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UNITED STATES BUREAU OF MINES

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION REPORT

State Nevada County Humboldt Mineral Products Hg
Name of property McAdoo Mercury Mine
Owner Mrs. Eve McAdoo Address Winnemucca, Nevada
Lessee or
Operator _____ Address _____
Location 25 claims in Bottle Creek District

History and production In June 1940, McAdoo was treating 6 tons of ore per day in three retorts (12 pipes) and producing 20 flasks of mercury per week. A 10 foot 6 hearth Herreshoff furnace was installed by the McAdoo Co. in 1941 but production was suspended by lack of ore in May 1942. Most of ore produced has come from the Blue Can Mine Claims. Blue Can Mine and McAdoo Mine are connected.

Type Deposit (Geology)

Mine Workings This property has been developed by a 110 foot inclined shaft with levels at 20, 50 and 100 feet below the collar. Workings are in a continuation of the dike developed in the Blue Can Mine, 200 feet south. The 100 foot level connects with the 78 foot level of the Blue Can Mine. Considerable mining equipment is located at the mine.