an opportunity as the information submitted is too meagre and no doubt inaccurate.

There is a demand for any property that really stands up to the description of this one.

Chas H Dunning

CHD:LP

PS: Please return all data with the exception of report by Macfarlane.

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

~~December 10, 1957~~
February 17, 1958

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

FISHER PROPERTY
(Property)

Cu-Pb-GOLD-V
(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,
Director.

Enc: Mine Owner's Report

Noted
-red, Left no address
No such office in state
Deceased ✓

~~Mr. H. W. Fisher~~
~~Chino Valley, Arizona~~

March 10, 1958

Little May	Gold
(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



Deceased

~~Mr. Harry W. Fisher
Chino Valley via
Prescott, Arizona~~