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July 11, 1928.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines,
68 Devonshire street,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

Dullion lot #24 consisting of bars #114 to 118 inclusive is being shipped to the refinery today. The estimated value is \$7500.00.

Bar. #18 is for July account. The clarifying filter was out of order and we were compelled to clean up during the first days of July in order to get the slime out of the press.

Work in the mill is becoming more efficient. Tailing loss during June averaged 59 cts. There has been a considerable reduction also in the consumption of lime, cyanide and other chemicals. Settling is improving somewhat with the warm weather we are having.

Elko Prince.

The new skip and the gears for the electric hoist have been received and are being installed. When this equipment is in production from the Elko Prince can begin. We have continued the drift on the June Bell vein on the 600 level but we have not yet reached the zone under the ore-shoot stoped on the 300 ft. level.

Colorado Grande.

The old workings have been cleaned out and retimbered where caved and we are about ready to unwater the winze below the old tunnel level. Production from the shoot under the tunnel will start as soon as the water has been removed. The new tunnel from the mill side is making excellent progress and has been advanced almost 9 ft. per day so far. The total length is about 150 ft. to date.

Link.

The usual tonnage is being produced from the stopes in this mine. As a general rule the vein is small but high grade. The best chance for the finding of new ore-shoots is believed to be to the north on the Link vein.

7/11/28

Grant-Jackson.

We are driving north on the Jackson vein which had been left in one wall by former operators and the general appearance of the vein is such that a new ore-shoot should be found in this work.

We are also planning to start work at once to find the extension of the shoots on the 225 ft. level south where the vein has faulted. If the production of the Elko Prince will permit us to ease up at the Grand shaft, we should plan to deepen that shaft at an early date. The lower part of the shaft is in andesite but this is probably only the footwall of the vein as found above and there does not appear to be any reason why the vein does not extend much deeper and that ore shoots will be found in the deeper workings.

Very truly yours,


E. J. Schrader.

cc-NHG.

Supt.

June 7, 1928.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines,
68 Devonshire street,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

During May your mill treated an average of 75 tons per day of ore that averaged \$10.92 per ton based on 60 ct. silver. The tailing loss was \$0.95 which is a reduction of 25 cts. per ton since April and was due to some changes made in mill operations. An operating profit of \$2,262 per ton was made in April or a total of \$4956.46.

During May a total of 21.2 tons of lime was used and it is expected that this can be materially reduced if the changes recommended are made in the mill and the value of the tailing loss should also be reduced to the lowest figures possible in this state.

Jackson-Grant Mine.

We are still sinking on the north raking branch of the #1 pay shoot and some good ore is coming from this place.

The tunnel level drift is going ahead at the rate of $3\frac{1}{2}$ to 4 ft. per day and no ore can be expected until the tongue of andesite is penetrated.

Missing Link- St. Paul Mine.

A good proportion of the ore treated is coming from this mine. We have cleaned out the 300 level and expect to get some good ore here. On the 200 level the vein was left in one wall in the drift and this we have now picked up by a X-cut.

Elko Prince.

We are drifting both north and south on the June Bell vein. In the south drift we have from $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. to 4 ft. of quartz but values are low and not commercial. However, this quartz looks very good and we should soon be in an ore-shoot.

We are also cleaning out a cave on the main Elko Prince vein north of the shaft and when this has been penetrated we should be close to an ore body left by the former operators. All of this work is on the 600 level.

6/7/28

On the 300 ft. level it was found that the south drift on the June Bell vein had left the vein. A XCut disclosed the vein in the west wall of the drift and the first assay obtained was \$21.00.

New gears have been ordered for the hoist and a new skip body has also been ordered.

Colorado Grande Mine.

Drifting on the vein both north and south from the XCut is being continued. We are installing a portable compressor and expect to begin removing water from the winze in a few days and then we will stop out the ore from this winze.

We are also starting the new deep XCut tunnel into this group which will give us considerable additional depth below the old Colorado Grande workings and will also cut through undeveloped areas of some promise.

Eighty five men are employed by your company. They are distributed as follows:-

Jackson-Gmant Mine,-----	22	Colorado Grande Mine,-----	4
Missing Link-St.Paul,	15	Surface,	5
Elko Prince,	12	Power House,	5
Rex,	3	Mill,	11
Assaying & Engineering,-----	2		
Office & Supt.	2		

Very truly yours,

E. J. Schrader

E.J. Schrader.

cc-WHG.

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THEO. N. VAIL, PRESIDENT

BELVIDERE BROOKS, GENERAL MANAGER

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SEND the following message subject to the terms }
on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Philadelphia, April 25, 1913.

J. S. Austin,
1337--21st Street, Northwest,
Washington, D. C.

Leslie Savage will come down from New York to see us Monday forenoon unless he telephones to the contrary Monday morning. Will you be here to meet him?

J. E. Spurr

Chge: Tonopah Mining Co.

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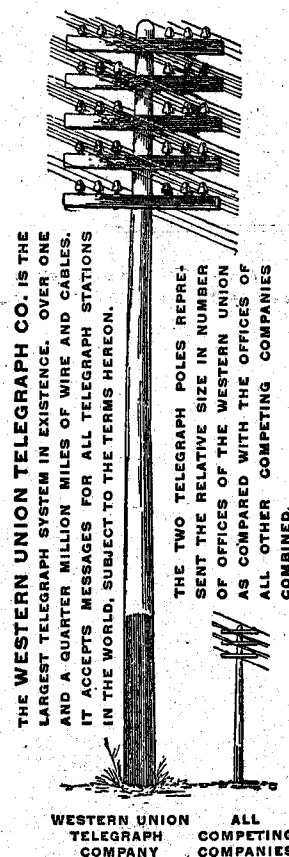
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THEO. N. VAIL, PRESIDENT

BELVIDERE BROOKS, GENERAL MANAGER



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San Francisco, JUL 23 1928

RETURNS OF BATTLE

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
Midas, Nevada

BY

AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING CO.

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

444 CALIFORNIA STREET

Mark	2	Sacks weighing gross	212		lbs.
Express		Samples	4	208	lbs.
		Tare			lbs.
		Moisture	0.0 %		lbs.
Arrived 7/12/26				NET WEIGHT 206	lbs.
ASSAY PER TON		PERCENTAGES AND PRICES		DEBITS	CREDITS
Gold	24.25 ozs.	Less	% @ 20		485 00
Silver	16190.75 ozs.	Less 3	% @ 59 5/8		9364 12
Lead (wet)	%	Less	% @ per lb. Less ---		
Copper(wet)	%	Less	% per lb. Less ---		
Insol.	%				
Iron	%				
Zinc	%				
Sulphur	%		Treatment		
Antimony	%		Totals		9849 12
			Value per Ton		9849 12
SAMPLES GOLD SILVER		Value of 218 lbs. @ 9849.12	per Ton		1024 31
		Sampling and Assaying		10 00	
		Reducing		5 00	
Orig.	24.30 16205.70	Burning, Grinding and Sifting			
Dup.	24.20 16175.80	Freight Express		6 92	
			Totals	21 92	
Settlement made on Quotations of		NET PROCEEDS			1002 39

LOT NUMBER **3926**

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

Received of **Gold Circle Consolidated Lines Co.**BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKSOFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCOArrived **July 13** 192**8** Settled **July 23** 192**8**

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
	114	1425 00	1406 60	27.1	38 118	909	1278 59
	15	1471 80	1453 50	27.4	39 825	905	1315 41
	16	1651 40	1637 50	29.1	47 651	903	1478 66
	17	683 70	672 40	40.9	27 501	933	627 34
	18	1527 90	1512 80	20.7	31 314	948	1434 13
	Grains		56 70	27.5	1 559	918	52 05
		6759 80	6739 50	185 968		6186 18	

20 1/2
59 625
59 625

GOLD VALUE

Silver Value 59 5/8

Refining Charge

Express

3644 29

3698 51

7532 80

102 59

7430 21

25 42

7404 79

April 14, 1928

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.
Corner Post and Montgomery Streets
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:- Attention: Mr. Lee

We enclose our Check No. 10641-A
for \$8,513.68 in your favor for

Credit to the Account of
The Battle Mountain State Bank, Battle Mountain, Nevada
for Credit to the Account of
THE GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES CO., MIDAS, NEVADA

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING CO.

ORIGINAL SIGNED

BY R. H. SAUM

VIB:FW
ENC.

cc: Battle Mountain State Bank
N.H. Getchell, Gen'l Mgr., Gold Circle Cons. Mines Co.
Gold Circle Cons. Mines Co.
J. Seaman

LOT NUMBER 3754 1m.v (1)

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION Received of Gold Circle Cons. Ms., Battle Mountain, Nevada
 BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
 SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
 444 CALIFORNIA STREET
 SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived March 23, 1928 Settled April 2nd 192 8

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
	85	1868 20	1850 90	64	118 457	876	1621 38
	86	1382 90	1339 90	59.8	80 126	863	1156 33
	87	1074 60	1061 10	59.1	62 711	861	913 60
	88	1320 60	1304 30	63.1	82 301	868	1132 13
Grains			41 10	61.8	2 539	868	33 67
		5616 30	5597 30		346 134		4859 11

GOLD VALUE

7155 21

SILVER VALUE @ 57 1/2

2762 69

REFINING CHARGE

9924 90

84 89

9840 01

April 2, 1928

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:-

We enclose our Check No. 12443-C for
\$9,840.01 in your favor for

Credit to the Account of
The Battle Mountain State Bank, Battle Mountain
for Credit to the Account of
THE GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES, Midas, Nevada

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY

ORIGINAL SIGNED
BY R. H. SAUM
By _____

VIB:FW
ENC.

cc: Battle Mountain State Bank, Battle Mountain, Nevada
The Gold Circle Consolidated Mines, Midas, Nevada
N. H. Getchell, Betty O'Neal, Nevada
J. Seaman

18530 40

LOT NUMBER.....3752

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RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

Received of Gold Circle Cons. Mg. Co., Battle Mountain, Nevada

BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived April 4 1928 Settled April 14th 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
	89	1685 70	1666 10	38.8	64 644	899	1497 82
	90	1097 50	1081 80	39.2	42 406	900	973 62
	91	1382 70	1368 20	43.8	59 927	900	1231 38
	92	1923 70	1911 30	50.2	95 947	900	1720 17
Grains			46 40	43.6	2 023	900	41 76
		6089 60	6073 80		264 947		5464 75
				GOLD VALUE			
				Silver Value @ 57 $\frac{1}{2}$			
				Refining Charge			
					5476	93	
					<u>3128</u>	<u>57</u>	
					8605	50	
					<u>91</u>	<u>82</u>	
					8513	68	

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION Received of Gold Circle Consolidated Mines Co., Wids, Nevada

BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:

444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO
405 MONTGOMERY STREET,
SAN FRANCISCO,

Arrived November 7 192 8 Settled November 17 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.

WEIGHT IN OUNCES

GOLD

SILVER

MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
142		2106 30	2090 30	50.1	104 724	903	1887 54
143		2091 50	2073 80	50.4	104 519	898	1862 27
144		1982 60	1970 40	53.1	104 628	873	1720 15
145		2029 70	2015 70	54.1	109 049	872	1757 69
146		1742 30	1726 40	54.3	93 743	872	1505 42
147		1740 30	1731 50	53.7	92 981	869	1504 67
148		1004 80	1074 90	50	53 745	883	949 13
Grains			57 40	52.3	3 002	882	50 62

12777 50	12740 40	666 391	11237 49
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GOLD VALUE

SILVER VALUE 58 1/8

Refining Charge

Express

13775 50
6531 79
20307 29
192 90
20114 39
55 23
20059 16

NOV 17 1928

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Consolidated Mining
Midas, Nevada

AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING CO.

SELBY SMELTING WORKS
405 MONTGOMERY ST.

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LOT NUMBER 3898RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION Received of Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Midsa, NevadaBY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKSOFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCOArrived June 28 1928 Settled July 8 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
	108	1467 50	1445 80	55.2	79 808	868	1254 95
	09	1313 60	1298 30	56.1	72 666	874	1132 09
Matte & An.	10	1432 30	1415 40	55.3	78 271	874	1237 05
	11	1505 40	1487 40	55.8	82 996	883	1313 37
	12	1291 60	1274 20	55.9	71 227	872	1111 10
	113	1662 80	1626 60	55.9	90 926	882	1434 66
Grain			73 40	55.7	4 088	875	64 22
		8673 20	8618 10		479 982		7547 44

GOLD VALUE

Silver Value $\$ 58 \frac{7}{8}$

Refining Charge

Express

9922 09

4443 56

14365 65

130 56

14235 09

42 06

14193 03

LOT NUMBER 3035

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

Received of Gold Circle Mts. Co., Little Canon, Nev.BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKSOFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCOArrived May 25 1920 Settled June 4 1920

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
100		1242 60	1237 10	75.7	93 648	901	1118 33
01		1672 50	1661 60	74.9	124 453	904	1502 08
02		1397 80	1388 10	73.3	110 076	873	1211 81
03		1940 80	1921 80	75.3	144 711	891	1641 21
04		1416 60	1405 10	80.	112 242	855	1201 08
Grains			37 40	76.8	2 872	877	32 79
		7669 70	7649 10		598 008		8707 27

Lot #21

GOLD VALUE

SILVER VALUE

REFINING CHARGE

60 1/4

12155 18

4041 13

16196 31

116 32

16079 99

First 21 days of May

LOT NUMBER 30 50RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION Received of Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain, NevadaBY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKSOFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCOArrived June 4 1920 Settled June 14 1920

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
	105	1466 00	1451 50	52.1	75 623	889	1290 38
	06	1435 40	1423 40	51.9	73 674	895	1273 94
	07	1610 90	1597 50	51.8	82 750	888	1416 58
Grains			28 10	51.9	1 456	890	26 00
		4512 30	4500 50		233 705		4007 90

Lot # 22

RECEIVED
JUN 15 1920
NIDAS, NEVADA

GOLD VALUE

Silver Value \$ 59 7/8

Refining Charge

4851.40

2399.73

7250.83

68.14

7162.69

LOT NUMBER 3696

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

Received of Gold Circle Consolidated S.S. & M'n.BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKSOFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCOArrived March 5, 192 8Settled March 15th 192 8

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
XXXXXXXXXX							
81		1876 50	1859 60	30	55 788	918	1707 11
82		1246 30	1230 90	39.3	48 374	898	1105 34
83		1175 00	1167 30	43.3	50 544	900	1050 57
84		1363 20	1347 00	42.1	56 708	897	1208 25
Grains			36 70	37.7	1 383	905	33 21
		5661 40	5641 50		212 797		5104 48

Gold Value

4398 90

Silver Value @ 57 1/2

2922 31

Refining Charge

7321 21

85 19

7236 02

LOT 1683

San Francisco,

MAR 10 1928

RETURNS OF Matte

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Mining Co.
Battle Mt., Nevada

BY

AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING CO.

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

444 CALIFORNIA STREET

Mark	Express Prepaid	2 Bricks	Sacks weighing gross	141	lbs.
			Samples		lbs.
			Tare		lbs.
			Moisture 0.0	%	lbs.
Arrived	3/5/28		NET WEIGHT	141	lbs.
ASSAY PER TON		PERCENTAGES AND PRICES		DEBITS	CREDITS
Gold	6.00	ozs.	Less 5 % @ 20		114 00
Silver	16192.06	ozs.	Less 3 % @ 57 1/8		8972 22
Lead (wet)		%	Less % @ per lb. Less		
Copper (wet)		%	Less % @ per lb. Less		
Insol.		%			
Iron		%			
Zinc		%			
Sulphur		%			
Antimony		%			
			Treatment		5000 22
			Totals		9086 22
			Value per Ton		9086 22
SAMPLES	GOLD	SILVER	Value of 141 lbs. @ 9086.22 per Ton		640 58
			Sampling and Assaying	10 00	
			Reducing	5 00	
			Burning, Grinding and Sifting	2 50	
			Freight		
			Totals	17 50	
Settlement made on			NET PROCEEDS		623 08
Quotations of					

Selby, California
March 15, 1928

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:-

We enclose our Check No. 12269-C

for \$7,236.02 in your favor for:

Credit to the Account of
The Battle Mountain State Bank, Battle Mountain, Nev.
For Credit to the Account of
THE GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINE, MIDAS, NEVADA.

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY

ORIGINAL SIGNED

By BY R. H. SAUM

VIB:FW
Enc.

cc: The Battle Mountain State Bank, Battle Mountain, Nev.
The Gold Circle Consolidated Mine, Midas, Nevada
N. H. Getchell, Betty O'Neill, Nevada
J. Seaman

9.10.11

LOT NUMBER 3679

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Co., Battle Mt'n.

By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived February 25, 1928 Settled March 6th 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER		
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	
76	1620	90	1616	30	56	90 456	883	1426 30
77	1651	70	1640	40	56.9	93 336	885	1451 75
78	1912	50	1902	50	56.9	108 252	882	1678 00
79	1213	90	1204	10	53.4	64 298	876	1054 79
80	1127	80	1117	30	58.4	65 250	900	1005 57
Grains			36 80		56.3	2 071	884	32 53
		7536	80	7516	40	423 665		6648 94

Gold Value

8757 92

Silver Value @ 57 1/8

3798 21

Refining Charge

12556 13

113 89

12442 24

C O P Y

Selby,

March 6, 1928

ATTENTION OF

REFERS TO YOUR

SUBJECT

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:

We enclose our check No. 10340-A for \$12442.24
in your favor for deposit to account of Battle Mountain State
Bank, Battle Mountain, Nevada, for credit to account of
Gold Circle Consolidated Mines Company.

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING CO.

ORIGINAL SIGNED

BY R. H. SAUM

BY _____

Enc.

WEW:ML

Battle Mountain State Bank

DEPOSITED BY ~~Gold Circle Con. Mines~~

Battle Mountain, Nev., 7/6/29 19

In receiving items for deposit or collection, this bank acts only as depositor's collecting agent and assumes no responsibility beyond the exercise of due care. All items are credited subject to final payment in cash or solvent checks, this bank will not be liable for default or negligence of its final selected correspondents nor for losses in transit, and each correspondent is held accountable for its own negligence. This bank or its correspondents may send items, directly or indirectly, to any bank including the payor, and accept its draft or credit as conditional payment in lieu of cash; it may charge back any item at any time before final payment, whether returned or not, also any item drawn on this bank not good at close of business on day deposited.

PLEASE LIST EACH CHECK SEPARATELY

CURRENCY

SILVER

GOLD

CHECKS AS FOLLOWS

Billion returns

\$10,238.92

TOTAL \$

10 238 99

SEE THAT ALL CHECKS AND DRAFTS ARE ENDORSED

DEPOSITED WITH

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.

Market at Montgomery
San Francisco

FOR ACCOUNT OF

Battle Mountain State Bank -

Little Mountain, Nov.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Jan. 10/23 192

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO LIST ALL CHECKS SEPARATELY
AND TO SPECIFY BANKS UPON WHICH SAME ARE DRAWN

		DOLLARS	CENTS
GOLD	7873 ⁸² - <i>[Signature]</i>		
SILVER			
CURRENCY			
CHECKS	11-17	7873	84
For or. to a/c of Gold Circle Cons. Mines Co.			
Battle Mountain, Ne			
DEPOSITED BY American Smelting & Refining Company			

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines - Battle Mountain
 By **AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY**
 SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
 444 CALIFORNIA STREET
 SAN FRANCISCO

LOT NUMBER 3559

Arrived Dec. 31 1927 Settled Jan 10th 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD			SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	
MATTE	60	1527 40	1444 20	30.8	44 481	915	1321 44	<i>Recd</i>
	61	1767 70	1753 10	32.3	56 625	918	1609 34	
	62	1933 10	1919 90	32.7	62 780	917	1760 54	
	63	1543 80	1529 00	31.5	48 163	913	1395 97	
	Grains		70 70	31.9	2 255	916	64 76	
		6772 00	6716 90		214 304		6152 05	

Gold Value	4430.05
Silver Value @ 57 5/8	<u>3545.12</u>
	7975.17
Refining Charge	<u>101.33</u>
	7873.84

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DEPOSITED WITH

Well Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.

Market at Montgomery
San Francisco

FOR ACCOUNT OF

Battle Mountain State Bank - Battle Mountain
Nevada

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. Jan. 14, 1928 192

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO LIST ALL CHECKS SEPARATELY
AND TO SPECIFY BANKS UPON WHICH SAME ARE DRAWN

	DOLLARS	CENTS
GOLD		
SILVER		
CURRENCY		
CHECKS		
11-8	6023	.10
For or. to a/c of Gold Circle Cons. Mines Co. - Battle Mountain, Nev.		
DEPOSITED BY American Smelting & Refining Company	6023 ¹⁰	

In receiving checks, drafts, notes or other paper on deposit or for collection, this Bank transmits the same in the usual manner for collection, either to the bank or person on which the same shall be drawn, or to such banks or persons as it shall deem reliable. This Bank assumes no responsibility for the negligence, acts, omissions or failure of any direct or indirect collecting agents, which agents shall be deemed agents of the depositor and not of this Bank, nor for loss of items in transit or from any other cause whatever. This Bank or any collecting agent may receive payment of all items in cash or by check or draft on others, and neither this Bank nor any collecting agent shall be liable for the dishonor of any such checks or drafts or for losses thereon. Any credit allowed for items on this or any other bank or party is only provisional, and until the proceeds thereof, in money, shall have been actually received by this Bank and found good at the close of the day's business, such items may be charged back to the depositor's account, regardless of whether or not the item itself can be returned.

LOT NUMBER 3563

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mining Co. - Battle Mountain
By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived Jan. 4 1928 Settled Jan 14th 1927

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
	64	1768 50	1754 00	37.5		903	1583 86
	65	1103 90	1091 70	37.5		903	985 80
	66	1856 50	1838 00	37.5		901	1656 03
Grains			30 20	37.5		902	27 24
		4728 90	4713 90		176 771		4252 93

Gold Value

3654 17

Silver Value @ 57 3/8

2440 12
6094 29

Refining Charge

71 19
6023 10

113

DEPOSITED WITH

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.

Market at Montgomery

San Francisco

FOR ACCOUNT OF

Battle Mountain State Bank - Battle Mt.
Nevada

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. Jan 3/23 192

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO LIST ALL CHECKS SEPARATELY
AND TO SPECIFY BANKS UPON WHICH SAME ARE DRAWN

	DOLLARS	CENTS
GOLD		
SILVER		
CURRENCY		
CHECKS		
11-17	1074	6.15
For or. to a/c of Gold Circle Cons. Mines Co. - Battle Mt. Nevada.		
10746 ¹⁵		
DEPOSITED BY American Smelting & Refining Company		

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LOT NUMBER 3551

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines - Battle MountainBy **AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY**

OFFICE:

444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

Arrived Dec. 22 1927 Settled Jan 3rd 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
	56	1422 00	1406 20	57.3	80 575	876	1231 83
	57	1772 30	1757 40	58.5	102 807	879	1544 75
	58	1547 90	1532 60	55.8	85 519	876	1342 55
	59	1726 30	1712 00	56.2	96 214	876	1499 71
Grains			34 70	56.9	1 974	877	30 43
		6468 50	6442 90	367 089		5649 27	

Gold Value

7588 39

Silver Value @ 57 5/8

3255 39

Refining Charge

10843 78

97 63

10746 15

No 1
Dec

LOT NUMBER 3528

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain, Nev.

By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO*Nov*

Arrived Dec. 5 1927 Settled Dec 15th 1927

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
	49	1965 40	1951 70	71.8	140 132	875	1707 73
	50	1952 70	1939 50	69	133 825	868	1683 48
	51	1929 20	1913 80	72.5	138 750	866	1657 35
	52	1922 00	1905 20	72.3	137 745	863	1644 18
	53	1642 30	1624 50	73	118 588	869	1411 69
Matte	54	1809 70	1719 40	74.6	128 267	878	1509 63
	55	1638 50	1620 10	72.4	117 295	862	1396 52
Grains			65 30	72.1	4 708	868	56 68

12856 80	12739 50	919 510	11067 26
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Gold Value

Silver Value @ 58 1/84

Refining Charge

19003 79

6432 84

25436 63

193 56

25243 07

May 15, 1928

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.
Post and Montgomery Streets
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:- Attention: Mr. Lee

We enclose our Check No. 2998-CR for
\$22,500.94 in your favor for

Credit to the Account of
Battle Mountain State Bank, Battle Mountain, Nev.
for Credit to the Account of
THE GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES CO.

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING CO.

ORIGINAL SIGNED

BY BY R. H. SAUM

VIB:FW
ENC.

cc: Battle Mountain State Bank
Gold Circle Cons. Mines Co.
N.H. Getchell,
J. Seaman

LOT NUMBER 3809

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

Received of Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain, Nevada

BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKSOFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived May 5 1928

Settled May 15 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
93		1923 20	1904 40	67.3	128 166	874	1664 44
94		1976 40	1960 10	68.2	133 678	876	1717 04
95		1936 20	1921 00	69.9	134 277	879	1688 55
96		1904 50	1889 10	69.6	131 481	863	1630 29
97		1612 60	1598 70	70.1	112 068	872	1394 06
98		1583 20	1569 60	68.7	103 122	875	1373 40
99		809 70	798 70	65	51 915	872	696 46
Grains			79 30	68.2	5 408	873	69 22
		11745 60	11720 90	800 118		10233 46	

GOLD VALUE

SILVER VALUE

REFINING CHARGE

.604

16539 82

6140 08

22679 90

178 96

22500 94

LOT NUMBER.....**3839**

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

Received of Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain, Nevada

BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived May 25 1928 Settled June 4 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES				GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING		AFTER MELTING		FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES
Grains	100	1242	60	1237	10	75.7	93 648	904	1118 33
	01	1672	50	1661	60	74.9	124 453	904	1502 08
	02	1397	80	1388	10	79.3	110 076	873	1211 81
	03	1940	20	1921	80	75.3	144 711	854	1641 21
	04	1416	60	1403	10	80.7	112 248	856	1201 05
					37 40	76.8	2 872	877	32 79
		7669	70	7649	10		588 008		6707 27
						GOLD VALUE			
						SILVER VALUE @		60 1/2	
						REFINING CHARGE			
								12155 18	
								4041 13	
								16196 31	
								116 32	
								16079 99	

June 4, 1928

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.
Post and Montgomery Streets
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:- Attention: Mr. Lee

We enclose our Check No. 10858-A for
\$16,079.99 in your favor for

Credit to the Account of the
Battle Mountain State Bank, Battle Mountain, Nevada
for Credit to the Account of the
GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES, MIDAS, NEVADA.

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING CO.

ORIGINAL SIGNED

BY BY R. H. SAUM

VIB:FW
ENC.

cc: N. H. Getchell
Battle Mountain State Bank
Gold Circle Cons. Mines
J. Seaman

LOT NUMBER 38 58

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION Received of Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain, Nevada
 BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
 SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
 444 CALIFORNIA STREET
 SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived June 4 1928 Settled June 14 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES
	105	1466 00	1451 50	52.1	75 623	889	1290 38
	06	1435 40	1423 40	51.9	73 874	895	1273 94
	07	1610 90	1597 50	51.8	82 750	888	1418 58
Grains			28 10	51.9	1 458	890	25 00
		4512 30	4500 50		233 705		4007 90

GOLD VALUE

Silver Value @ 59 7/8

Refining Charge

4831.10

2399.73

7230.83

68.14

7162.69

June 14, 1928

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.
Montgomery & Post Streets
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:- Attention: Mr. Lee

We enclose our Check No. 10881-A for
\$7,162.69 in your favor for

Credit to the Account of
Battle Mountain State Bank, Battle Mountain, Nev.
for Credit to the Account of
GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINE, MIBAS, NEVADA

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING CO.

ORIGINAL SIGNATURE

BY R. H. SAUM

BY _____

VLB:FW
ENC.

cc: Battle Mountain State Bank
H.H. Getchell, Genl Mgr.
Gold Circle Cons. Mine
J. Seaman

DEPOSIT

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.

Market at Montgomery
San Francisco

FOR ACCOUNT OF

Battle Mountain State Bank - Battle Mountain

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. Nov. 3, 1927 192

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO LIST ALL CHECKS SEPARATELY
AND TO SPECIFY BANKS UPON WHICH SAME ARE DRAWN

	DOLLARS	CENTS
GOLD		
SILVER		
CURRENCY		
CHECKS 11-0	14	352.66

For or. to a/c of Gold Circle Cons.

Hines Co.,

Battle Mountain, Nev.

In receiving checks, drafts, notes or other paper on deposit or for collection, this Bank shall transmit the same in the usual manner for collection, either to the bank or person on which the same shall be drawn, or to such banks or persons as it shall deem reliable. This Bank assumes no responsibility for the negligence, fraud or failure of any bank or person in transit or from any other cause whatever. This Bank or any collecting agent may receive payment of all items in cash or by check or draft on others, and neither this Bank nor any collecting agent shall be liable for the dishonor of any such checks or drafts or for losses thereon. Any credit allowed for items on this or any other bank or party is only provisional, and until the proceeds thereof, in money, shall have been actually received by this Bank, and found good at the close of the day's business, such items may be charged back to the depositor's account, regardless of whether or not the item itself can be returned.

ALL DEPOSITS
WELLS FARGO BANK & UNION TRUST CO.
SMITH & COMPANY

14332-65
J. Hines

LOT NUMBER **5475****RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION**RECEIVED OF **Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain****By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY**OFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

Arrived **Nov. 4 1927** Settled **Nov 14th 1927**

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
	45	1787 90	1735 60	73	126 698	886	1537 74
	46	1960 50	1907 30	73.7	140 568	879	1676 51
	47	1666 10	1494 40	73	109 091	877	1310 58
	48	1608 00	1571 30	73.4	115 333	871	1368 60
	Grains		31 70	73.3	2 323	878	27 83
	Weight of bar from Matte		148 00	54.6	8 080	912	134 97
	Flux 26# Assay in ounces per ton			5.36	069	1171.80	15 23
		7022 50	6888 30		502 162		6071 46

Gold Value

10380 59

Silver Value @ 57 1/2

3506 27

13 886 86

Refining Charge

104 67

Extra Charge for melting waste

25 00

129 67

13757 19

28 358 54

LOT NUMBER 3452

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain
By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived Oct. 24 1927 Settled Nov 3rd 1927

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
40		1990 00	1948 10	71.5	139 289	882	1718 22
41		1915 80	1874 20	71.4	133 817	882	1653 04
42		1805 40	1643 40	72.2	118 653	878	1442 90
43		1474 20	1118 20	67.2	75 143	887	991 84
44		965 40	489 30	72.9	35 669	888	434 49
Grains			46 20	71.0	3 280	882	40 74
Wt of Bar from Matte			343 60	18.6	6 390	940	322 98
Flux 80# Assay in ounces per ton				2.60	104	5109.40	204 37
		8150 80	7463 00		512 345		6808 58

Gold Value

10591 09

Silver Value @ 57¢

3680 89
14471 98

Refining Charge

114 33

Extra Charge for melting Matte

25 00

139 33
14332 65

LOT NUMBER 3413

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain

By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:

444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived Oct. 6 1927 Settled Oct 17th 1927

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES
	34	1569 80	1406 10	66.9	94 068	877	1233 14
	35	1588 60	1481 00	65.7	97 301	874	1294 39
	36	1586 40	1428 10	68.5	97 687	877	1280 68
	37	1530 20	1177 90	67.6	79 626	887	1044 79
	38	1271 40	1154 90	69.7	80 496	880	1016 51
	39	1357 30	1174 00	68.6	80 586	885	1038 99
	Grains		52 50	67.7	5 554	879	46 14
Wt of Bar from Matte 510½ oss			304 40	17.6	5 557	952	289 78
Flux 60 lbs Assay in ounces per ton				2.97	089	2724.00	81 72
		8703 70	8176 90		538 714		7295 94

Gold Value

11136 19

Silver Value @ 56½¢

4103 97

15240 16

Refining Charge

124.10

Extra Charge for melting Matte 25.00

149 10

15091 06

LOT NUMBER 3391

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain, Nev
 By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
 SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
 444 CALIFORNIA STREET
 SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived Sept. 20 1927 Settled Sept 30th 1927

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES
	28	1680 60	1596 50	66.4	106 007	883	1409 70
	29	1865 70	1766 10	65.3	115 326	885	1562 99
	30	1458 50	1235 90	57.5	71 064	886	1095 00
	31	1598 30	1390 30	59.2	82 305	887	1233 19
	32	1500 20	1298 40	59	71 295	886	1070 64
	33	1707 20	1389 70	60.8	84 493	889	1235 44
	Grains		441 90	61.7	27 265	886	391 52
		9810 50	9028 80		557 755		7998 48

Gold Value

11529 80

Silver Value @ 55 3/4

4459 15

15988 95

Refining Charge

136 95

15852 02

LOT NUMBER 3364

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain
 By **AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY**
 SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
 444 CALIFORNIA STREET
 SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived Sept. 6 1927 Settled Sept 16th 1927

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES
	24	1648 50	1636 00	63	103 068	861	1441 31
	25	1830 30	1816 80	62.8	114 095	880	1598 78
	26	1776 90	1764 00	62.2	109 720	876	1545 26
	27	1890 00	1869 20	62.5	116 825	875	1635 55
Grains			40 40	62.6	2 529	878	35 47
		7145 70	7126 40		446 237		6256 37

Gold Value

9224 52

Silver Value @ 55 $\frac{1}{2}$

3472 29

Refining Charge

12696 81

108 10

12588 71

LOT NUMBER 3348

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain

By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:

444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived Aug. 22 1927 Settled Sept 1st 1927

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES
	20	1749 00	1732 20	57.3	99 255	877	1519 13
	21	1848 40	1833 80	57.7	105 810	878	1610 07
	22	1617 40	1601 80	56.8	90 982	875	1401 57
	23	1903 30	1877 40	55.9	104 946	876	1644 60
Grains			41 50	56.9	2 361	876	36 35
		7118 10	7086 70		403 354		6211 72

Gold Value

8338 05

Silver Value @ 54 3/8¢

3377 62

Refining Charge

11715 67

107 38

11608 29

LOT NUMBER 3313

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines Co., Battle Mountain
 By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
 SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
 444 CALIFORNIA STREET
 SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived Aug. 4 1927 Settled August 15th 1927

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES
11		1971 80	1955 40	69.1	135 118	865	1691 42
12		2043 60	2029 50	70.5	143 079	869	1763 63
13		1975 50	1956 70	68	133 055	864	1690 58
14		1092 80	1083 10	69.5	75 275	874	946 62
15		1251 30	1228 20	70.2	86 219	876	1075 90
16		1920 60	1814 50	67.7	122 841	873	1584 05
17		1738 80	1692 40	68.4	115 760	869	1470 69
18		1488 80	1440 10	70.2	101 095	861	1239 92
19		1477 40	1435 10	72.4	103 901	864	1239 92
Grains			115 40	69.4	8 008	868	100 16
		14960 60	14750 40		1024 351		12802 89

Gold Value

Silver Value @ 54 1/2¢

Refining Charge

21175 18

6977 57

28152 75

224 01

27928 74

LOT NUMBER 3260

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain, Nev

By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY

OFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

Arrived July 5 1927 Settled JULY 15th 1927

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES
6		1858 80	1847 20	66.5	122 838	881	1627 38
7		1880 80	1866 70	66.8	124 695	884	1650 16
8		1991 80	1971 10	65.9	129 895	877	1728 65
9		1165 30	1153 50	65.2	75 208	872	1005 85
10		1052 20	1037 10	65.7	68 137	873	905 38
Grains			39 10	66.1	2 584	878	34 32
		7948 80	7914 70	523 357		6951 74	

Gold Value

10818 73

Silver Value @ 56 1/4

3910 35

14729 08

Refining Charge

120 13

14608 95

LOT NUMBER 3257

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines Co., Battle Mountain By **AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY**

 OFFICE:
 444 CALIFORNIA STREET
 SAN FRANCISCO

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

 Arrived June 17 1927 Settled June 27 1927

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES
	1	1813 90	1802 40	54.5	98 230	899	1620 35
	2	1821 50	1806 70	54.3	98 103	895	1616 99
	3	1917 90	1897 20	53.8	102 069	895	1697 99
	4	1986 80	1970 20	54.2	106 784	894	1761 35
	5	597 20	581 90	53.8	31 306	896	521 38
	Grains		42 10	54.1	2 277	896	37 72
		8137 30	8100 50		438 769		7255 78

Gold value

9070 15

Silver Value @ 56 $\frac{1}{2}$

4117 65

13187 80

Refining Charge

123 69

13064 11

DEPOSITED WITH

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.

Market at Montgomery
San Francisco

FOR ACCOUNT OF

~~Battle Mountain State Bank~~~~Battle Mountain, Nev.~~

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. Feb. 6/20

192

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO LIST ALL CHECKS SEPARATELY
AND TO SPECIFY BANKS UPON WHICH SAME ARE DRAWN

DOLLARS CENTS

GOLD

SILVER

CURRENCY

CHECKS

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For ex. to c/o of

BATTLE MOUNTAIN STATE BANK, INC. CO.

BATTLE MOUNTAIN, NEV.

DUPLICATE

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co.

DEPOSITED
American Smelting & Refining Co.

Teller

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LOT NUMBER 3638 Jan 2-

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

RECEIVED OF GOLD CIRCLE CONS. MINES CO. - Battle Mountain

By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:

444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived Feb. 4 1928 Settled Feb 14th 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINESS	FINE OUNCES	FINESS	FINE OUNCES
	73	2034 60	2019 10	51.4	103 781	900	1817 19
	74	1543 70	1532 00	50.6	77 519	902	1381 86
	75	1499 10	1487 30	57.8	85 965	900	1338 57
Grains			26 70	53.0	1 415	901	24 05
		5077 40	5065 10		268 680		4561 67

Gold Value

5554 10

Silver Value 57 1/2

2611 56

Refining Charge

8165 66

76 70

8088 96

Jan (2) + Part

LOT NUMBER 3614

Jan ①

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

Received of Gold Circle Cons. Mines, Battle Mountain, Nev.

Midas, via

BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:
444 CALIFORNIA STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Arrived Jan. 26 1928 Settled Feb 6th 1928

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
MARKS	SHIPPER	BEFORE MELTING	AFTER MELTING	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES	FINENESS	FINE OUNCES
	67	1686 90	1673 60	51.9	86 889	897	1501 21
	68	1752 70	1732 40	50.9	88 179	902	1562 62
	69	1956 90	1942 30	50.8	98 668	897	1742 24
	70	1819 90	1806 20	50.7	91 574	902	1629 19
	71	1696 50	1682 40	49.1	82 605	884	1487 24
	72	1651 00	1636 00	52.4	85 726	882	1442 95
Grains			62 30	50.9	3 171	894	55 69

10563 90	10535 20	536 782	9421 14
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Gold Value

11096 25

Silver Value @ 56 1/2

5322 94

16419 19

Refining Charge

159 47

16259 72

Jan ①

L E A S E A G R E E M E N T .

THIS INDENTURE, Made this _____ day of _____ 1932,
by and between GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES, a Trust, duly
organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the
State of Massachusetts, hereinafter referred to as the LESSOR,
and _____, hereinafter referred to as the
LESSEE.

WITNESSETH: That the said lessor, for and in consideration
of the royalties hereinafter provided, and in consideration of
the agreements, terms and conditions hereinafter contained, to be
observed, performed and carried out by the Lessee, the Lessor does
hereby lease unto the Lessee, for a term of three years next, from
and after the date hereof, subject however, to earlier termination
as hereinafter provided, all of the following described mines and
mining property, situated in the GOLD CIRCLE MINING DISTRICT,
COUNTY OF ELKO, STATE OF NEVADA, to wit:

The following lode mining claims: Elko Prince, etc, etc.

To-gether with the buildings, power plant, mill, hoisting
equipment, compressors and pumping equipment.

The terms, conditions and agreements hereinbefore mentioned
to be as follows, to wit:

The LESSEE covenants and agrees with the LESSOR:

1. That during the term of this lease, the LESSEE will
unwater the Elko Prince Mine.
2. That the LESSEE will pay to the LESSOR, in the manner
hereinafter mentioned in Article 3 as specified, fifteen
per cent (15%) of the gross gold and silver production made
hereunder from the leased property as royalty in full

hereunder.

3. That the LESSEE will mill and deliver to the American Smelting and Refining Company, at Selby, California, all lots of bullion milled by him hereunder from time to time as lots shall accumulate, and will deliver to said smelter, written understanding and instructions to remit the proceeds of each lot to the Battle Mountain State Bank, and that upon receipt of such proceeds, the Bank will pay to the LESSOR, or place to its credit at said Bank, fifteen per cent (15%) of such proceeds, and pay to the LESSEE, or credit to his account at said bank, the remaining eighty-five per cent (85%) of such proceeds.

The LESSEE further agrees, to cause to be delivered to the LESSOR a duplicate statement of said smelter returns, covering each lot of bullion that said smelter settles and pays for hereunder.

4. That the LESSEE will each month of the term of this lease, promptly pay for all labor, tools, supplies, machinery, materials and services whatsoever, engaged by or furnished to the LESSEE in his operations hereunder during the preceding month, and will constantly keep the LESSOR'S title to the Leased property free and clear from all claims, as well as all liens based thereon, and will indemnify and save harmless the LESSOR against all such claims and liens and all suits based thereon and against all suits or proceedings for or based upon personal injuries to the employees or other persons, occurring during his operations.

5. That the LESSEE will at all times during the term of this lease, at his own expense, comply in all respects with the Employees Liability Act of Nevada and effect and carry all insurance and protection, and do all acts and things required under and by virtue of said act as it now stands or as hereafter amended, or under or by virtue of

any other similar new Act hereafter in force in said State, for the protection and benefit of his employees.

6. That the LESSEE will conduct all business, connected with the said operations, in his own name as LESSEE, or in the names of himself and partners or associates of his hereunder, and will post and keep posted in a conspicuous place upon the leased premises, a notice to all concerned that he is, or that he and associates are, operating the leased premises, and are responsible for all labor and supplies furnished to him or them.

7. That the LESSEE will work the leased mining ground in a proper and miner-like manner, and will properly and safely timber when necessary for safety, and keep so timbered, all underground openings; that he will properly maintain, repair and keep in good order and condition, all buildings and surface improvements whatsoever leased hereby; that the LESSEE will permit the LESSOR or any of its officers or agents to enter upon and into the surface and underground workings and improvements leased at all reasonable times, for the purpose of inspection.

8. That the LESSEE will expend no less than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) in unwatering and development work of the Elko Prince Mine.

9. In consideration of the full and faithful performance by the LESSEE of all his agreements hereinbefore contained, the LESSOR agrees that he will give the LESSEE a first mortgage on the leased property for fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) callable one year after the completion of the unwatering of the Elko Prince Mine.

10. The LESSOR at his option to take up the mortgage one year after the mine is unwatered, or later, and agrees to allow the LESSEE sixty days notice of his intention to terminate the said mortgage and take over the property.

11. The LESSOR agrees that this lease shall be assignable and the leased premises or any portion thereof may be sublet by the LESSEE, subject to all the covenants, terms, conditions and provisions herein contained, and shall extend to and in favor of and bind the successors and assigns of the LESSOR and the heirs, executors, administrators and assigns of the LESSEE, respectively.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF: The parties hereto have affixed their hands and seals, the day and date first above written.

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into this 7th day of April, A. D. 1934, by and between H. H. GETCHELL, of the County of Lander, State of Nevada, the party of the first part, and CLYDE G. HENRY, WILLIAM KAHN, and FRANK COLE, all of the City of San Francisco, State of California, the parties of the second part,-

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, the party of the first part has had, and now has a lease and option to purchase from F. M. HACY, of the County of Elko, State of Nevada, the Gold Circle Group of lode mining claims, consisting of the "Golden Circle", "Golden Circle No. 1", "Gold Circle No. 2", and "Gold Circle No. 3", also known as and called "Gold Circle", "Gold Circle No. 1", "Gold Circle No. 2", and "Gold Circle No. 3", situate in Gold Circle Mining District, County of Elko, State of Nevada, as the same appear of record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Elko, State of Nevada; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the second parties herein to assist the said first party financially in extracting the ores and metals from said premises, to the end that the said H. H. GETCHELL shall receive one-half of the net profits of the mining operations in connection with the extracting of the ores and metals, as aforesaid, and that the said second parties shall collectively receive one-half of the net profits, as aforesaid; and

WHEREAS, the said second parties have paid to said first party, the sum of ONE THOUSAND and no/100 DOLLARS (\$1,000.00), and have agreed to pay the additional sum of FIVE HUNDRED and no/100 DOLLARS (\$500.00) on or before May 15, 1934, as their

collective part and/or share for the mining operations mentioned;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises of the parties hereto, and of the payment of FIFTEEN HUNDRED and no/100 DOLLARS (\$1500.00), aforesaid, by the said parties of the second part, to the said party of the first part, it is agreed, by the parties hereto as follows, to-wit:-

That the said parties of the second part shall receive, of and from the said party of the first part, collectively one-half of the net profits received from the said mining operations, and in the event the said parties hereto shall pay, or cause to be paid, by reason of their said mining operations, the purchase price of the said premises and property to the said F. M. HACY, and the said N. H. GETCHELL shall receive title to the lode mining claims herein described, under and by virtue of his said lease and option, then, and in that event, the said N. H. GETCHELL shall convey by proper conveyance, to the said second parties herein, collectively, an undivided one-half interest in and to the lode mining claims herein described.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

W. H. Getchell
Clyde W. Henry
William H. Hacy
Frank Cole

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners,
siting as a Board of Equillization
Austin, Nevada.

STATE OF NEVADA,)
COUNTY OF LANDER.) ss.

NOBLE H. GETCHELL, being duly sworn, deposes and says:
That I am the President and General Manager of the GOLD & SILVER
CIRCLE MINES INC., and as such officer makes the following statements:

That at least Eighteen Hundred (\$1800) Dollars worth of labor
or improvements have been made during the year 1935 on the following
named Patented mining claims for the benefit of all of said claims
and Mill Site, to-wit:

Highland Chief	Lot No. 11
Henry Logan	Lot No. 40
Dusang	Lot No. 43
Defiance No. 2	Lot No. 42
Defiance	Lot No. 37
Eagle	Lot No. 38
Monitor	Lot No. 39
Chloride	Lot No. 45
Grove	Lot No. 44
Highland Chief Mill Site,	Lot No. 41
Betty O'Neal	Lot No. 51
Betty O'Neal South	Lot No. 52
Yankee	Lot No. 54
Record	Lot No. 55
Chloride	Lot No. 59
Valley View	Lot No. 4750
Ruth	Lot No. 4570
Ruby Silver	Lot No. 4570

situated in the Lewis Mining District, County of Lander, State of
Nevada, and as appears on the Assessment Roll of Argenta Road Dis-
trict, Lander County, State of Nevada.

Therefore, in compliance with the law in such case made and
provided, I do therefore ask for and request that said Patented
Lode Mining Claims and said Patented Mill Site be stricken from
the Assessment Rolls of Lander County, Nevada for the year 1935.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of August, A. D.
1935.

Notary Public.

My Commission expires March 7th., 1936.

N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

Sept. 23, 1930.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Golden,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:

After paying the August bills and deducting the Pay Roll of September 20th, our balance is \$159.08. I did not pay the Insurance on the Buick as you said to let it go until about the 15th of October; nor did I send Mrs. Chase a check for the \$54.50 as you instructed me to wait until we had received some funds or I heard from you. The insurance amounts to \$95.25 so if both of these were paid, the balance would be \$9.33.

As we are having some stormy cold weather for this time of year it looks as though we would have to start putting the mill in shape for winter if it is to be idle. Of course we know that you had planned on it being idle whether or not the development work was started, but after talking our leasing proposition over, have decided that cyanidation would probably be much better than the plating on account of the high percentage of extraction it would give us for the small amount of added expense. We could treat a small tonnage by employing intermittent decantation and would not make any changes that would affect the mill for milling as it is. We could also treat the mill ore that Benane has ready and any other ore that could be handled satisfactorily. If you think you can give us the lease, we would probably not have to drain everything for a winter shut down as it would not take long to put it into operation. If the tanks are drained and left empty for a very long period it will mean quite an expense to put them in shape again.

The Reco Lessees say they have quit and intend to ship about 10 tons of ore, which we will handle as before, but I would like to know whether or not you wish to take the royalty before or after the hauling and the freight charges. Last shipment there was some contention about the royalty being taken before the hauling and freight had been deducted.

With best wishes and kind regards, we are,

Sincerely yours,

Victor Jacobson
C. Carlson

N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

Sept. 15, 1930.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Golden,
Reno, Nevada.

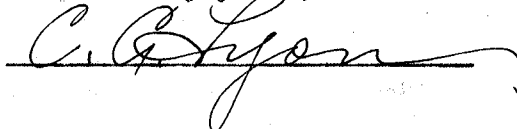
Dear Senator:

Since writing you about Steve Bosak wanting a lease, we have found that we were wrong about the location of the place he wanted to lease. Steve told us it was where Barngrover & Borland leased and the only place Vic or I knew of was the one this side of the water tank, but Steve said they had leased on a place farther up the ridge and when he showed us where he wanted the lease we found it to be on the Reco #2 claim located on the ridge above the water tank. There is two shallow cross cuts into this vein farther up the ridge but neither showed any values when they cut it. The only work done on the part he wants is the assessment or location hole mentioned in the lease, about eight feet deep. He gets some fairly good pannings but it is so near the surface that nothing is in place and cannot tell without doing some sinking, just what it amounts to. We were of the opinion that the change would not make any difference to you so I drew up a lease from a form used by the Elko Prince Co. and left the % of Royalty a blank. I will put the scale of the Reco #4 Lease in in pencil and if you wish to change any of the figures, just make a note of it and I will put it ⁱⁿ when you return it.

With the \$500.00 you denosited before leaving for Reno, I will have enough to pay the bills and the Pay Roll the 20th; will you let me know if it will be alright to do so at that time?

Hope the campaigning is coming along to your entire satisfaction, and that you have some good news from Boston for us by this time. With best regards, I am,

Respectfully yours,



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N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

October 25th, 1930.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Golden,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:

We regret very much our inability to attend the Rally in Battle Mountain and hope it lacked nothing from our absence. I had to go to Elko that afternoon for Macy and just barely made it back in time to go, but after finding the wife feeling quite ill had to stay home and although I offered my car to Vic, he did not like to make the trip alone.

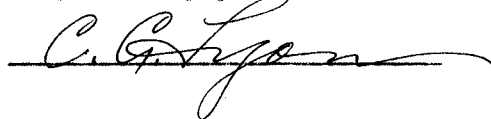
In my last letter I mentioned the check for \$90.00 that is due to John McMaster at the Cash mine for September salary. I didn't think of asking you about it when in Battle Mountain so will now await your reply before sending it.

I suppose that you are aware of the amount of our overdraft, but in the event that you have been too busy to give it close attention, will give the following figures. Adams did not deposit the \$500.00 you mentioned directly to our account but is carrying the entire amount as overdraft, which will be approximately \$950.00 after the checks for the settlement of the Reco Lease ore are issued and including the \$90.00 check above mentioned.

We have been delayed on the Reco settlement on account of contention among the Lessees but I have now written Frank Benane and will settle or rather divide it as he wishes.

With best regards, I am,

Respectfully yours,



N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

October 6th, 1930.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Golden,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:

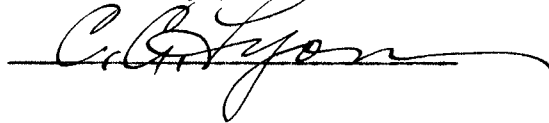
Yours of the 4th received to-day which also answered my wire of 5th.

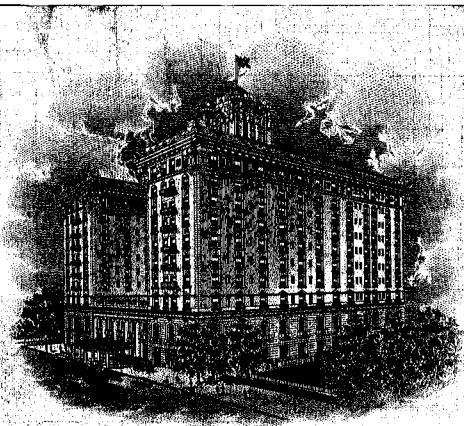
On account of not paying the Buick insurance, we had a balance of \$113.49 Sept. 30th which, after issueing the pay roll amounting to \$318.00 would only overdraw \$204.51 instead of the whole amount as you evidently thought.

We received the assay returns on the Rico shipment, yesterday which ran about \$114.00 per ton depending on a cent or two one way or the other in the price of silver. It assayed 125 oz. in silver and 3.65 oz. in gold. We will or should get the smelter returns in a day or two, and would like to have you advise whether to use the proceeds for paying the September bills or to let them ride for a while and save it? 6 TONS.

I am glad to hear that things are going so well in the political line and only wish that we were somewhere where we could be of more assistance.

Respectfully yours,





HOTEL UTAH

"THE HOTEL BEAUTIFUL"

GEO. O. RELF,
MANAGER

SALT LAKE CITY

Mr. Fred. Vanez
Miss
New

Dear Fred -

Mr. Vetter showed me
your letter relative to settlement
on our ore and the same was
not as agreed between you
and me & Mr. Mitchell & self
You stated to me that you
were to change us \$4.00 per ton for milling &
were to pay us for 90%
of the high content @ quoted
price of gold & silver less prof
cost of settling the bullion and
not on 90% of gold & 85% of
of the silver as you stated in

your letter to Mr. Vetter -
Why write him differently
than you told me?

Now this should be adjusted
now so we have a ^{very}
definite understanding.
I was quite surprised
when I read the letter
as it was not in accordance
with our agreement given
to me verbally by you.

I desire our relations to
be mutually amicable.
~~Do~~ just correct that small
error you made in your
letter to Mr. Vetter please -
With regards

I am
Yours
Harry S. Joseph

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

October 20th, 1933.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Senator:-

Enclosed is Fred's letter, Joseph's letter and a copy of Fred's letter to Vetter, all of which are self explanatory.

Although I did not hear the conversations that passed between you and Joseph or Fred and Joseph, I understand that he had been informed of the extraction percentages, and as the 5% difference on the silver did not sound so bad at first, he did not complain until he found that their ore ran so high in silver; approximately 70 - 80 ounces to one in gold. To-day Joseph called up from Salt Lake, asking when we would make settlement, and I told him it would be Tuesday as the Smelter wired us that settlement would be made and mailed on the 19th as usual, allowing the regular ten days. I will make the settlement on the 85 & 90% basis and make any necessary adjustments later. He also stated that they wanted to mill about 200 tons more ore, and would start hauling immediately; this, in view of the fact that the present discussion had not been settled, and his letter not even answered which would lead one to believe that he had a true conception of the terms and conditions as first stated; namely, the 85% on the silver.

Upon our arrival (without the least trouble) I found that the whole crew had peped up and showed a willingness that has been lacking for some time. Ray, Raup and Wilkerson all returned to work and really did try to do something, and the same is the case at the mine, so, as anticipated, we will not have the least bit of trouble while you are in Boston.

Trusting that you had a pleasant trip and are in the best of health, I am,

Respectfully yours,



October 13th, 1933.

Mr. E. L. Vetter, President,
Miner's Gold Mining Co.,
Salt Lake City, Utah.

Dear Sir:-

In the absence of Senator Cetchell, who is at this time in San Francisco, I am replying to yours of October 10th in regard to ore settlements.

Your ore, as well as the ore of leasers and other custom ore is practically purchased by us, at a price set by the Smelter at the time of refining the bullion. When your ore is received at the mill in a separate bin which we have set aside for you, a control sample is taken after it has been crushed. This sample is under the supervision of your representative which has been Mr. Hanley and the settlement on gold and silver content is controlled by this assay, and the metal price paid by the Smelter. We settle on 90% of the gold content and 85% of the silver content less 2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ per ounce of bullion for marketing charges which are made by the Smelter; also, less \$4.00 a ton milling charge.

Therefore, it is impossible for us to make a settlement with you until such time as we have received the settlement from the Smelter. These settlement sheets are on file in our office, and you may have access to them in order to check the metal prices we receive.

The above procedure is gone through with all custom ore, and as we have a number of different lots in each shipment, you can readily see how impossible it would be for the Smelter to make segregations.

With the exception of your shipments, all other custom ores have a sliding scale of milling charges which are above yours, according to the tonnage received.

Hoping that the above explains the matter to you thoroughly, I am,

Very truly yours,

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

BY _____ Supt.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

October 20th, 1933.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Noble:-

I am enclosing you a copy of the letter I sent to Mr. Vetter at your request, also a letter received from Harry Joseph which will no doubt, explain itself.

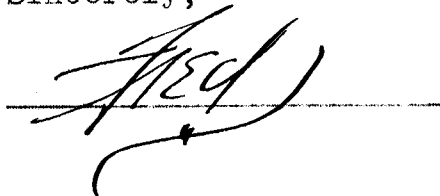
When I first talked to Joseph about milling ore, which was before he purchased the Warren property, I told him that we paid 85% of the silver and 90% of the gold, and at that time we were charging \$7.00 a ton for milling. After they had purchased the property, and he again came to me in regards to milling, I told him we had reduced our price of milling to \$4.00 per ton, in lots of 50 tons or better. It was at this time that he told me he could furnish 30 tons per day, and I agreed to mill for them at \$4.00 a ton, regardless of tonnage, and pay them 85% silver and 90% gold.

It was about this time that he went to you, and tried to get the price reduced, and the thought has entered my mind that you might have said something about paying 90% on silver. Joseph is pretty smooth as you know, and may be trying to get me to commit myself for this extra 5% on the silver. As I was not present at the time he talked to you about milling, I will await answering his letter until I hear from you. We will make settlement at 85 and 90%, and in case he is entitled to the extra silver, we can pay that later.

We have completed 900 North stope, and are now drawing the ore as fast as possible.

Hoping you all the success in the world, I am,

Sincerely,



N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

F. W. VARNEY
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

October 20th, 1933.

Geo. W. Sias,
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Mr. Sias:-

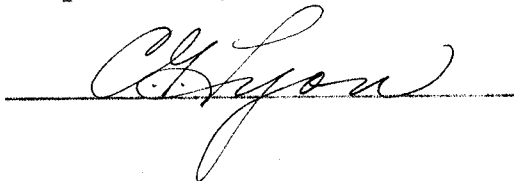
As Senator Getchell has undoubtedly arrived in Boston by the time you receive this letter, his absence is unnecessarily explained.

The mill heads for the last three days ran \$20.01, \$22.10 and \$17.39 respectively, and the only mine sample taken to-day was a car sample from the 900 stope which ran \$41.44.

The 900 North Stope broke through to the 750 level yesterday, and the broken ore which now fills the stope will be drawn and milled as required to keep the mill running to capacity with a feed composed principally of this high grade ore.

With the knowledge that this stope has been completed, the crew is showing an added enthusiasm for their work which will reflect in the future production and reduced costs.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "C. H. Lyon", is written over a horizontal line.

Gold Circle Coalition Mining Co.

MINES AT MIDAS, NEVADA

HEAD OFFICE AT
GOLCONDA, NEVADA.June 32^d 1927.

Hon. W. H. Getchall
Battle Mountain, Nev.

My dear Getchall:

I have spent the last three days around Winnemucca and altho there is yet a good sized opposition to the Bond Issue, I find opinion is changing. From what I am told, quite a few who at one time were openly opposed to the road bond are now satisfied that it will be of some benefit to Winnemucca.

Of course the biggest opposition are the close friends of John Bell and they will continue their opposition but merchants in general are leaning to our side.

As I told you the big fight will be right in the town of Winnemucca and a good sized vote there in favor of the Bonds will offset the outside as I don't believe a big vote will be cast, either at Paradise or in the northern section of the County. If it were to elect County officers, a good sized vote could be expected but for a Bond election, I look for a great many not to be interested. So the votes in Winnemucca should be looked after.

Gold Circle Coalition Mining Co.

MINES AT MIDAS, NEVADA

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HEAD OFFICE AT
GOLCONDA, NEVADA.

Tomorrow I will run up thru Clover Valley and see the people there and possibly go into the Circle for the night, but will be back here for Monday.

On Monday a meeting is being held at Winnemucca regarding this issue and I will be there prepared for any wild statements that may be made.

Tuesday, I expect to go north and see some of the people whom I feel will listen to me.

With best wishes, I remain

Sincerely

John I. Peterson.

P.S. It may be possible that your idea of Mike Paisley coming into Winnemucca will be a good idea. He knows some of the people on the Line that he might reach, but I will have several feelers out first and find out, the general impression and if he can be of any use, will let you know.

J. I. P.

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March 31, 1928

Callister Grabs Luke's Furniture

Says Protective Association Man
Is Making \$25,000 a Year
Profits

Because Francis G. Luke, president of the Merchants Protective Association, refused to pay an assessment on what the government claimed to be the net profits of the company, in accordance with a law passed last year, causing all corporations to pay a percentage of their net profits in excess of \$5,000, as an assessment, the internal revenue officials levied against certain office property in Mr. Luke's office and Monday a man and a dray appeared at the office to take away the property.

Mr. Luke protested against the property being taken which included a golden-oak desk, a mahogany filing case, a planotype machine and a carpet, but to no avail, and the man immediately set to work to take up the carpet. In the meantime Luke went to see Internal Revenue Collector E. H. Callister, who appointed him keeper of the property which had been levied on until November 3, until which time he was given to file an amended statement of the profits of the corporation.

The internal revenue department figured that the profits of Luke's company from his statement, amounted to about \$25,000 a year. Mr. Luke refused to pay an assessment on this amount, contending that it was not the profits of the corporation, but his personal profits. The government would not see it the same way, however, and when he refused to pay the assessment, levied on his property, which resulted in the experience of Monday.—Salt Lake Tribune, September 20, 1910.

The United States internal revenue commissioner at Washington refused to reduce our assessment. It cost us \$177.31.

We have the unique distinction of being the only collection agency in the United States assessed by the internal revenue department with having made net profits in excess of the \$5,000 limit.

The revenue commissioner assessed us for making \$20,603 profit. We were not able to talk him out of it. We expect to collect more money this year.

We will collect some money for you if you turn in your claims.

We will collect about \$250,000 from honest debts during the year of 1928.

We will collect more in 1929. Help Us.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines,
W. H. Englebright, Supt.
Midas, Nevada.

Gentlemen:

As your company by your superintendant, Mr. Englebright, notified us sometime ago that you had purchased the Noble interests in the Gold Circle Mining District, we now take this opportunity of advising you that on behalf of Mary L. Stone, the widow of C. Albion Stone, we claim one-half undivided interest in and to the three Colorado Grandee claims of the Colorado Grandee Group, and one-half undivided interest in and to the ten claims of the Grizzly Group, both groups being located in the Gold Circle Mining District.

This claim for the undivided one-half interest in each of these groups, however, being subject to the Leslie R. Noble, and the E. A. P. Johnson heirs, and the R. T. Noble, heirs interests therein.

We are now having some correspondence with Leslie R. Noble, and R. T. Noble heirs, for the purpose of coming to an amicable understanding and settlement. If Mr. Leslie R. Noble, will show you our letter of March 27th., it will throw light on our contention.

Not knowing that he will show you this letter I take this opportunity of advising you that C. Albion Stone, and R. T. Noble, were partners, and that this partnership were co-owners with others, and that certain interests of other co-owners were purchased for the benefit of the co-partnership; that the co-partnership was never dissolved, and that there has never been

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a final accounting. That this co-partnership pertained to the Grizzly Group and the Colorado Grandee Groups of mining claims, and other property.

That we are prepared to prove the existence of the co-partnership and the acknowledgement thereof in letters written by both R. T. Noble and C. Albion Stone, to Mr. Paul Hein, of Salt Lake City, which letters we have in our possession.

That on September 18th-21, at the time of publication of Notice of Forfeiture from Leslie R. Noble, and R. T. Noble, to R. J. Pemberthy, E. A. P. Johnson, and Charles A. Stone, R. T. Noble, was acting as trustees under Power of Attorney, recorded in the County Recorder's Office at Elko, from Leslie R. Noble, the two heirs of E. A. P. Johnson, and C. Albion Stone, and that the same condition existed on December 15th-23, at the time R. T. Noble, undertook to declare together with Leslie R. Noble, a forfeiture against R. J. Pemberthy, E. A. P. Johnson, and Charles Albion Stone, in the Colorado Grandee Group, and the Grizzly Group.

The Power of Attorney from C. Albion Stone to R. T. Noble, is dated January 2nd., 1912, recorded May 28th-17, book 3 - Power of Attorney - page 93, at Elko.

The Power of Attorney from the Johnson heirs to R. T. Noble, is dated June 13th., 1913, recorded May 28th-17, book 3 - Power of Attorneys, page 94, recorder's office at Elko.

The Power of Attorney from Leslie R. Noble to R. T. Noble, is dated September 21st., 1917, recorded the same day, book 3 - P. of A. page 99, at Elko.

The records will show that R. T. Noble, accepted and acted under the trust imposed by these three different Powers of Attorney.

Yours truly,

MERCHANTS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION
BY

Francis G. Luke
Gen'l. Mgr.

Acting for Mary L. Stone, the widow of Chas. Albion Stone, and the present owner of all of the Stone interests in the Colorado Grandee Group, and the Grizzly Group, of mining claims in Gold Circle Mining District, Nevada.

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SERATIM CHRONOLOGY

June 14th., 1907, Colorado Grandee #1, located by Stone, Pemberthy, Noble, Johnson and Dowling. Location notice recorded August 21st., 1907.

June 14th., 1907, Colorado Grandee #2, located by original five, recorded August 27th., 1907.

June 14th., 1907, original five locate Colorado Grandee #3, and record certificate September 11th., 1907.

June 14th., 1907, original five execute amended certificate of location Colorado Grandee #3, and record the same December 1, 1907. This is an amended location to cure error in description.

June 18th., 1907, Horn Silver Lode located by original five and recorded August 21st., 1907.

June 18th., 1907, original five locate Lucky Boy Lode, record certificate August 21st., 1907.

June 18th., 1907, original five locate Grizzly claim and record August 24th., 1907.

June 18th., 1907, original five locate Le Croix claim and record September 11th., 1907.

June 18th., 1907, Greenhorn claim located by original five, recorded September 11th., 1907.

June 18th., 1907, original five locate Hillside claim and record August 24th., 1907.

June 18th., 1907, original five locate Lucky Strike claim and record August 24th., 1907.

June 18th., 1907, original five locate Star claim and recorded August 24th., 1907.

June 17th., 1907, Dream claim located by original five, recorded September 11th., 1907.

October 1, 1907, Samuel Dowling, executes mortgage to E. O. Eibes, recorded October 9, 1907. Released April 23, 1908.

September 30, 1907, R. J. Pemberthy, conveys by deed to A. O. Eibes, all his interest in and to the Hillside, Grizzly, Lucky Boy, Lucky Strike, Horn Silver, La Croix, Greenhorn, Star, Grandee #1, Grandee #2, Grandee #3, Dream #3, consideration \$3000; also conveys in same deed one fourth interest in 80 acres of placer ground and one fourth interest in the Sqaw Peak Water Right. Recorded October 9th., 1907.

April 9th., 1908, Eibes, Noble, Dowling, Stone and Johnson, locate Albion Fraction claim and record July 25, 1908.

April 14th., 1908, Stone, Eibes, Dowling, Noble and Johnson, execute additional and amended location certificate, and record April 30th., 1908. On the "Greenhorn Lode".

April 15th., 1908, additional and amended location certificate by Stone, Eibes, Dowling, Noble and Johnson, executed and recorded April 30th., 1908. On "Colorado Grandee #1."

April 15th., 1908, Stone, Eibes, Dowling, Noble and Johnson, execute additional and amended location certificate on Colorado Grandee #2, and record the same April 30th., 1908.

April 15th., 1908, Stone, Eibes, Dowling, Noble and Johnson, execute additional and amended location certificate Colorado Grandee #3, and record the same April 30th., 1908.

April 15th., 1908, Stone, Eibes, Dowling, Noble and Johnson file additional and amended location certificate for Horn Silver Lode, recorded April 30th., 1908.

April 15th., 1908, Stone, Eibes, Dowling, Noble and Johnson execute additional and amended location certificate for Lucky Boy, and record same April 30th., 1908.

April 15th., 1908, Stone, Eibes, Dowling, Noble and Johnson, execute additional and amended location certificate for Le Croix claim, and record April 30th., 1908.

April 15th., 1908, Stone, Dowling, Johnson, Eibes, and Noble execute additional and amended location certificate and record April 30th., 1908. On the "Star Lode".

June 28th., 1908, Lee Windle and T. McCall, locate Star Lode, and record June 30th., 1908.

August 5, 1908, C. Albion Stone, executed mortgage to A. G. McDonald, for a 1/5 interest in and to Colorado Grande Nos. 1, 2, 3, mining claims, to secure the payment of note for \$80.00. Released by Charles Joyce, and recorded September 23, 1911.

December 28th., 1908, R. T. Noble, manager filed proof of labor pertaining to work and supplies on mining claims in the Colorado Grandee Group, and mining claims in the Grizzly Group. Recorded January 8th., 1909.

March 3rd., 1909, Notice of Forfeiture from R. T. Noble, to E. O. Eibes, of the Hillside, Lucky Boy, Lucky Strike, Grizzly, La Croix, Greenhorn, Horn Silver, Star, Grandy Nos. 1 - 2 and 3, and Dream #3, mining claims. Recorded June 11, 1909.

November 24, 1909, S. C. Dowling, conveys by deed to Leslie R. Noble, one fifth undivided interest in the Colorado Grandee Nos. 1, 2 and 3, Grizzly, Hillside, Lucky Boy, Lucky Strike, Star, Horn Silver, Greenhorn, La Croix, Albion Fraction, Hillside No. 2. Recorded November 26th., 1909.

December 27, 1909, R. T. Noble, manager files proof of labor pertaining to labor and supplies on the Colorado Grandee and Grizzly Groups, for year ending December 31st., 1909. Recorded January 7, 1910.

July 1, 1911, A. O. Eibes, conveys to R. T. Noble, an undivided one fifth interest in the Colorado Grande Nos. 1, 2 and 3; also the Grizzly Group, as follows: Hillside, Grizzly, Star, Lucky Strike, Lucky Boy, Le Croix, Horn Silver, Greenhorn, Hillside #2, Albion Fraction, Dream. Recorded November 8th., 1911.

January 2nd., 1912, C. Albion Stone, executed Power of Attorney to R. T. Noble, recorded May 28th., 1917.

January 5th., 1912, B. P. Howell, files proof of labor for year ending December 31st., 1912. Recorded January 9, 1912.

May 4, 1912, E. A. P. Johnson, files suit against R. T. Noble, in the Justice's Court of Elko Township, County of Elko, State of Nevada, to recover \$200.00, which he claims is due him as his share of the sale price of the "Colorado Grande", which he claims R. T. Noble, received. Case decided in favor of the defendant.

July 16th., 1912, Johnson files notice of appeal to the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, of the State of Nevada in and for the County of Elko.

June 13th., 1913, Alice Johnson and Edna Warden, wife and daughter of E. A. P. Johnson, deceased, executed Power of Attorney to R. T. Noble, to sell, lease, bond or otherwise dispose of interest in and to Colorado Grande, No. 1, Colorado Grande No. 2, and Colorado Grande No. 3. Recorded May 28th., 1917.

August 14, 1913, R. T. Noble, et als executed lease to B. P. Howell, made between R. T. Noble, Leslie R. Noble, C. Albion Stone and Mrs. Alice Johnson and Edna Warden (formerly Edna Johnson) (heirs to E. A. P. Johnson), Colorado Grande #3, Lode Mining Claim, recorded July 2, 1914.

November 22nd., 1915, Alice Johnson and daughter Edna Warden, heirs of E. A. P. Johnson, by deed convey to R. T. Noble, all their right and interest in the following claims: Hillside, Lucky Boy, Grizzly, Lucky Strike, Star, Albion Fraction, Greenhorn, Horn Silver, La Croix. Recorded September 21st., 1917.

September 19, 1917, R. T. Noble, conveys to Leslie R. Noble, the following claims: Hillside, Lucky Boy, Grizzly, Lucky Strike, Star, Albion Fraction, Greenhorn, Horn Silver, La Croix, Colorado Grandee #1, Colorado Grandee #2, and Colorado Grandee #3. Recorded September 21st., 1917.

September 21, 1917, Leslie R. Noble, executed Power of Attorney to R. T. Noble, recorded September 21st., 1917.

December 20th., 1917, C. A. Stone, Leslie R. Noble, by R. T. Noble, Attorney in Fact file notice of desire to hold mining claim, The Grizzly Group. Recorded December 27th., 1917.

December 15th., 1919, Leslie R. Noble, and Co-owners, by R. T. Noble, Attorney in Fact, file notice of desire to hold mining claims of the Hillside Lode Claims et als. Recorded December 17th., 1919.

December 17th., 1920, William J. Cleary, files proof of annual labor upon the La Craix, and the McKay Noble claims. Recorded January 27th., 1921.

June 24th., 1921, R. T. Noble, files proof of labor on Colorado Grandee Group, for years ending December 31st., 1920, and 1921. Recorded June 27th., 1921.

June 24th., 1921, R. T. Noble, files proof of labor on the Grizzly Gr up, for years ending December 31st., 1920, and 1912. Recorded June 27th., 1921.

September 18th., 1921, Notice of Forfeiture from Leslie R. & R. T. Noble, to R. J. Pemberthy et al, on Colorado Grande, Grizzly Groups, consisting of Colorado Grande No. 1, Colorado Grande, No. 2, and Colorado Grande No. 3; Grizzly, Hillside, Lucky Boy, Lucky Strike, Albion Fraction, Star, Horn Silver, Greenhorn, La Croix, and Hillside No. 2. Recorded January 13, 1922.

January 9th., 1922, Affidavit of Publication by F. H. Triplett, of Notice of Forfeiture to R. J. Pemberthy, E. A. P. Johnson, and Charles A. Stone, commencing with issue dated September 24th., 1921, and ending with the issue dated December 24th., 1921. Recorded January 13, 1922.

August 22nd., 1923, R. T. Noble, files proof of labor on the Colorado Grande No. 1, et al, consisting of the Colorado Grande Nos. 1, 2 and 3, for the year ending June 30th., 1923. Recorded August 24, 1923.

August 22nd., 1923, R. T. Noble, files proof of labor on Hillside et al, for year ending June 30, 1923. Recorded August 24, 1923.

December 15th., 1923, Affidavit for Forfeiture of Co-owners L.R. & R. T. Noble ~~xxxx~~ to R. J. Pemberthy et al, for the expenditure on the following mining claims: Colorado Grandee No. 1, Colorado Grandee No. 2, and Colorado Grandee No. 3. Recorded December 17th., 1923.

July 30th., 1924, R. T. Noble, files proof of labor on the Colorado Grande Nos. 1, et al, consisting of Colorado Grande Nos. 1, 2 and 3. Recorded August 1st., 1924.

July 30th., 1924, R. T. Noble, files proof of labor on Hillside et al, mining claims consisting of Hillside, Grizzly, Lucky Strike, Albion Fraction, Star, Greenhorn, Horn Silver, La Croix, Lucky Boy and McKay Noble, for year ending June 30th., 1924. Recorded August 1st., 1924.

June 25, 1925, R. T. Noble, files proof of labor on Hillside et al mining claims consisting of Hillside, Lucky Boy, Lucky Strike, Star, Albion Fraction, Grizzly, Horn Silver, Greenhorn, La Croix and McKay Noble, mining claims. Recorded June 27th., 1925.

June 27, 1925, Leslie R. Noble, files proof of labor on Colorado Grandees Nos. 1, 2 and 3, for the year ending June 30th., 1925, recorded June 30th., 1925.

June 27, 1927, W. H. Englebright, files proof of labor on Colorado Grande No. 1, et al mining claims consisting of Colorado Grandes Nos. 1, 2 and 3. Recorded June 29th., 1927.

No date-----Leslie R. Noble and C. Albion Stone, by R. T. Noble file notice of desire to hold mining claim, on Hillside Lode, Lucky Boy, Grizzly, Lucky Strike, Star, Albion Fraction, Greenhorn, Horn Silver, La Croix, known as Grizzly Group. Recorded December 26, 1918.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

May 7th., 1928.

be good enough to take to the mill shortly.

Elko Prince

Drifting both north and south has been resumed on the June Bell vein. This work had to be suspended during the erection of your 70 foot under-ground head frame at the Elko Prince shaft. The head frame has been completed and the self-dumping mechanism and ore bin is now being constructed. The electric hoist for this shaft is being overhauled.

Colorado Grande Mine.

The Gabbart cross cut to the Colorado Grande vein has been cleaned out and re-timbered where necessary. The south drift has been re-timbered to the face and a drift is being advanced westerly close to the andersite-ryolite contact.

Your manager is closing a new agreement with the Noble interests to permit your Company to mill any ore that is above the Gabbart tunnel level. This is a great improvement on the existing agreement.

REX MINE

The southerly drive is being advanced in the harder formation; parallel to the old workings. There is nothing of importance to report at this place.

Eighty four men are now employed by your Company. They are distributed as follows:

Jackson - Grant Mine	- 26	Colorado Grande Mine	- 2
Missing Link - St. Paul Mine ..	- 17	Mine General	- 2
Elko Prince Mine	- 12	Mill	- 13
Rex Mine	- 2	Power Houses (Mine & Mill) ..	- 5
Assaying and Engineering ..		- 2	
Office & Superintendency ..		- 2	

Your Manager has secured the services of Mr. Eric Schrader, who is a geologist of note, and an able mine manager. Mr. Schrader has had a world of experience in the west and is thoroughly familiar with the mines and geology of the Gold Circle Mining District. He was in charge of the operations at the Colorado Grande that were carried on by the Tonopah Mining Co. He saw the large segment of primary high grade gold ore that was encountered in sinking the Tonopah winze, that I told you about during my recent visit in Boston.

Your's very truly,

Bus

May 7th., 1928.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

During April your mill treated an average of 72 tons per day of ore that averaged \$11.30 per ton. An operating profit of \$1800.00 was made on \$8.00 heads for the month of March. For the first six days of May, the average mill heads were \$14.20, and the average daily tonnage was 74.

Jackson-Grant Mine

The higher grade ore is coming from a recently discovered north-raking branch of the Grant-Jackson No. 1 pay shoot. It is hoped that this will prove to be the main downward extension of this shoot of ore. We are mining some ore at this working place that assays \$100.00 per ton.

A winze that is being sunk from the 165 level on the No. 2 pay shoot is showing up ore of good grade. The winze is being sunk to determine the downward extent of this ore before driving the 220 level north to get under it.

The west cross cut from the 165 level has entered the vein we have been cross-cutting for. We will continue until the main foot wall is found and will then drift northerly.

The tunnel level drift is going ahead at the rate of four feet per day. No ore is expected until the narrow neck of andersite is cut through.

Missing Link - St. Paul Mine.

A second raise is being started from the 300 south to connect up with the recently advanced 200 south. This should be on ore most of the way. Better ventilation has to be had to push work on the 300 south level.

The north drift on the 200 level is being advanced on ore. The north drift on the 100 level is again in milling ore. The 100 south level (under the St. Paul) is again entering a "stringer" zone and we hope that this will

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To The Shareholders of

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES:

This is the announcement referred to in the letter from the Trustees dated May 14, 1935, in which it was stated that the undersigned, R. L. Bohlman & Co., had been making efforts to refinance the Company and that announcement of the results of such efforts would be made as soon as possible.

About eighteen months ago we undertook an investigation of the affairs of the Company, with the view to securing such additional capital, if in our opinion such investigation should justify such new financing. The investigation entailed a careful analysis of the Company's history and present financial condition, a study of the Company's mining properties and plants, of the Company's mining prospects, and the additional capital required in connection therewith. As a result of this examination, we felt that the situation warranted the making of determined efforts on our part to obtain the necessary financing.

After many months of continuous effort, we finally succeeded in interesting a responsible financial group in the affairs of the Company and the formulation of an appropriate plan of Re-organization. In accordance with this plan, a Nevada Corporation by the name of Gold & Silver Circle Mines, Inc. was formed with an authorized capital of 4,000,000 shares, of which 1,250,000 shares have been issued to the Trustees of Gold Circle Consolidated Mines upon the transfer of the properties of the Gold Circle Consolidated Mines to the new Corporation. (The Plan of Reorganization provides that these shares are to be distributed to you in exchange for your present shares on the basis of one of the new for two of the old shares one year after the effective date of the Registration of the new stock under the Federal Securities Act). Six hundred and seventy-five thousand shares of the new Corporation have been issued to provide for the payment or discharge of the debts of the Gold Circle Consolidated Mines and to pay all of the expenses of the Re-organization. Additional working capital in the sum of \$75,000 (plus a contingent reserve of \$25,000 additional), and which amount the Company's management deemed adequate in view of the payment or discharge of all old company indebtedness, has been received by the new Corporation as a loan from Colettie, Ltd., a corporation formed for such purpose. This loan is for one year; is secured by a first mortgage on the properties of the new Corporation, and is to be amortized out of a percentage of the mining receipts of the new Corporation and a percentage of receipts from exercise of stock options. It is believed that these provisions make ample provision for repayment in full of the loan well within the year. Options on the remaining unissued stock of the new Corporation have been granted to Colettie, Ltd. in consideration of the making of this loan, and to R. L. Bohlman & Co. and F. P. Robert, the Managers under the Re-organization Plan, for their services in connection with said plan.

Registration papers are in process of preparation for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission in Washington and as soon as is deemed advisable after the federal registration shall have become effective, it is planned to make application for listing the stock of the new Corporation on the Toronto Stock Exchange, and at a later date, on a New York Exchange.

As a result of this Re-organization your interest in the old Company, which faced a discouraging prospect because of its heavy indebtedness and lack of funds, has come to represent an interest in a new Corporation, which owns the properties free and clear of all debts (except the mortgage securing the new cash working capital), and which working capital should be sufficient to enable the new Corporation to proceed with the proper development of its mining properties. We therefore believe that the new Corporation is starting its operations on a sound basis and with reasonable prospects for highly successful and satisfactory results. We plan to keep in close touch with the management; to endeavor to have accurate and up-to-date information at all times; and sincerely desiring to co-operate with the stockholders, to keep you informed from time to time of important future developments.

Very truly yours,

R. L. BOHLMAN & CO.

July 5, 1935.

Burt

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July 23, 1927.

Hon. Noble H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Noble:

I did not immediately reply to your letter because the one that I had just sent answered your inquiries as much as was possible up to now.

I believe we shall have all the funds on time so that there will be no need of increasing overdrafts there or of using any more money from the other account. Our subscriptions are satisfactory and collections are fair. It is this that we must speed up, and of course, we must increase the subscriptions. Just make sure that the information keeps coming.

The first pouring was reported by telegraph as being \$18,000.00, and by the Nevada Mining Press as being \$22,000.00, but the settlement as shown by the sheet from the Smelting Company was only \$13,064.11. The telegraphic estimate of the second pouring was \$18,000.00, and we have received no further information regarding that nor have we received any information of what the third pouring amounted to.

Of course, I am ignorant about all mining affairs that have not come within my experience, but I want to ask some questions. Have we no way of checking up on the Smelter? You have a pretty clear idea of what the concentrates you ship from Betty O'Neal to the Smelter are worth. Is it not possible and practicable to make assays that would show you the value of the pouring? Otherwise, it would seem that we are at the mercy of the Smelter with no check whatsoever.

Please be sure that information keeps coming. We really need about the same information that the General Manager needs, and it would help so tremendously. We don't ask you to manufacture news, simply routine reports are practically as useful. When people ask questions and we have to say "I don't know" it always hurts the prospects of a sale. If we have regular routine reports up to date we never have to say "I don't know."

With best regards,

Very truly yours,

FEN/HMS

[Signature]
George W. Sias

Messrs. Sias & Nye - 3rd.

July 29, 1927.

which will be awkward as we cannot close down to do it. It means the purchase of two tanks, one of which as a temporary job will have to be set up outside the mill building; then, we can take down the one now in place and substitute one four feet larger in diameter. The other mistake we have already rectified. The compressor for agitation was just half the size required. We ordered larger valves, etc., changed the engine around on the same base giving us the required amount of air without a closedown. Everything else of vital importance was alright although we have made several changes since the mill started.

I think we will have to adapt the old cousin-jack method of stripping the vein and taking the ore down clean wherever it is narrow. This will have a tendency to raise the heads as otherwise too much waste is broken with the ore. I am very confident that we will be able to get the heads up to \$20.00 and hold them there so that our original plans will materialize just as we figured, and, by the time we begin to get ore from both the Elko Prince and Rex properties, it will help us a great deal.

There is no question as to the merit of the property, good grade milling ore and a long life ahead of us; we will realize all that we had hoped for and be sitting pretty when we are once out of debt and have all the property payments made.

The only thing that has concerned me in the least was the large property payments coming due in August, but, since the receipt of your last letter assuring me that these would be taken care of, I now feel altogether different for the rest is easy.

With kind personal regards, I am

As ever,

Messrs. Sias & Nye: - 2nd.

July 29, 1927.

Our millheads have been a disappointment to both Englebright and myself. Beginning back to the time of Chapman's sampling the results showed a large quantity of broken \$40.00 ore. When we sent Englebright over there I had him take a great number of samples to check up on Chapman, and, in a great number of cases, his samples check Chapman's very closely. When we got to actually milling, these values dropped to a third of what the sampling showed in some cases. I returned from Gold Circle a few days ago and went over the whole situation. The biggest part of this difference we cannot explain. I think a part of it is due to getting too much waste mixed in with the ore through cutting a large number of chute pockets which have been necessary. At the Link the vein is very narrow and a great deal of waste has to be broken to get a stoping width. Sorting at the mill is helping us considerably. For the past five days our heads have averaged \$15.00 and we think we have a good chance of gradually getting them up to \$20.00.

Recently when in Hidas I went over the Hutchison property's samples and reports. You will remember that Chapman reported a large quantity of \$350. ore and a larger quantity of \$35.00 ore exposed by our shaft. We find that there is but eighteen feet of the shaft that assays \$22.00. The rock is extremely hard and I have decided to make no further payments on the Hutchison and the Monahan-Macy property that adjoins it. I feel that it is better to lose the money we have put in than to throw good money after it. This will cut down our liabilities by \$25,000.

We are considerably handicapped by the smallness of both the Link and Grant shafts, also by the slowness of gasoline hoists in both instances. The shafts will have to be enlarged and electric hoists installed. Of course we don't have to do this right now yet the sooner it is done our costs will be less.

Jones made two mistakes in the mill. ^{the} The clarifying tank being altogether too small and will have to be changed

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Betty O'Neal, Nevada,
July 29, 1927.

Messrs. Sias & Nye,
#68 Devonshire St.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Partners in Crime:-

In reporting \$22,000.00 as the initial cleanup at Midas, this was merely a guess by the newspaper man. When I wired you it was \$18,000.00 this same newspaper man was standing at my elbow on my return from Midas. Englebright and I knew it would be something over \$13,000.00 from the assays, and, of course, when you received the smelter return I figured that you would know that the first report was newspaper stuff only. The telegraphic estimate on the second pouring as sent by Englebright stated \$16,000.00, not \$18,000.00, at which time the assays had not been run on the bullion; therefore, he made as close a guess as possible. Regarding the third pouring which has not come off yet but will take place on August first, the estimate for this will be thirty to thirty one thousand dollars. You must also remember there is at all times at least \$10,000. in process in the circuit going through the mill.

Regarding a close check on the bullion each bar is drilled and the drillings assayed. We check with the smelter within \$50.00 on each of the lots shipped so far.

So that you would have a fair operating statement that your salesmen could use, we threw the entire production which actually began on May 23rd all into the month of June. This gave a head value of \$16.77 per ton as shown on operating statements mailed you yesterday. Our mill heads were actually a little better than \$12.00 per ton and they have only averaged \$12.50 per ton up to five (5) days ago. For the past five days we have been able to keep them between \$15.00 and \$16.00. Englebright from time to time has mailed you copies of daily mill assay returns. These were picked from days when the millheads were around \$16.00 to \$20.00 a ton. He did not send you any of the nine and ten dollar days. This was not done with any intent to fool you. Our idea was to send you something that your salesmen could use.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

May 25th., 1927

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Location	Width	Cut	Gold	Oz. Silver	Value
50' South Shaft	1'	0"	2.00	7.00	5.50
55' "	"	0' 1"	21.60	21.50	32.35
60' "	"	0' 1"	41.60	31.60	87.40
65' "	"	1' 6"	3.60	13.20	10.20
70' "	"	1' 3"	9.20	36.20	27.30
75' "	"	1' 1"	48.00	104.90	100.45

Very truly yours,

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Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

All mechanical adjustments in your new mill have been made and every piece of equipment is functioning perfectly. It is very rarely that a mill starts off and operates mechanically 100% within two weeks.

Our grinding has been whipped into shape, and we are now getting thru approximately seventy-five tons per day. The balancing of our mill solutions is progressing nicely, and we think that another four or five days will see your mill operating like an old timer. It was gratifying to learn upon getting the assay returns yesterday from our first bunch of mill samples that we are making a 94% recovery. This was entirely unexpected. Up to a few days ago, we were busy on the mechanical adjustments, and made no attempt to do anything to aid recovery. The writer expected only about 60% extraction when our first samples were taken.

The following table gives the results of our sampling of the first seventy-five feet of the newly de-watered 300 South Level of your Missing Link mine. Please note that the results show the values to average about \$40.00 per ton (with silver at 50¢ per ounce).

Location	Width Cut	#Gold	Oz Silver	\$Value
At Shaft	2' 2"	9.60	23.50	21.35
5' South Shaft	1' 8"	8.00	27.80	21.90
10' " "	8"	4.80	11.70	10.65
15' " "	6"	55.60	78.10	94.65
20' " "	5"	31.20	79.20	70.80
25' " "	1' 5"	11.60	91.20	57.20
30' " "	1' 7"	8.80	12.90	15.20
35' " "	1' 7"	2.00	7.20	5.60
40' " "	1' 0"	7.60	31.30	23.25
45' " "	2' 0"	21.60	58.00	60.60

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

March 24th., 1928.

MISSING LINK - ST. PAUL MINE

Stoping operations are being carried on at the following levels:
300 South - 200 South - 100 North - Development drifts are being driven from the 100 North and 100 South levels. We have a fine streak of high grade ore in the 100 South. (We are driving for the Rico #4 pay shoot). Picked samples assay as high as \$1500.00 per ton.

GRANT - JACKSON MINE

Development work is being carried on from the tunnel level North and from the 220 level South. A hanging wall vein above the 165 level is producing a good grade of ore. Some face samples assay \$500.00.

Your's very truly,

B. C.

March 24th., 1928.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is a synopsis of what is being done at your several mines:

ELKO PRINCE MINE

Drifts North and South are being driven on the June Bell vein from the 600 level. The best showing at the present time is to the North. Here the vein is four (4) feet in thickness, and shows some values. The known pay-shoot on the June Bell vein is to the South.

The ore pocket at the shaft on the 600 level is completed and the timber is now being framed for the underground bin at the collar of the shaft (underground), so that self-dumping skips can be used. We are now ordering the timber for the surface ore bin at the Prince.

COLORADO GRANDE MINE

A few days ago, work was started to clean out the Gabbart cross-cut which cuts the Colorado Grande vein approximately 200 feet in depth. Approximately 70 feet has to be retimbered before drifting to the North will be started. Your Manager made arrangements with Gabbart to use this tunnel, which will be of benefit to your Company. A little later the cross-cut will be driven further into the ridge. Some very high grade ore was exposed by the Tonopah Mining Company in their operations, prior to Governor Miller's death. (Governor Miller was president of Tonopah Mines).

REX MINE

A few days ago a more solid encountered on the North drift we are running, and consequently no timbering is now necessary. This work has been fought through under very difficult conditions. In fact, "bottom" has had to be taken up six times in one section due to the "swelling" ground.

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March 2nd., 1928.

American Smelting & Refining Company
444 California St.,
San Francisco,
California.

Gentlemen:

We are shipping tomorrow by prepaid express from Battle Mountain, Nevada the following:

Bullion Bars #81 - 82 - 83 - 84.

Two (2) Sacks, containing 140 lbs. of fine matt which runs about 600 fine silver.

Please credit the account of the Battle Mountain State Bank with the Wells Fargo Bank and Union Trust Company at Market & Montgomery Sts., San Francisco.

Send one copy of the settlement sheet to the General Manager, N. H. Getchell at Batty O'Neal, Nevada; and the rest to the Gold Circle Consolidated Mines at Midas, Nevada.

Very truly yours,

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Feb. 25th., 1928

Grant-Jackson Mine	22 men
Missing Link- St. Paul Mine	22 men
Elko Prince Mine	7 Men
Rex Mine	2 men
Mill & Mine Power Houses	5 men
Mill	14 men
Surface	3 men
Office & Superintendency	2 men
Lessees	4 men

Total Men Employed

81.

Yours very truly,

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February 25th., 1928.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

The warmer weather has bettered conditions at our mill greatly. So far this month we have averaged 83 tons per day. This is eight tons better than the average for the past two months, which was the extreme cold weather period.

At your Missing Link Mine, we are drifting southerly to get under the Rico #4 Lease pay shoot. The showing in the face of the drift is encouraging, as assays from \$7.00 to \$8.00 are being obtained. We have three hundred feet yet to run to reach our objective. Please note the fine grade of ore the Rico #4 Lease is producing. The lot milled during January assayed 5.46 oz. gold and 202. oz silver; giving a total value of over \$220.00 per ton. The St. Paul pay shoot is being drifted through the 200 south drift, and the slutes put in preparatory to stoping.

At your Grant Jackson Mine, we are mining and milling ore from north of the Donovan shaft; on tunnel level. A connection has been mad from this level so that the ore comes out and dumps directly into the mill bins.

At your Elko Prince Mine, a machine drill is driving the 600 June Beal crosscut ahead. And the work of re-timbering the Elko Prince shaft below the 600 level is progressing nicely. The newly erected compressor plant at the Prince is operating satisfactorily.

At your Rex Mine, the drift to the north is going along slowly due to the difficult ground. Better progress is now being made because we have left the old workings and are running in the hanging-wall rock. We have 60 feet to go to reach our objective.

We have men on the pay-roll distributed as follows:

June 1st. Mill Assays

Pulps : May 31st.

	Au	Oz. ag.
Ball Mill Discharge -----	\$10.60	7.73
Classifier Overflow -----	.40	3.66
Agitator No. 1 -----	.40	1.08
" No. 2 -----	.20	.72
" No. 3 -----	.08	.34
Diaphragm Pump No. 1 -----	.40	2.56
" " No. 2 -----	.20	.64
" " No. 3 -----	.08	.34
" " NO. 4 -----	.04	.27
Tailings -----	.04	.31

Solutions: May 31st.

Pregnant Solution -----	1.28	1.05
Ball Mill Discharge -----	4.40	1.78
Grinding Solution -----	.36	1.05
Thickener No. 1 -----	1.20	1.06
" No. 2 -----	.48	1.07
" No. 3 -----	.12	.68
" No. 4 -----	.08	.28
Barren Solution -----	.02	trace

Ball Mill Moisture ----- 35%
 Calculated head (From ball mill discharged pulp, Grinding Solution, and
 Ball mill discharge solution) with 50% silver, \$17.28

Tonnage milled - 61
 Extraction Gold ----- 99.7%
 " Silver ----- 96.7%

Combined extraction ----- 98.8%

(Head \$17.28 - Tailings \$0.20)

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Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

The operation of your new milling plant has been going along very smoothly. The head values, as well as the tonnage milled, is being gradually increased.

Enclosed find mill data sheet of June 1st. Please note that sixty-one tons of \$17.28 ore was milled, that an extraction of 99.7% was made on gold and 96.7% on silver. Our combined gold and silver extraction was 98.8%. You will note from the pulp assays that the gold goes into solution very rapidly. From a \$12.60 gold head, \$2.00 was extracted in the ball mill, and an additional \$10.20 taken out in the tube mill and classifier. That is, from a \$12.60 gold head, only 0.40 in gold remained in the pulp when it left the grinding circuit.

On a one day trial run for fine grinding, we had no difficulty in getting eighty tons through the mills. From this test we feel certain that within a very short time we will be able to step the tonnage up to around one hundred tons per day. We have been going slow on the tonnage, as your manager wishes the extraction kept as good as possible, and to do this, the tonnage must be increased gradually.

At the present time, and for the next few months, about two thirds of the ore milled will come from the Grant and Jackson, and one third from the Missing Link Mines. We will hold the heads between \$20.00 and \$25.00. The large tonnage of broken ore in the Grant-Jackson and Missing Link mines, as well as the dumps, gives us a very flexible system.

We are now starting a stope on the No. 2 North pay shoot exposed by the 165 North drift on the Jackson. Our first car samples obtained from the material blasted out for the double chute assayed \$27.00 gold and 90 ounces silver.

Mr. Kirschbaum, the construction foreman, and his crew will be thru June 5th. Two men will be left behind to complete the odds and ends.

Yours very truly,

December 24, 1926

ing section is erected and nearly all of the corrugated iron covering for the main (cyanide) section is on. The new 21,000 gallon oil tank for power-house fuel storage is completed and oil is now being hauled from Red House.

The bad storms and zero weather has not interfered a great deal with the mill construction and none at all with the operation of your mines.

Your's very truly,

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

March 13th, 1935.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Riverside,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Your letter of the 11th enclosing Knapp's check received to-day. There being no money in town to cash it, I am sending it to Adams for deposit to your account and will draw for the full amount.

I tried to get to Camp Chase yesterday, but got stuck in the mud where Claude was hung up that time, and after spending about two hours there, gave it up and came back. Tar came in to-day because he had struck much better looking ore in the face. He said it came in on a slip and now fills the drift; about two feet of oxidized stuff and two feet of sulphides which is something new. He does not expect to be able to get back with the car for several days as the foothills are just a bog with no bottom. If it stays as warm as it has been the last two days, we should be able to get in by Sunday when I think I will try it again. Smith will run ten samples on it to-morrow, three from the face and seven from the hanging-wall that Fred had them drill.

I forgot to mention that the Hertfelder's and Barredo's had been having some more trouble. It appears to have started over Bill's dog being sick and vomiting on the porch of the house next door to him. I gather from what Bill had to say about it that they both cussed each other out and etc, but did not come to blows. He wanted to get it all fixed up and straightened out in his way so to get him off the subject, I told him I would write you about it, but under no consideration would I say or do anything about it, one way or the other, unless you told me to mix up in it. I helped him make out an income tax report which was the primary reason for his trip.

We started to save the ore from the bottom of the shaft at the Knapp Lease as it averages about \$7.10 across the 4 feet on the hanging wall side of the shaft.

I am having a hell of a time at present with Pat Murphy and Ed Oldham. Ed's mother called him and said that Joe McNamara told her that if Ed wanted to get his money he had better file with the rest of the bunch, that they had a cinch to get their money right away, but that if he did not go with the bunch he might have a harder time getting it. Ed told Pat about it all and this morning they both came to see me at once, saying they might as well lay their cards on the table, and asked me what I thought about putting in their claims with the bunch. I told them I had as much coming as both of them put together, but

that I was not putting in any claim with that bunch or any other bunch until I knew there was absolutely no hope of making a go of it. That I could not understand why anyone would want to ball up the works when we had better prospects than we have had for some time. That I would be glad to let them know if and when I put in a claim, but that I still felt the same as when I started and would see it through, and hope and trust that those who did put in claims could not wreck things. I asked them what they thought they would have when they did get judgement for their claim, and they had to admit that they did not know where they stood. However, they are still on the fence and may jump either way.

Another aspect of the situation is brought into the picture by a letter Tex Garrett wrote Barney Finkle. Barney showed me the letter, and said he would not enter into it at all. Garrett had a reply from Secretary Perkins, Washington, and from the Labor Commissioner, Carson, and he told Barney that they both told him there was no two ways about it that those who had their claims in would get their money at once. He also said that Joe McNamara said the same, and that Barney and Loyd Allred would probably be called or rather subpoenaed when the trial came up in the next few days. Barney wrote him to the effect that he would not appear in their behalf, that he would not join them and would attend to his own business. Bert has not said anything about it so I presumed that you had the situation in hand through Robbins for the present and that Joe McNamara had to tell them something encouraging to appease them while he let it slide.

Trusting that Robbins doesn't throw you down, and that we can pay them off in time to make them pay the costs, I am,

With sincere best wishes,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Chas.", with a long, sweeping underline.

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December 24, 1926.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed find copies of Assay Sheets from Dec. 19th., to the 23rd. We have been making a special study of the ore body now being mined at your Missing Link mine during the past week; which accounts for most of the samples being taken at that mine. An average assay value of the ore above the individual chutes with the silver values rated at 50¢ per ounce, is as follows:

B chute	\$25.00	C chute	\$20.00	D chute	\$14.00
E "	15.00	F "	18.00	G "	30.00
H "	69.00	I "	66.00	J "	30.00

This gives an average value of \$32.00 per ton for the ore from this portion of the pay shoot.

The South Drift (continuing into the St. Paul property) is in good milling ore; assaying \$21.76 per ton.

As soon as air is available, so that power drills can be used, this drive will be pushed ahead. The North Drift on the same level (now being driven by hand) has averaged \$17.70 per ton since December 19th., and higher values can be expected shortly.

Our 526 cubic foot capacity air compressor and the engine to drive the same, will be ready for operation in about ten days. The Link shaft will be de-watered to the No.2 level by air pumps, in accordance with your manager's plans, so that mining can be started on this level.

The mill construction work continues to be pushed ahead with all possible speed. The frame work of the fine grind-

B. L. M.

December 16, 1926.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

Today will about complete the "sheeting" of the cyanide section of your new mill. You will remember that the building will be sheeted with 1 in. by 12 in. lumber, and have building paper between the lumber and corrugated iron for added warmth. The framing of the grinding section is completed and this smaller wing will be erected and sheeted before the corrugated iron is put on the main section.

The hauling to the power-house site of the heavy bed plate and crank shaft of your new full Diesel engine was accomplished without mishap. We waited until the roads were frozen before attempting this work. The large car of pipe has arrived from an eastern pipe factory to be used for water supply from the Elko Prince spring to the new main water supply tank situated 245 feet (vertical) above the mill; from the supply tank to the mill; and from the Link shaft to the mill. The water supply system is being put in, in accordance with underwriter's regulations, so that low insurance rates can be obtained. Your manager has so laid out this system so there will be 100% water pressure at the Link shaft, the Grant shaft, and also the mill and power-house.

We are re-conditioning a 526 cubic foot air compressor at the Link, which we expect to have in operation by the end of December. This will supply air to be used in de-watering the Link shaft and Grant shafts to the second levels, and furnish air for machine drills at the Link mine.

Please note from assay sheet mailed you Dec. 14th., that the ore we are stoping and storing pending the completion of your mill, at both your Link and Grant mines is running over forty dollars (\$40) per ton with silver value figured at 50¢ per ounce.

Your's very truly,

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

November 6th, 1933.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Senator:-

Your letter of the 3rd received to-day,
and glad to note that things are going satisfactorily.

No, your account was not included in the labor owing or the bills payable. Since your account assumed large proportions, I have been carrying it more as a capital account and not as an operating expense. This was in view of the fact that we were not operating most of this time, and although it was charged each month, it does not show as a bill payable, but as N. H. Getchell Account Payable. The balance of your account as of the 1st of November is \$41,621.93. I have not been able to put in more than three or four hours on the books since you left, but each day have been expecting to get a good days work in when I find more pressing things to do. I really can account for my time, but it will wait until you get home, and haven't anything else to think about. I think it has been well spent and that I can catch up on the office work later. I have kept all correspondence up to date, and everything in general is going fine.

I suppose you saw the letter where I said \$15,500.00 worth of bullion was shipped the 1st. The press now has approximately \$7,600.00 in it; all of which has been precipitated since Oct. 30th. Fred is figuring on shipping again the 15th.

As stated before, don't worry about us out here as everything is going fine.

Respectfully yours,

Chas.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

February 11th, 1935.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Riverside,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Enclosed please find the settlement of the Knapp Lease ore for Lots 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. As you will note, I paid the wages and deducted same from settlement sheet, calling Claude's labor the same as the others so there is nothing left for you to pay. I made out this adjustment sheet so you would readily see what was due you. I did not seal the letter to Knapp so you can look it over and mail it to him. This is the only way I could do it without showing your interest.

Fred returned Saturday, and seems to be depressed from Carlisle's reactions, but said there is a possibility that he will make a report in such a way that if the money is spent as recommended it would be worth putting up just so much. In other words not an unfavorable report, but at the same time, not too good. Fred is going out to Camp Chase to-morrow to make the survey, and said he would spend two days there, make the map the next day and take it to Reno with him Friday to see you. He is pretty sore about the pay day, and in order to partly satisfy him, I told him we could make it 11% and barely have enough left for a small car of oil, but there are several items that were stretched quite a bit in the way I doped it out for his benefit. He wanted to make this pay day like the one Christmas; 15% for the workers and 10% for those who had quit, but I said that I had been bawled out enough for doing it last time when we had a good excuse to do it and that I would not be a party to such arrangements again when we did not have the excuse. By and large, we are getting along fine.

It is snowing here now and looks like it may mean business. It may be that Fred will not go to-morrow if it keeps up at the present rate.

With kindest regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

Chas.

N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

F. W. VARNEY
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

October 27th, 1933.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Senator:-

Well, another pay day is over and everything is running smoothly again. The dissenting vote spoken of in Fred's letter was cast by Frank Smith and he laid off two days, during which time I did the assaying. However, he is again back at work, and I believe feeling alright.

When I did not get an immediate answer from you to my wire, I changed the pay roll to fit the funds available and by being careful will be able to order another car of fuel oil at once, I had to order a motor for Fred which will cost \$250.00 at Salt Lake, but it will not be delivered for two weeks.

As you know, I was in Elko Monday. Primeaux could not handle any checks and could not get any cash from the bank so I went in and got \$2,500.00 which I let him use and issued checks for everything; then, had him return it in a check and redeposited it less the amount paid to him.

We received only \$784.57 besides the advance on the bullion so you can readily see how we are pressed. I will forward the lease settlements to Mr. Dolley next mail.

Was glad to hear from Mrs. Getchell to-day, of your safe arrival.

Respectfully yours,



GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

March 4th, 1935.

Dear Senator:-

The part of the expenses that must be paid amounts to \$301.91; Labor \$237.75 and Dyer for timber \$64.16. Jim's half will be \$183.96, leaving your part \$117.95. If you will send me your checks I can handle it or if you prefer you can make out the checks for the labor as listed and one to Dyer for the \$64.16.

I had a letter from Nye to-day saying that they would probably wire me for February data any day and asking if I could be ready to shoot it out without notice.

Fred told me he was leaving for the Philipines as soon as he could get away, and thinks he will leave here the 9th, Saturday. He has told everyone that he believes it will be sixty or ninety days before we get the money, and it has discouraged what few there are left, but it may not be such a bad influence at that as it may be longer than I had imagined it would. I told Art that I thought it was Fred's own opinion and that there was a very good chance to get it in half that time as I saw it.

Fred is going to make the survey to-morrow if the weather is not too severe so I will not go over now. Tar will send the test sample by Fred, and will take it from some of the places he knows is ore. The footwall samples mentioned in my other letter did not run; one going \$2.36 and the rest below a dollar.

I would like to get started on the Link shaft as soon as I can after Fred leaves if it meets with your approval as there are only three men left besides Claude and they could work to a good advantage there. At present Mosley and Parr and Elder are the pumping and hoisting crew at the Prince, but I could take one of them, and Kelsey and Allred who are working on the Martin ground. How much work do you think we could get by with up there?

I am enclosing a copy of the letter pertaining to the Knapp Lease so you will have one for Jim.

Sincerely,



GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

February 1st, 1935.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Riverside,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

If you will forward the enclosed letter from Hildebrand & Warren to Bert Castle with instructions as to whether or not you care to exercise your option he can correct the names on the proofs of labor. He wrote me a letter asking about these claims as the law firm above mentioned had also written to him.

Also enclosing a copy of my letter to Nye to-day which explains things, but will allow us 6 or 7 hundred to go on above the pay day.

The Knapp lease still continues to look very good. They have sunk the winze about 7 feet in the best part of the ore, but we have had no samples for the past three days as Smith has not been running. The last sample was a bucket sample of about three tons that ran \$64.58. Smith will run to-morrow which will tell us more about it. The ratio of silver to gold has increased to about 40 to 1 now, much the same as in some of the higher grade stuff closer to the surface that came in the hard blue quartz.

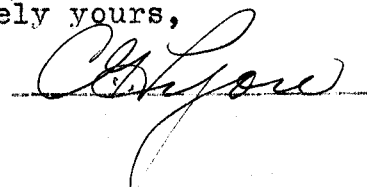
Tar Chase came in to-day and was in a rush to get some money to go buy provisions with so I made out his check for \$60.00 and Dave Clancy's for \$112.00 making in all \$172.00 on your personal account.

I can take care of the car and truck payments here, but will call you up before you receive this letter to find out about it.

Tar said they were in about 40 feet with the drift and samples that have been run do not show up too well. \$9.52, \$5.60 and \$2.97 taken across the face about 10 feet apart. I have them out of order here though; the \$5.60 was taken first then the \$9.52 and about 30 feet in-the \$2.97. Fred is going out to make the survey and run the lines Tuesday as Tar said they would not go back until Monday. He brought in one sample which will be run to-morrow too.

With kindest regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,



March 4th, 1935.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Riverside,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

The following is a list of the expenses for February on the Knapp Lease.

Labor, O. Eckman,	\$115.50
Joe Horvath,	115.50
C. H. Getchell,	6.75
Timber and lagging,	64.16
Hauling timber,	15.00
Powder, fuse & caps,	24.25
Gasoline,	12.50
Accident Insurance,	14.26
Total,	<hr/> \$367.92

The shaft is down 17 feet below the drift level today, which will probably seem to you to be very slow progress, but it represents only 15 shifts of actual sinking. The preparations ran into twice as much work as we had expected as the last 20 feet of the shaft had to be straightened by taking from one to two feet off the footwall and retimbering, and 30 feet on the south side of the shaft had to be lagged solid as the seepage from the surface caused continual shuffling. I can say for both of the men that they have been doing their best and putting an extra effort in their work to try to make a better showing as they know it does not sound so good on paper and you can not see what they have done. All of the work done has been essential, and there has been no wasted effort with the exception of a day and a half in getting timber as close to the mine as possible; we had to leave it in the last low saddle on the ridge as there was a drift just over the brow that was six or seven feet deep and a hundred feet long. All of this does not sound so good, but there is about \$500.00 worth of ore in the chute to help balance the budget. Two days were lost when Oscar had to make a trip to Battle Mountain in connection with the restaurant. Two samples taken yesterday ran \$6.05 and \$4.52 which is about the same as the last ones taken.

With kind personal regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,



GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

March 6th, 1935.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Riverside,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

It seems that Les Noble was stringing me along when he gave the impression that an extension of the agreement on the Colorado Grande would be favorably considered. When Fred and Oscar were on their way back, Les Noble met them and took in the town with them, got pretty well lit and spilled all he had in mind to Oscar. Oscar told Vic yesterday and Vic told me. He has been dealing with someone, and stated that it was in black and white, and that the 1st of June things would happen. Of course, I could not come right out and ask him, but still I think his trying to make me think it was alright was a little underhanded, and think while we were on the subject he could have at least said something about it.

Vic asked if the next time I wrote you, I would ask you if you would consider his application for the mill foremanship if and when things started up, and if favorable, if he could have the same house. He is anxious about the house because he believes the Primeaux family are figuring on the house they are living in for this Summer. I told him that I felt sure you would like to have him for mill foreman as you had always spoken highly of his ability in that line, but he wanted me to write anyway to forestall any other applicants, and to find out about the house.

With kindest regards, I am,

Sincerely,



GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

February 8th, 1935.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Riverside,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

I will make the Knapp settlement Monday, paying the labor with Company checks and deducting it from the net; also deducting the supplies and adding them to your check as if already paid by you, making your check 50% plus supplies.

Fred has not returned yet so I suppose they are making quite an extensive examination at the Betty.

When Fred talked to you I told him to say that there was no need of my calling you as I had taken care of the matter I was going to call you about. I meant the car and truck payments.

Samples from the lease are as follows;

Average of about 12tons of ore in bin,	\$55.54
Shovel sample of muck pile 1/30, in winze,	55.54
" " " " " 1/31, " "	17.27
" " " " " 2/1, bottom,	23.24

Smith has not assayed since the 2nd, but now we would not have any samples as the boys have been getting ready to do the sinking, taking off about a foot on the footwall for about 20 feet up from the present bottom, putting in timbers and lagging a bad spot at the upper cross cut that is sluffing due to the water running in from melting snow. The stope is sluffing too, six or seven tons having come down in the past two or three days.

Haven't heard anything from the East since I read your letter from Robert, but I sure hope Armsby went through with his idea of making the deal and then spending more money on Carlisle.

With kindest regards, and best wishes, I am,

Yours sincerely,

Chas.

May 10th, 1935.

J. E. Knapp,
Balboa Bldg.,
593 Market St.,
San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Jim:-

To-day, I spent a couple of hours in the Knapp Lease workings. The bottom of the shaft is in hard sulphide rock, and is in about 4 feet. Judging from where the ore left the shaft three sets above which ran \$35.00 a ton from the drill hole, it will be five or six feet further to reach the ore. There is no doubt but what they had a hell of a mess in sinking the last level. The melting snow, running through the stope and shaft made it very dangerous due to the fact that it was from eight to nine feet between walls and impossible to hold on account of so much moisture. The vein is now out of the gouge into the hanging wall and seems to be in place so it looks mighty good to me, and at the worst, it will only be a few more days until we have tapped it.

Enclosed please find statement for last month, and if I am not mistaken, we will make up for it all when the mill starts.

Yours sincerely,

NHG:L

January 14th, 1935.

J. E. Knapp,
Balboa Bldg.,
593 Market St.,
San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Jim:-

We were overcharged on the hauling last month as well as the month previous due to an error in the number of loads and the estimate of the weight of each load. Up to and including Lot #10 we have milled 535.260 tons which takes in December hauling. Up to and including Lot #10 we were charged \$336.50 for all hauling but the charge for the tonnage indicated above would be \$267.63 or a difference of \$68.87 to be refunded and I am enclosing my check for \$34.44 for your half of the rebate.

There will be five lots from the lease in the next settlement; four lots have already gone through the mill consisting of 182 tons and the fifth one is now being hauled which should be about fifty tons more. This will be the last ore to go to the mill for a while as we are closing down, and this is the last ore to go in.

I would give you more data, but Carlisle is here, and I am very busy with him. He came this morning, and will probably see the Knapp Lease to-morrow.

Yours sincerely,

NHG:L

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

March 1st, 1935.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Riverside,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Yours of the 27th received to-day.

I will start two men on the Martin ground at once and write Bert as instructed, also send him a copy of your letter to Mrs. Martin July 9th. Am enclosing a copy for your reference, too. The application for exemption was made at that time, but Bert said it was too late to file.

The boys are in about 70 feet with the drift at Camp Chase, and are now under the outcropping where we got the good sample. Our samples, up to within about 30 feet of the face did not run over \$5.00 at any time, but the rest of the distance has just been sampled and will not be run until Monday. I will go over again Tuesday and be able to tell more about it, but I do not think they are on the same part of the vein where we sampled on the surface. It appears to be to their right about twelve feet, judging from the character of the formation and comparing it with the surface showing. The porphyry has been showing up in spots here and there, but not at all consistent. As the drift progresses the formation becomes harder, probably due to the gain in depth. Tar was in to-day for their checks and I did the same as last time, drew on your personal account for \$160.00; hope I don't overdraw for you some of these times. Tar brought in three samples of the hanging wall, that is, the left wall, which he thinks is better looking than the drift. They will also be run Monday.

The samples from the Knapp lease have been steadily improving as we go down. When we started the entire shaft averaged \$1.50 and now averages \$5.35. We expect to be able to make ore out of it within the next couple of rounds.

I am sending the car and truck payments out to-day and enclosing a check to the Reno Garage for \$198.33 for January and February for you to do with as you please. I was not sure but that you might want to handle it differently.

I told Art how good everything was looking for the immediate closing of the deal, and now I have him on my neck all the time, wanting to know all about developments so if anything turns up that you can let me know about, it may keep me from pulling out all of my hair, and keep him from a nervous break-down.

Sincerely,

Chas. J.

Am asking Bert to send some checks direct to you for signing, but I may not need them until you return so don't send them until I send you an S.O.S. Chas.

SETTLEMENT SHEET

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

Lot No. **248**

Midas, Nevada, **Feb. 11th,** , 193**5.**

RECEIVED FROM **J. E. KNAPP LEASE, Lot #11.**

Colorado Grande

MINE

Gross Weight **17.695 tons** Less **10.3** % H₂O **1.823 tons** is **15.872 tons** Net Weight

ASSAY PER TON

EXTRACTION AND METAL PRICE

DEBITS

CREDITS

Gold **.20** ozs.

Less **10** % at \$ **34.91**

\$ **6.22**

Silver **3.4** ozs.

Less **15** % at \$ **.64-1/8¢**

1.85

15.872 tons @ \$8.07
is \$128.09 Net Gross.

Treatment Charge

2.88

Marketing Bullion at **21¢** oz.

.09

2.97

8.07

Value per Ton

\$ **5.10**

Value of **15.872 tons** s. at \$ **5.10** per Ton

\$ **80.95**

Less Royalty of **10** % of Net Gross,

12.81

Less Supplies

Net,

\$ **68.14**

PAYMENTS AS FOLLOWS:

Total of Lots #244 to 248 inclusive, **\$1,385.74**

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Ck. **#1879** to Osear Bakman, **\$ 85.55**

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Ck. **#1880** to Joe Horvath, **111.00**

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Ck. **#1881** to C.H. Getchell, **18.00** **214.55**

Balance to **J. E. Knapp, Ck. #1882**

\$ **1,171.19**

SETTLEMENT SHEET

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

Lot No **247**

Midas, Nevada, **Feb. 11th,** 19**35**.

RECEIVED FROM **J. E. KNAPP LEASE, Lot #10.**

Colorado Grande MINE

Gross Weigh **42.045 tons** Less **12.0** % H₂O **5.045 tons** is **37.0 tons.** Net Weight

ASSAY PER TON	EXTRACTION AND METAL PRICE	DEBITS	CREDITS
Gold .27 ozs.	Less 10 % at \$ 34.91		\$ 8.49
Silver 10.8 ozs.	Less 15 % at \$.64-1/8		5.89
37 tons @ \$14.38 is \$532.06 Net Gross.	Treatment Charge	2.88	
	Marketing Bullion at 2 1/2 oz.	.28	
		3.16	14.38
	Value per Ton		\$ 11.22

Value of **37 tons** lbs. at \$ **11.22** per Ton \$ **415.14**

Less Royalty of **10** % of Net Gross **53.21**

Less Supplies _____
Net, \$ **361.93**

PAYMENTS AS FOLLOWS:

Royalty _____ % to _____

Hauling _____ to _____

Balance _____ to _____

SETTLEMENT SHEET

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

Lot No. **246**

Midas, Nevada, **Feb. 11th,** 193 **5.**

RECEIVED FROM **J. E. KNAPP LEASE, LOT #9.**

Colorado Grande MINE

Gross Weight **54.507 tons** Less **12.7%** H₂O **6.922 tons** is **47.585 tons** Net Weight

ASSAY PER TON	EXTRACTION AND METAL PRICE	DEBITS	CREDITS
Gold .33 ozs.	Less 10 % at \$ 34.91		\$ 10.37
Silver _____ ozs.	Less 15 % at \$.64-1/8¢		4.96
47.585 tons @ \$15.33	Treatment Charge	2.88	
is \$729.48 Net Gross.	Marketing Bullion at 2 1/2 oz.	.24	
		3.12	15.33
	Value per Ton		\$ 12.21

Value of **47.585 tons** at \$ **12.21** per Ton **\$ 581.01**

Less Royalty of **10** % of Net Gross, **72.95**

Less Supplies _____

Net, \$ 508.06

PAYMENTS AS FOLLOWS:

Royalty _____ % to _____

Hauling _____ to _____

Balance _____ to _____

SETTLEMENT SHEET

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

Lot No. **245**

Midas, Nevada, **Feb. 11th,** , 193 **5.**

RECEIVED FROM **KNAPP LEASE , Lot #8.**

Colorado Grande. MINE

Gross Weight **61.068 tons** Less **13.1** % H₂O **8.0 tons** is **53.068 tons** Net Weight

ASSAY PER TON	EXTRACTION AND METAL PRICE	DEBITS	CREDITS
Gold .21 ozs.	Less 10 % at \$ 34.91		\$ 6.60
Silver 4.6 ozs.	Less 15 % at \$.64-1/8¢		2.51
	Treatment Charge	2.88	
53.068 tons @ \$9.11 1s \$483.45 Net Gross.	Marketing Bullion at 2 1/2 oz.	.12	
		3.00	9.11
	Value per Ton		\$ 6.11

Value of **53.068 tons** at \$ **6.11** per Ton **\$324.25**

Less Royalty of **10** % of Net Gross **48.35**

Less Supplies _____

Net, \$ 275.90

PAYMENTS AS FOLLOWS:

Royalty _____ % to _____

Hauling _____ to _____

Balance _____ to _____

SETTLEMENT SHEET

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

Lot No. 244

Midas, Nevada, Feb. 11th, 193 5.

RECEIVED FROM KNAPP LEASE, Lot #7.

Colorado Grande MINE

Gross Weight 39.359 tons Less 12.8% H₂O 5.038 tons is 34.321 tons Net Weight

ASSAY PER TON	EXTRACTION AND METAL PRICE	DEBITS	CREDITS
Gold <u>.22</u> ozs.	Less <u>10</u> % at \$ <u>34.91</u>		\$ <u>6.91</u>
Silver <u>3.6</u> ozs.	Less <u>15</u> % at \$ <u>.64-1/8¢</u>		<u>1.96</u>
	Treatment Charge	<u>2.88</u>	
	Marketing Bullion at <u>21¢</u> oz.	<u>.10</u>	
34.321 tons @ \$8.87 is \$304.43 Net Gross.			
		<u>2.98</u>	<u>8.87</u>
	Value per Ton		<u>5.89</u>

Value of 34.321 tons at \$ 5.89 per Ton \$ 202.15

Less Royalty of 10 % of Net Gross, 30.44

Less Supplies _____

Net, \$ 171.71

PAYMENTS AS FOLLOWS:

Royalty _____ % to _____

Hauling _____ to _____

Balance _____ to _____

J. E. KNAPP LEASE

ADJUSTMENT OF SETTLEMENT OF LOTS #7 to #11 INCLUSIVE.

Check #1782 in settlement of Lots 7 to 11 incl. issued \$1,171.19
to J. E. Knapp.

Amount paid by N. H. Getchell;

Labor adv. to O. Eekman,	\$ 25.45	
Industrial Insurance,	13.50	
Gasoline,	13.75	
Powder, fuse & Caps,	14.00	
Ore haul.-Lot #11- 17.695 tons @ .75¢	13.27	79.97

Net, \$1,091.22

50% of Net, to be retained by J. E. Knapp, \$ 545.61

50% of Net, plus above expenses, to be paid by
J. E. Knapp to N. H. Getchell,

625.58
\$1,171.19

Total divided,

Date Aug. 9, 1927

DAILY MILL REPORT

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Tons to bin 72

Tons sorted to waste 2

Tons milled 84

Solution tons precipitated 297

Hours grinding 20

Supplies used

Cyanide 150 #

Lime 1260 #

Balls 100 #

Pebbles 200 #

Litharge 45 #

Zinc 18 #

Grinding Screen Test: +100 Mesh 9.21%
+150 " 11.0%
+200 " 11.4%
-200 " 68.4%

Date Aug 10, 1927

MILL ASSAY SHEET

	Oz. Au.	Oz. Ag.	Total \$
Solutions: Press Heads	.128	1.68	3.00
Press Tails	.002	—	.04
No. 1 Thickener	.136	1.76	3.70
No. 2 Thickener	.126	2.25	3.78
No. 3 Thickener	.052	.10	1.08
No. 4 Thickener	.016	.29	.48
Grinding Solution	.092	1.54	2.10
Classifier Ball Mill Discharge	.108	2.01	4.28
Oliver Filtrate	.012	.11	.35
Emulsifier	.003	.04	.08
Pulps: Ball Mill Discharge ^{Heads}	.68	6.46	\$17.22
Classifier Overflow	.17	3.29	5.24
No. 1 Diaphragm Pump	.20	3.66	6.06
No. 2 Diaphragm Pump	.04	1.20	1.47
No. 3 Diaphragm Pump	.02	.82	.86
No. 4 Diaphragm Pump	.02	.78	.84
No. 1 Agitator	.06	2.04	2.34
No. 2 Agitator	.04	1.82	1.82
No. 3 Agitator	.02	1.08	1.00
Oliver Tails	.01	.61	.57

Box

SEPTEMBER
13th
1927.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find Mill Assay Sheet and Daily Mill Report of Sept. 10th. It is pleasing to note that the mill has put through 777 tons during the past eight days, or an average of 97 tons per day. Due to a necessary shut-down during the first two days of the month, only 110 tons were milled for those days. We have caught up some of the lost tonnage so that our average so far for the month stands at 88.7 tons. We should have no difficulty in averaging 90 tons per day for September.

The south stop on the Missing Link No. 3 level is producing some exceptionally fine ore. Picked specimens will assay over \$500.00 per ton. (See the writer's wire Sept. 7th.)

The hanging wall cross-cut from the Grant 165 level has cut a highly mineralized formation, roughly on the same strike as the main vein, close to the rhyolite-andersite contact. It is not milling ore, but samples as high as \$4.00 per ton have been cut, so our possibilities are good for drifting on it to the north.

The timber for the Elko Prince shaft is being trucked to the mine, and the compressor is being over-hauled. The actual work of re-timbering will be started shortly.

The lessees, working on the Rico #4 claim have about 60 ton of ore sacked, that will probably average over \$50.00 per ton.

The work of covering all pipe lines and housing in around the plant, for winter protection, is about completed.

Your's very truly,

Date Sept. 10, 1927

DAILY MILL REPORT

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Tons to bin 105

Tons sorted to waste 4

Tons milled 97

Solution tons precipitated 238

Hours grinding 24

Supplies used

Cyanide 150^{lb}

Lime 900^{lb}

Balls 100^{lb}

Pebbles 600^{lb}

Litharge 45^{lb}

Zinc 30^{lb}

Grinding Screen Test:

- 200 Mesh - 61.6%

+ 200 " 11.4%

+ 150 " 22.6%

+ 100 " 25.0%

Date Sept. 10, 1927

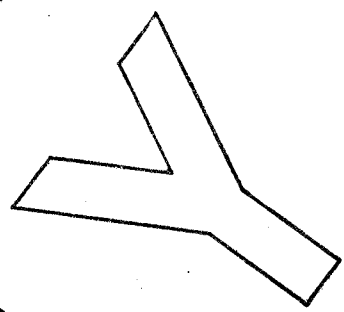
MILL ASSAY SHEET

	Oz. Au.	Oz. Ag.	Total Value
Solutions: Press Heads	.174	2.05	\$ 4.63
Press Tails	.002	—	.04
No. 1 Thickener	.176	2.11	4.70
No. 2 Thickener	.142	2.01	3.96
No. 3 Thickener	.060	.93	1.72
No. 4 Thickener	.024	.33	.66
Grinding Solution	.128	1.79	3.59
Classifier Ball Mill Discharge	.210	2.27	5.47
Oliver Filtrate	.018	.24	.49
<i>Emulsifier</i>	.003	.05	.09
V Pulps: Ball Mill Discharge ^{Heads}	.40	6.50	14.63
Classifier Overflow	.24	4.08	7.08
No. 1 Diaphragm Pump	.14	4.16	5.12
No. 2 Diaphragm Pump	.04	.46	1.06
No. 3 Diaphragm Pump	.02	.74	.81
No. 4 Diaphragm Pump	.01	.71	.59
No. 1 Agitator	.06	1.72	2.16
No. 2 Agitator	.04	1.20	1.47
No. 3 Agitator	.02	.82	.86
Oliver Tails	.01	.63	.55
<i>Moisture Classifier 83% Calc. Heads</i>			\$ 16.40
<i>ET 72% V.D.</i>	.23		

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OCTOBER
28th
1927.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.



Gentlemen:

Enclosed find copy of Mill Assay Sheet and Daily Mill Report of October 23rd. This shows in detail what your mill is doing.

The new vein, opened up by the west cross-cut from the Grant 165 level continues to furnish ore of milling grade. So far, twenty feet has been driven northerly from the cross-cut and we are now drifting to the south. In about ten days stoping will be started on this vein.

The foot-wall drift being driven from the Rex lower tunnel to run around the badly caved ground has reached a point where we feel safe in turning back into the old drift. Your manager is greatly pleased that the re-timbered portion of this tunnel is standing so well.

The Elko Prince power line is completed, and the six large 37½ KVA transformers have been set in place. All the timbers for re-timbering the necessary portion of the Elko Prince shaft to the 600 level have been framed and taken underground to the shaft collar.

At the present time, we have a total of 76 men on the pay roll. They are classified as follows: Missing Link - 15; Grant-Jackson - 22; Elko Prince (including power line construction, and compressor installation) - 10; Mill - 14; Mill and Mine power houses - 5; Surface (including completion of construction, and preparation for winter) - 5; Suptcy. office, and engineering - 3. In addition, there are 5 lessees, working on the Rico #1 and Rico #4.

Your's very truly,

Date Oct. 23, 1927

DAILY MILL REPORT

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Tons to bin 77

Tons sorted to waste 4

Tons milled 109

Solution tons precipitated 270

Hours grinding 24

Supplies used

Cyanide 200^{lb}

Lime 1170^{lb}

Balls 100^{lb}

Pebbles 400^{lb}

Litharge 45^{lb}

Zinc 24^{lb}

Grinding screen Test

+100 Mesh 10.4%

+150 " 10.5%

+200 " 10.6%

-200 " 68.5%

Date Oct, 23, 1927

MILL ASSAY SHEET

	Oz. Au.	Oz. Ag.	Total #
Solutions: Press Heads	.174	1.85	4.52
Press Tails	.002	—	.04
No. 1 Thickener	.185	2.03	4.90
No. 2 Thickener	.166	2.23	4.57
No. 3 Thickener	.042	1.16	2.46
No. 4 Thickener	.044	.38	1.09
Grinding Solution	.128	1.62	3.46
Classifier Ball Mill Discharge	.192	2.12	5.03
Oliver Filtrate	.026	.29	.68
<i>Emulsifier</i>	.005	.06	.13
Pulps: Ball Mill Discharge / Heads	.41	7.34	12.31
Classifier Overflow	.16	3.64	4.04
No. 1 Diaphragm Pump	.12	3.44	4.33
No. 2 Diaphragm Pump	.02	1.54	1.26
No. 3 Diaphragm Pump	.02	1.40	1.18
No. 4 Diaphragm Pump	.02	1.38	1.17
No. 1 Agitator	.06	2.04	2.34
No. 2 Agitator	.04	1.72	1.76
No. 3 Agitator	.02	1.38	1.17
Oliver Tails	.02	1.30	1.13

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OCTOBER
17th
1927.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed find Daily Mill Report and Mill Assay Sheet of yesterday, which shows what your mill is doing. We milled 2729 tons during September, averaging about 91 tons per day. We feel certain that the time is not far distant when an average of 100 tons per day will be put through your "75 ton mill". On individual days, we have forced through as high as 115 tons, but one day's run, and a monthly average are two different things.

It is a pleasure to report that our west cross cut (from the Grant-Jackson 165 level) struck what we consider to be the main Jackson vein. We have drifted on it for about 15 feet northerly. While the vein material is not high grade ore at this location, it is good milling ore, and six feet in width. There are about 250 feet of "backs" over us. About 50 feet farther North there should be an intersection with the Reco #2 vein, where higher grade ore may be encountered. While our work is not extensive enough yet to give you anything of a guess on what it will mean in the way of added ore reserves, you may be sure that this added tonnage will not be small.

The lessees on your Reco #4 claim have struck some \$200.00 ore. This is about double the value of the ore previously found. Your company will derive a fine revenue from this lease. Your manager recently approved a lease on the Reco #1 claim, where a 50 foot shaft is being repaired.

It was our pleasure to show the party of Boston stockholders your mines and mills during their recent visit. I feel sure that they were well pleased with everything and realize more than ever the great value of the Gold Circle Consolidated Mines property.

Your's very truly,

W.H.E.

Date Oct. 15, 1927

DAILY MILL REPORT

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Tons to bin 114

Tons sorted to waste 3

Tons milled 108

Solution tons precipitated 208

Hours grinding 24

Supplies used

Cyanide 200⁰⁰

Lime 1260⁰⁰

Balls 100⁰⁰

Pebbles 400⁰⁰

Litharge 45⁰⁰

Zinc 21⁰⁰

Grinding Screen Test:

+ 100 Mesh 17.1%

+ 150 " 12.5%

+ 200 " 10.3%

- 200 " 60.1%

Date Oct. 16, 1927

MILL ASSAY SHEET

	Oz. Au.	Oz. Ag.	Total Value
Solutions: Press Heads	.153	1.81	\$4.07
Press Tails	.001	—	.02
No. 1 Thickener	0.170	1.98	4.51
No. 2 Thickener	.156	2.40	4.46
No. 3 Thickener	.088	1.37	2.53
No. 4 Thickener	.030	.47	.86
Grinding Solution	.112	1.56	3.11
Classifier Ball Mill Discharge	0.182	1.99	4.75
Oliver Filtrate	.030	.47	.86
<i>Emulsifier</i>	.002	.05	.07
Pulps: ^{Heads} Ball Mill Discharge	.54	8.22	\$13.40
Classifier Overflow	.10	3.96	4.18
No. 1 Diaphragm Pump	.10	3.68	4.06
No. 2 Diaphragm Pump	.02	1.24	1.09
No. 3 Diaphragm Pump	.02	.90	.90
No. 4 Diaphragm Pump	.02	.84	.87
No. 1 Agitator	.04	1.96	1.96
No. 2 Agitator	.04	1.44	1.61
No. 3 Agitator	.02	.90	.90
Oliver Tails	.01	.77	.63
<i>Moisture Classifier 80.5% Calc heads</i>			13.80
<i>" ET. 62% D.V.</i>			.11

Back

AUGUST
Fourth
1927

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed find copy of Daily Mill Report and Mill Assay Sheet of July 31st. You will note that our heads are increasing and that they should soon be where we all want them if we can continue the improvement. It is interesting to note that the average heads for the first five days of July were \$11.70, and for the last five days were \$17.68.

This improvement has been due to more careful mining at your Grant mine; mining higher grade ore at your Missing Link mine; and the sorting out of waste at the mill.

Our Report of Operations of June was mailed you a few days ago. Profits before depreciation amounted to \$19,906.14. It is gratifying to note that our total costs (including taxes and insurance) were only \$7.96 plus per ton. Our preliminary estimates called for an \$8.00 cost. We feel that it will be possible to lower this slightly as operations smooth out.

It is interesting to make a comparison between Gold Circle costs, and Betty O'Neal costs. You will note that your mining costs at Gold Circle are \$3.51 per ton, compared to \$5.85 per ton at the Betty O'Neal. The balance in favor of Gold Circle is due to the good condition of the vein walls, and the consequent small amount of timbering that is necessary. The sum of the milling and marketing items at Gold Circle is \$3.20 per ton, while Betty O'Neal enjoys the lower figure of \$2.65 per ton. This difference is due to the difference in the types of the mills and also the distance from the railroad. We expect to get the Gold Circle milling costs down to about \$2.75 per ton in time.

Your's very truly,

Date July 31

DAILY MILL REPORT

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Tons to bin 77

Tons sorted to waste 4

Tons milled 74

Solution tons precipitated 25.0

Hours grinding 24

Supplies used

Cyanide 15.0⁴

Lime 135.0⁴

Balls 100⁴

Pebbles 200⁴

Litharge 75⁴

Zinc 24⁴

Screen Test +100 Mesh 3.2%

+150 " 10.4%

+200 " 11.8%

-200 " 74.6%

Date July 31, 1929

MILL ASSAY SHEET

	Oz. Au.	Oz. Ag.	Total
Solutions: Press Heads	9.134	1.70	3.63
Press Tails	.001	—	.02
No. 1 Thickener	.14	1.70	3.75
No. 2 Thickener	.09	1.41	2.59
No. 3 Thickener	.03	.43	.84
No. 4 Thickener	.016	.18	.42
Grinding Solution	.10	1.54	2.86
Classifier Ball Mill Discharge	.142	2.04	3.98
Oliver Filtrate	.010	.14	.28
Pulps: Ball Mill ^{Heads} Discharge	.60	8.94	17.00
Classifier Overflow	.50	7.52	14.21
No. 1 Diaphragm Pump	.16	4.08	5.48
No. 2 Diaphragm Pump	.08	1.66	2.53
No. 3 Diaphragm Pump	.04	1.10	1.42
No. 4 Diaphragm Pump	.02	.84	0.93
No. 1 Agitator	.12	2.32	3.70
No. 2 Agitator	.12	2.30	3.68
No. 3 Agitator	.06	1.22	1.88
Oliver Tails	.01	.61	.54
Moisture Classifier 87% Calc. Heads			21.70

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J U L Y
18th.
1927.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed find copy of mill assay sheet and daily mill report of yesterday. Please note that we show and extraction of 06.4%.

A careful survey has been made of the broken ore stored in shrinkage stopes and on dumps. We find that the mines have been gaining on the mill. That is, we are mining more ore than we are milling. The present large tonnage of broken ore is increasing.

The new stope on the foot-wall split on the Grant-Jackson vein is widening out as we go up. The "back" of the present stope shows and ore body thirteen (13) feet in width. You will remember that we had only eight (8) inches of ore to start on.

We are now "cleaning up" around the old Elko Prince mill. We believe that we will get at least \$5,000.00 in gold and silver from the old solution-saturated foundation, the refinery, etc.

Your's very truly,

Date July 17, 1927

DAILY MILL REPORT

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Tons to bin 77

Tons sorted to waste 8

Tons milled 84

Solution tons precipitated 213

Hours grinding 24

Supplies used

Cyanide 150[≠]

Lime 1080[≠]

Balls 100[≠]

Pebbles 200[≠]

Litharge 75[≠]

Zinc 20[≠]

+140 = 10.4 %

+150 = 12.2 %

+200 12.8 %

- 200 63.8 %

Date July 17, 1927.

MILL ASSAY SHEET

	Oz. Au.	Oz. Ag.	
Solutions: Press Heads	.136	1.57	3.61
Press Tails	.001	—	.02
No. 1 Thickener	.146	1.63	3.71
No. 2 Thickener	.090	1.35	2.56
No. 3 Thickener	.026	.52	.81
No. 4 Thickener	.020	.18	.50
Grinding Solution	.110	1.49	3.03
Classifier Ball Mill Discharge	.190	2.07	4.96
Oliver Filtrate	.012	.12	.31
Pulps: Ball Mill ^{Heads} Discharge	.49	13.05	17.11
Classifier Overflow	.16	3.18	4.98
No. 1 Diaphragm Pump	.20	3.48	5.95
No. 2 Diaphragm Pump	.04	1.38	1.55
No. 3 Diaphragm Pump	.04	1.16	1.45
No. 4 Diaphragm Pump	.02	.98	.95
No. 1 Agitator	.12	1.96	3.50
No. 2 Agitator	.12	2.28	3.68
No. 3 Agitator	.04	1.24	1.49
Oliver Tails	.01	.75	.62
Moisture Classifier 84% Heads 17.11			

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Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed find Daily Mill Report and Mill Assay Sheet for July 23rd. You will note that our mill recovery is over 95%.

The Chicago Pneumatic Compressor in the mill has been changed over from an Eight by Eight to an Eight by Twelve. This change gives us ample air for the Dorr Thickeners and the Oliver Filter. It also helps the settling in the Thickeners by giving a more uniform feed from the Agitators.

The grade of the ore going to your mill from the Missing Link Mine is raising rapidly. Yesterday the car samples assayed \$7.20 gold and 67.2 ounces silver, at a value of about \$45.50 per ton. The Grant car samples averaged \$31.20 per ton and the Jackson \$16.20 per ton for the same day.

Your manager has leased the two upper levels of your Rex mine to a very capable miner. We feel that the Company will have a nice income from leases of this type from portions of your property that the Company does not care to work at this time.

We are purchasing some of the supply stock of the United Comstock Mines Company. Quite a little of this is on sale at about one-half price.

Very truly yours,

Date July 22, 1927

DAILY MILL REPORT

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Tons to bin 90

Tons sorted to waste 0

Tons milled 87

Solution tons precipitated 307

Hours grinding 23 1/2

Supplies used

Cyanide 150 #

Lime 1350 #

Balls 100 #

Pebbles 200 #

Litharge 75 #

Zinc 25 #

Screen Test Grinding: 400 Mesh 7.6 %

+ 150 " 12.0 %

+ 200 " 12.6 %

- 200 " 67.8 %

Date July 23, 1927

MILL ASSAY SHEET

	Oz. Au.	Oz. Ag.	Total #
Solutions: Press Heads	.150	1.75	3.98
Press Tails	.001	—	.02
No. 1 Thickener	.160	1.90	4.26
No. 2 Thickener	.106	x1.64	3.04
No. 3 Thickener	.056	.69	1.51
No. 4 Thickener	.036	.26	.86
Grinding Solution	.122	1.70	3.39
Classifier Ball Mill Discharge	.186	2.21	4.96
Oliver Filtrate	.628	.23	.69
<i>Emulsifier</i>	.606	.04	.14
Pulps: Ball Mill Discharge Heads	.56	8.76	16.10
Classifier Overflow	.10	3.90	4.18
No. 1 Diaphragm Pump	.18	4.04	5.86
No. 2 Diaphragm Pump	.08	1.88	2.65
No. 3 Diaphragm Pump	.04	1.56	1.67
No. 4 Diaphragm Pump	.02	1.16	1.05
No. 1 Agitator	.08	2.58	3.04
No. 2 Agitator	.04	2.12	2.79
No. 3 Agitator	.04	1.60	1.70
Oliver Tails	.01	.83	.66
Moisture Classifier 87% Calc. Heads #15.69			
" ET 57 1/2% DV #0.19			

Be
JULY
8th
1927.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

During the month of June 2261 tons of ore were milled at your Gold Circle plant, or an average of 75.4 tons per day. Production will show approximately \$37,500 which gives a value of about \$16.60 per ton to the ore milled.

For the first seven days of July, 595 tons have been milled, or an average of 85 tons per day. Our sorting arrangements are now in operation and 29 tons were discarded to "waste" during the week. We are enclosing Mill Assay Sheet of July 7th., and Mill Report Sheet of that date which gives detailed mill data.

Your Grant-Jackson mines will give us ore of much higher grade in the near future. We have been greatly handicapped because of the small size of the shaft; which slows up hoisting operations. This will be overcome by putting in "hoisting pockets", at the 165 level, which will enable us to load and hoist both ore and waste much faster. The stope on the new vein is showing up better as we go up. Yesterday's face sample assayed \$32.00 with a sample width of 11 feet.

Your manager is considering letting short term leases on some of your property that we can not work at the present time.

Your's very truly,

Date July 7, 1927

DAILY MILL REPORT

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Tons to bin 114

Tons sorted to waste 6

Tons milled 105

Solution tons precipitated 239

Hours grinding 24

Supplies used

Cyanide 132⁴

Lime 1080⁴

Balls 100⁴

Pebbles 200⁴

Litharge 75⁴

Zinc 24⁴

Date July 7, 1927

MILL ASSAY SHEET

	Oz. Au.	Oz. Ag.	Value \$
Solutions: Press Heads	.108	1.48	2.93
Press Tails	.001	—	.02
No. 1 Thickener	.116	1.69	3.27
No. 2 Thickener	.108	1.87	3.21
No. 3 Thickener	.042	.89	1.34
No. 4 Thickener	.008	.33	.34
Grinding Solution	.080	1.38	2.37
Classifier Ball Mill Discharge	.136	2.13	3.91
Oliver Filtrate	.004	.28	.24
Pulps: ^{Heads} Ball Mill Discharge	.42	12.06	15.15
Classifier Overflow ^{washed} _{un washed}	.04	6.36	4.36
	.04	7.76	5.14
No. 1 Diaphragm Pump	.04	3.96	3.02
No. 2 Diaphragm Pump	.02	1.26	1.10
No. 3 Diaphragm Pump	.01	1.07	.80
No. 4 Diaphragm Pump	.01	.79	.64
No. 1 Agitator	.02	2.00	1.56
No. 2 Agitator	.02	1.22	1.04
No. 3 Agitator	.01	1.07	.80
Oliver Tails	.01	1.03	.78
Classifier Moisture 87.5% Cal. Heads ^H 15.12			

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July 7, 1927.

Betty O'Neal Mines,
#68 Devonshire Street,
Boston, Mass.

Attention: Mr. E. C. Dolley

Gentlemen:-

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 1st enclosing bill from the Minerals Separation North American Corporation. Check is being forwarded to them today.

As stated in your letter, the price of silver on settlement sheet No. 199 is .56875¢. We must write the United States Smelting, Refining & Mining Company and have them send us more legible copies of their settlement sheets than they have heretofore. We always forward the Boston Office the first carbon copy which is about as clear as the original; in fact, we can hardly see any difference.

We will see that the Gold Circle vouchers are not held up in this office any longer than is absolutely necessary. The stage only goes over to Midas three times a week, and, for this reason, often the vouchers lay over in Battle Mountain a whole day.

Very truly yours,
BETTY O'NEAL MINES,

By _____.

P.S:-

Enclosed find settlement sheets covering lots Nos. 200 and 201.

COPY

November 14, 1928.

Mr. E. J. Schrader,
Gold Circle Consolidated Mines,
Midas, Nev.

Dear Mr. Schrader:-

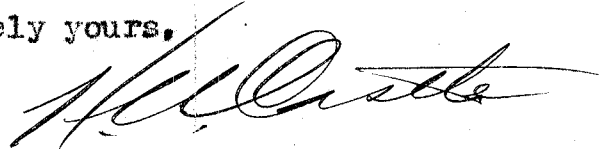
This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 12th inst., regarding the map and the certificates of location of the Eastern Star Claims, and I am returning herewith the map and the copy of the certificates as you requested.

I have no maps or other data regarding the Eastern Star Claims other than what I am enclosing. I spoke to Mr. Getchell about this when I saw him in Reno about the middle of October and he said he had those maps at the Betty O'Neal and I understood him to say that he had so informed you, although I would not be sure about the latter statement.

As you know, these claims were not a part of the company's holdings, and I have no data regarding them except just the names and the name of the mining district and County in which they are located, but Mr. Getchell should be able to give you all of this information and if he is unable to do so let me know and I will see if I can get something definite from one of the members of the Eastern Star Mining Company. However, I suppose they would not go out of their way to give us much assistance.

With kindest personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,



HUC:LAS
Encs.

Copy for N.H.Getchell.

November 14, 1928.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines,
68 Devonshire street,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

I forgot to inform you that bullion lot #30 consisting of bars 142 to 148 inclusive and about 200 lbs. of zinc matte from the refinery were shipped to Selby about a week ago. The estimated value was \$20,000.00 for the shipment.

We have had our first considerable snow storm today and it looks as if winter will soon be with us in earnest.

Very truly yours,

E. J. Schrader
E.J. Schrader.

cc-NH3.

Supt.

CLASS OF SERVICE DESIRED	
DOMESTIC	CABLE
TELEGRAM	FULL RATE
DAY LETTER	DEFERRED
NIGHT MESSAGE	CABLE LETTER
NIGHT LETTER	WEEK END LETTER

Patrons should check class of service desired; otherwise message will be transmitted as a full-rate communication.

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NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

J. C. WILLEVER, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

NO.	CASH OR CHG.
CHECK	
TIME FILED	

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to, Las Vegas, Nevada. November 11, 1928.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines,

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To 68 Devonshire street,

Street and No. Boston, Mass.

Place

Mailed weekly report yesterday just returned from Reno stop everything progressing normally Elko Prince vein ~~xxx~~ four fifty level now four feet wide assays ~~xxxx~~ ~~xxx~~ eight to thirty dollars stop Junebell vein still good car samples ~~xxxxxxxx~~ sixteen to seventy dollars lately stop last lot Colorado Grande ore milled ran over thirty dollars .

E.J. Schrader.

Copy of wire sent date shown.

SENDER'S ADDRESS
FOR REFERENCE

SENDER'S TELEPHONE
NUMBER

ALL MESSAGES TAKEN BY THIS COMPANY ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

To guard against mistakes or delays, the sender of a message should order it repeated, that is, telegraphed back to the originating office for comparison. For this, one-half the unrepeated domestic message rate or one-quarter the unrepeated cable message rate is charged in addition. Unless otherwise indicated on its face, this is an unrepeated message and paid for as such, in consideration whereof it is agreed between the sender of the message and this company as follows:

1. The company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the unrepeated-message rate beyond the sum of five hundred dollars; nor for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the repeated-message rate beyond the sum of five thousand dollars, unless specially valued; nor in any case for delays arising from unavoidable interruption in the working of its lines; nor for errors in cipher or obscure messages.

2. In any event the company shall not be liable for damages for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for the non-delivery, of any message, whether caused by the negligence of its servants or otherwise, beyond the sum of five thousand dollars, at which amount each message is deemed to be valued, unless a greater value is stated in writing by the sender thereof at the time the message is tendered for transmission, and unless the repeated-message rate is paid or agreed to be paid, and an additional charge equal to one-tenth of one percent of the amount by which such valuation shall exceed five thousand dollars.

3. The company is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward this message over the lines of any other company when necessary to reach its destination.

4. Domestic messages and incoming cable messages will be delivered free within one-half mile of the company's office in towns of 5,000 population or less, and within one mile of such office in other cities or towns. Beyond these limits the company does not undertake to make delivery, but will, without liability, at the sender's request, as his agent and at his expense, endeavor to contract for him for such delivery at a reasonable price.

5. No responsibility attaches to this company concerning messages until the same are accepted at one of its transmitting offices; and if a message is sent to such office by one of the company's messengers, he acts for that purpose as the agent of the sender.

6. The company will not be liable for damages or statutory penalties in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within sixty days after the message is filed with the company for transmission.

7. It is agreed that in any action by the company to recover the tolls for any message or messages the prompt and correct transmission and delivery thereof shall be presumed, subject to rebuttal by competent evidence.

8. Special terms governing the transmission of messages according to their classes, as enumerated below, shall apply to messages in each of such respective classes in addition to all the foregoing terms.

9. No employee of the company is authorized to vary the foregoing.

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY

INCORPORATED

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

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A full-rate expedited service.

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Accepted up to 2:00 A.M. at reduced rates to be sent during the night and delivered not earlier than the morning of the ensuing business day.

Night Messages may at the option of the Telegraph Company be mailed at destination to the addressees, and the Company shall be deemed to have discharged its obligation in such cases with respect to delivery by mailing such night messages at destination, postage prepaid.

DAY LETTERS

A deferred day service at rates lower than the standard telegram rates as follows: One and one-half times the standard night letter rate for the transmission of 50 words or less and one-fifth of the initial rates for each additional 10 words or less.

SPECIAL TERMS APPLYING TO DAY LETTERS:

In further consideration of the reduced rate for this special Day Letter service, the following special terms in addition to those enumerated above are hereby agreed to:

A. Day Letters may be forwarded by the Telegraph Company as a deferred service and the transmission and delivery of such Day Letters is, in all respects, subordinate to the priority of transmission and delivery of regular telegrams.

B. Day Letters shall be written in plain English. Code language is not permissible.

C. This Day Letter is received subject to the express understanding and agreement that the Company does not undertake that a Day Letter shall be delivered on the day of its date absolutely, and at all events; but that the Company's obligation in this respect is subject to the condition that there shall remain sufficient time for the transmission and delivery of such Day Letter on the day of its date during regular office hours, subject to the priority of the transmission of regular telegrams under the conditions named above.

No employee of the Company is authorized to vary the foregoing.

NIGHT LETTERS

Accepted up to 2:00 A.M. for delivery on the morning of the ensuing business day, at rates still lower than standard night message rates, as follows: The stand-

ard telegram rate for 10 words shall be charged for the transmission of 50 words or less, and one-fifth of such standard telegram rate for 10 words shall be charged for each additional 10 words or less.

SPECIAL TERMS APPLYING TO NIGHT LETTERS:

In further consideration of the reduced rates for this special Night Letter service, the following special terms in addition to those enumerated above are hereby agreed to:

A. Night Letters may at the option of the Telegraph Company be mailed at destination to the addressees, and the Company shall be deemed to have discharged its obligation in such cases with respect to delivery by mailing such Night Letters at destination, postage prepaid.

B. Night Letters shall be written in plain English. Code language is not permissible.

No employee of the Company is authorized to vary the foregoing.

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An expedited service throughout. Code language permitted.

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Half-rate messages are subject to being deferred in favor of full rate messages for not exceeding 24 hours. Must be in language of country of origin or of destination, or in French. This class of service is in effect with most European countries and with various other countries throughout the world. Full particulars supplied on application at any Western Union Office.

CABLE LETTERS

For plain-language communications. The language of the country of destination may be employed, if the Cable Letter service is in operation to that country. Subject to delivery at the convenience of the Company within 24 hours if telegraphic delivery is selected. Delivery by mail beyond London will be made if a full mailing address is given and the words "Post London" are written after the destination. Rate is approximately one-third of the full rate; minimum 20 words.

WEEK-END LETTERS

Similar to Cable Letters except that they are accepted up to midnight Saturday for delivery Monday morning, if telegraphic delivery is selected. Rate is approximately one-quarter of the full rate; minimum 20 words.

November 10, 1928.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines,
68 Devonshire street,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

Operations here have proceeded normally during the last week. The Y type engines are being tested by a representative from Fairbanks Morse & Co. which is causing short shut-downs but will give us a better idea as to power requirements.

Noble tunnel.

The total length is now about 900 ft. The face is in harder rhyolite so that we hope to be able to go ahead without timbering. We should be getting close to the first vein which may account for the harder formation.

Colorado Grande.

We are stoping below the intermediate drift and getting some good ore as the last mill shipment assayed about \$35.00 per ton. Another shipment of 20 tons is now ready to be sent to the mill.

Grant and Link mines.

Normal tonnages are being sent from these two properties and there is nothing now to report from the development being carried on.

Elko Prince.

On the 600 ft. level south we have cut through the cave which held us up for some time and have come to a shallow underhand stope from which very good ore was produced. Above this stope are some small pillars of very good ore which we will remove. Beyond this stope is another cave but it should not be very extensive. As soon as we can clean out the mud in the underhand stope we will sample the faces and if this ore is as good as reported we will start a deeper stope down to water level.

On the 450 ft. level south the Elko Prince vein is now 4 ft. wide but car samples have only run about \$8.00 per ton. The values are spotty. We have had assays as high as \$35 from this vein which looks very encouraging as the vein was not stoped above this level in this section according to old maps which we have.

The Junebell raises show very good ore. Car samples have run from \$16 to \$72.00 per ton. The vein is most erratic in width but values are very good even when the vein is small. On the whole the work in the Elko Prince workings is looking encouraging.

Very truly yours,

E. J. Schrader.

N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

W. H. ENGLEBRIGHT
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES



P R E L I M I N A R Y

PRODUCTION AND EXPENSES, GOLD CIRCLE CONS. MINES, MAY, 1928.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES WAS CREATED BY DECLARATION OF TRUST, EXECUTED IN BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS JUNE 24, 1928, COPY OF WHICH IS FILED AT THE STATE HOUSE IN BOSTON; AS SET FORTH IN SAID DECLARATION NEITHER THE INDIVIDUAL TRUSTEES NOR THE BENEFICIARIES NOR ANY OF THEM SHALL BE HELD TO ANY PERSONAL ACCOUNTABILITY BY REASON OF ANYTHING CONTAINED HEREIN.

PRODUCTION.....\$23,427.14

EXPENSES..... 19,107.02

PROFIT..... 4,320.12

DEPRECIATION..... 625.00

NET PROFIT..... \$3,695.12

(Mailed Boston Office June 26, 1928)

Note:-

Detailed costs will be mailed you later.

cc EJSchrader.

November 12, 1928.

Mr. B. P. Howell,
Battle Mountain, Nevada.

Dear Mr. Howell:-

Your letter of the 8th inst. found here on my return from Reno on the 10th. We are sending a check to the county treasurer for the Judge taxes and when the receipt is returned to us we will mail it to you.

We are doing the same work outlined to you for the development of the Judge ground. I might repeat it for your information.

We drifted south on the Junbell vein (300 ft. level) on a good shoot of ore. About 400 ft. south of the main X but we struck a fault which runs about east and west and is most probably the same fault which cut off the Elko Prince vein on the 600 ft. level at the Judge sideline. We cut through this fault and are now drifting somewhat south of east on the south side of the fault to try to pick up the extension of the Judge shoot. The fault appears to be post-mineral as we have had some drag ore.

We are drifting south on the Elko Prince vein (450 ft. level) to run up against this same fault and to pick up the two veins south of the fault at greater depth. The faulted segments at this horizon will be largely in the Judge claim I believe.

We are continuing the cleaning out of the 600 ft. drift on the Elko Prince vein and we should be getting close to the Judge sideline on this level, but we have another cave in the face of the old drift so we are not certain how close we are to the sideline of the claim. As soon as we get to the south face of this 600 ft. level drift, our plan is to cut through the fault and drift along it until the south segments of both the Junbell and Elko Prince veins are found. This work would be entirely in the Judge claim and would develop it in an excellent manner. The indications are that the fault had a considerable throw and it may be as much as 250 to 300 ft.

Very truly yours,


E.J. Schrader.

cc-NHG

November 12, 1928.

Mr. Frank E. Nye,
68 Devonshire street,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Mr. Nye;-

Your letter received. I had already sent you a letter of operations here and sent you a wire as you requested as per copy enclosed. I was in Reno for a week and have been extremely busy since my return.

Our mill superintendent, Mr. Jacobsen is in Reno having been operated on for sinus trouble and then Mr. Pike became sick with the flu and is in bed in Winnemucca under a doctor's care. So I have had my hands full. Fairbanks Morse has a man here testing the engines and on account of the absentees it could not have been at a more inconvenient time as this man requires the continual presence of our Master Mechanic who takes Mr. Jacobsen's place when he is absent. So if my reports now come at ~~regular~~ irregular intervals you will have to excuse it.

I dislike to bother your office but this month we will have some very heavy demands made on us and we must have some money from the east to help us out. The bills coming in which are unusual are as follows;-

1928 property taxes-----\$3271.34 (delinquent Dec. 1st)
Payment on Colorado Grande group, \$3000 due Nov. 29th.
Fire Insurance policy on mill etc. about \$2000 due this month.

Of these amounts half of the taxes and at least part of the fire insurance policy must be paid this month and of course we must make the payment to the Noble Gold Mines Co. as indicated.

We are trying this month to put in supplies in anticipation of winter which is also extra expense that should be promptly paid so that we can keep our credit good and get more supplies as needed.

It is our opinion that pushing development work is most important and by doing so we stand an excellent chance of finding new ore-bodies of such grade as will be profitable and put us on a good operating basis.

Very truly yours,


E. J. Schrader.

cc-NHG.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MIDAS, NEVADA
(VIA BATTLE MOUNTAIN)

December 10, 1928.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator;-

Your letter from Boston reached me a few days ago. I wrote to Boston but the letter probably got there after you left. The Mayer Motor Co. reduced their bid to \$8.50 and no back haul and as I have two bids for \$8.00 I wrote them late last week telling them that if they would split the difference and agree to haul for \$8.25 they could have a new contract. I have an idea that they will accept it. I told them that the haulage would probably increase rather than get less.

We have had a lot of sickness and at present things are rather disrupted. Ray Clawson is in bed with the flu and so is Frank Smith the assayer and two of the mill-men. A number of the miners are also off because of flu. Dr. Pettingell died last Saturday night about ten o'clock and the funeral is to be Wednesday afternoon, in Winnemucca. We will have to get a new doctor and I have already written a letter regarding it to one of my medical friends in Reno.

Everything is going along all right and the mill precipitation is good. Bullion returns from Lot 31 came a few days ago and represented 19 days in November. We will clean up again as soon as the sick boys are back on the job.

We are getting patches of ore along the fault which caught off the Junebell and the stuff taken out last night shows considerable coarse free gold. I hope that it is representative of what we will find on the other side of the fault.

Sincerely yours,


E. J. Schrader.

No. 44628.

Proof of Labor

ON

Claim

Recorded at the Request of

H. W. Coats

July 13, 1928

at 30 min. past 11 o'clock A.M.,

in Volume 4 of

Proof of Labor

page 482

County Records.

J. M. Piggsby
Recorder.

By Deputy Recorder.

Fee \$1.75.

Proof of Labor.

State of Nevada,

County of Elko,

ss.

Before me, personally appeared the subscriber, Chas Lyon,

who being sworn, says: that at least Six Hundeard-----dollars
worth of labor or improvements

were performed and made upon ~~Eastern Star~~ Eastern Star, No, 1, No, 2
No, 3, and No, 4, and Reno Star, and ~~Loan~~ Star,

situated in Gold Circle, Mining District, County
of Elko, State of Nevada, during the year
ending July, 1, 1928..

Such Expenditure was made by or at the expense of N.H. Getchell,

owner of said claim, for the purpose of holding said claim.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this
10. day of July, 1928..

Charles Lyon

F. M. Mear
Notary Public

Copy for N.H. Getchell.

December 13, 1928.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines,
68 Devonshire street,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

Operations during the last week have been disrupted somewhat because of the influenza epidemic. The company physician died and was buried yesterday. About sixteen other members of the crew are in bed with varying degrees of sickness.

Noble tunnel.

We have cut down to two shifts but are making good progress. The face of the tunnel is in andesite and on the other side of this intrusive mass we should be in the rhyolite which carries the upper Colorado Grande vein system near the old Duggan shaft.

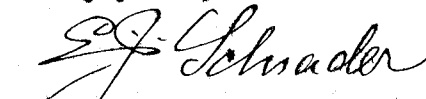
Grant and Link.

The usual production of ore is coming from these two mines but we have been compelled to stop all development work for the time being.

Elko Prince.

Some very fine ore has come from the Junebell vein in the 300 ft. level south. Some of the pieces show free gold visible to the eye. On the 450 ft. level we are stoping on the Elko Prince ore on a good grade of mill ore. Other work in the Elko Prince has been stopped as we needed the men elsewhere.

Very truly yours,


E.J. Schrader.

cc-NHG

Supt.

COPY

December 17, 1928.

Mr. E. J. Schrader,
Midas,
Nevada.

Dear Mr. Schrader:-

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 15th inst. regarding the lease of a block of ground embraced, as I take it, in the Colorado-Grande Group of lode mining claims.

However, I am not sure that the description of the block of ground given me in your letter is definite enough. You state that the ground that Charles Gipson will lease is: "The block of ground is 100 ft. below the Cabbeart tunnel and above the tunnel to the surface and 150 ft. south of the winze below the Cabbeart tunnel."

Do I understand from the description given that he is not permitted to mine any of the ground to a depth further than 100' below the level of the Cabbeart tunnel but can mine everything from a 100' below the level of the Cabbeart tunnel to the surface and that he can mine the ground only 150' south of the winze below the Cabbeart tunnel and no further? What distance then can he go to the north? I would like to have you give me this block of ground in a very definite form as it may save a lot of grief.

I am under the impression that this contract will necessarily be between me and this fellow, Charles Gipson, unless my contract with Leslie R. Noble and Mary A. Noble, for the purchase of the Colorado-Grande group has been assigned to the Cold Circle Consolidated Mines. I have not the original agreement here but I think you have it in your files at Midas, and if you will give me this additional information I can easily prepare the lease as I think it will in no way conflict with the agreement to purchase.

With kindest personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

HUC:IAS



Copy for Mr. Getchell.

December 15, 1928.

Mr. H. U. Castle,
Elko, Nevada.

Dear Mr. Castle:-

The company stopped working the old Colorado Grande workings last month and I talked to Senator Getchell about giving a lease on a block of ground over there. He was agreeable to that provided it did not in any way conflict with the terms of our agreement with the Noble Gold Mines Co. and the supplementary agreement made with Mr. Noble last May.

The lease is with Chas. Gipson of Midax. Time-one year from November 22nd. 25% royalty on the assay value of all ore under \$50.00 per ton and 35% royalty on all ore over \$50.00 per ton. This would give us 15 over and above the royalty we have to pay Noble which royalty applies on the purchase price of the property.

The block of ground is 100 ft. below the Gabbart tunnel and above the tunnel to the surface and 150 ft. south of the winze below the Gabbart tunnel.

The company agrees to pay 50% extraction and to charge \$5.00 per ton milling charge. If the company truck is not otherwise engaged we will haul the ore but ~~if~~ we are the judge of whether it can be done or not as condition of the road is to be taken into account. If another truck does it the lessee is to pay the cost of haulage. In this connection I wish to say that if the truck is wrecked hauling the ore the lessee should pay the cost of repairs.

If the contract we have ^{with} the Noble Gold Mines is cancelled the lease automatically ends as it does if the Gold Circle Cons. Mines sells out to another company. Mr. Getchell also thought we should have the right to cancel the lease but I think that ninety days notice should be given. I do not think that we should be compelled to accept the ore as it might seriously interfere with our own milling operations. Mr. Getchell also thought that the lessee should do a certain amount of development work for such a long lease. You could put this at 10 ft. every six months or ten feet per month as designated by the management here. All the work has to be done by hand so we can not be too hard on them. Will you take this up with the Senator and send him a copy of the lease for approval. He can mail it to me when it suits him. Gipson is now working up there and has asked me for these papers but of course it was no use doing anything about it until the Senator returned from Boston.

Everything is going along fairly well but my whole crew has been shot to pieces this month by influenza and we have been working short-handed all around. Now the sick are getting on the job again and we hope it will be over.

Very truly yours,

E. J. Schrader
E. J. Schrader.

copy Mr. Getchell.

December 15, 1928.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines.
68 Devonshire street,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

Operating report for the month of November is attached hereto.

On November 21st, Mr. Getchell asked us to cleanup at once instead of waiting until end of the month as had been our custom. This was done but that left a certain number of days in November which are in the bullion cleanup about to be made. We estimated this to gross \$6828.40 and marketing costs to be \$100 and these estimates are included in this report. All of Lot #31 for which returns were mailed to you recently is also included in November.

During November we had some very large bills come due which accounts for the larger accounts payable item.

Very truly yours,



E. J. Schrader.

cc-NHG

Supt.

Copy for H.H. Getchell.

January 19, 1929.

Attention: Mr. D.J. Sullivan, Chm.

Nevada Industrial Commission,
Carson City, Nevada.

Gentlemen:-

Mr. Chas L. Gipson and Albert Berger are leasing on the Colorado Grande group of claims which is one of the group of claims in Gold Circle controlled by this company. The lease is in the name of Chas. Gipson but we have a letter from him stating that Albert Berger is his partner.

Under date of January 7th we sent you our check #1525 for \$14.49 covering both classes of premiums under your regulations for these men.

Mr. Gipson has now come into the office stating that he does not intend to pay premiums and does not care to be under the Industrial Act as he considers the premiums exorbitant. We presume he has an idea we do not pay them to you as he mentioned the letter Joe Roscamp has been showing around.

His determination being fixed will you please advise us what notices must be posted. If you have regular forms for the purpose you might send us some. It is quite possible that Gipson and Berger will employ others at a later date to work for them.

We would like to know what steps this company must take so that it and the Colorado Grande group will be fully protected in case any accident happens.

Very truly yours,

Gold Circle Cons. Mines.

by


E.J. Schrader.

cc-NHG.

Supt.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MIDAS, NEVADA
(VIA BATTLE MOUNTAIN)

February 20, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Hotel Riverside,
Reno, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Work in the Elko Prince is continuing and the last sample from the 450 drift south ran about \$54.00. The vein is somewhat narrower.

Your might be interested in the detailed costs of some of the mill items. We have been figuring these up so we can see where savings can be made.

The cost of power at the main power house using Fairbanks-Morse Y type Diesels is \$8.25 per H.P. month. Of this amount \$5.77 is supplies, chiefly fuel oil, and \$2.48 is labor. Fuel oil cost us 10½ cts. a gal. last year but under the new haulage contract will cost 9.1¢. The fgt. on the oil is about 10% more than the cost of the oil itself and the haulage from Red House is about 30% more than the first cost.

At the Link power house the 1914 Dow 4 cycle engine is directly connected to the compressors so that a calculation of power is not so easy but it is about 150 H.P. on the average. The cost here is \$7.39 per H.P. month of which labor is \$4.14 per H.P. and supplies \$3.25 per H.P. The calculation is for October when 3 shifts were worked at the Link power house and the labor was the same as at the main power house. The great difference is in fuel consumption.

During December the tailings were 38¢ per ton and the mill heads were \$12.47. The total extraction was therefore 96.8%. In January the tails were 34 cts. In December 0.0063 ozs. of gold were lost in the tailings and 0.459 ozs. of silver. In January the gold loss was 0.0048 ozs. and the silver loss was 0.448 ozs. per ton.

Cyanide loss is 1.4 lbs. of black cyanide per ton or 0.7 lbs. of pure cyanide. Lime has been reduced to about 8 lbs. from a high of 18.9 lbs. last April. Ball consumption has been cut in half and is now about 0.8 lbs. per ton. Pebbles are 2.7 lbs. per ton, litharge is 0.5 lbs. and zinc 0.38 lbs. per ton. The zinc could be reduced if an even grade of ore could be maintained but with a variable grade of mill heads it is not possible. The soluble loss at the Oliver filter will average about 2¢ per ton. We have had total tailings as low as 14 cts. with \$12.00 mill heads. By changing the position of the ball-mill liners from what they were when I came here, we have more than doubled the life of the liners and cut the ball consumption in half.

2/20/29

The average tonnage is about 73 tons per day but the mill can handle a greater tonnage without much trouble.

Cost of milling is about as follows:-

Crushing & Grinding,-----	\$0.529 per ton.
Solution, filtering, precipitation	0.703
Overhead and miscel.	0.131
Power,	<u>0.726</u>
Total	\$2.089

The cost is about evenly divided between labor and supplies including those two items in the power portion. The cost of milling for the first six months of 1928 was \$2.52 but the saving made has been almost entirely in the supply item.

In addition to this there has been a great reduction in tailing loss chiefly due to finer grinding in the mill.

The extraction in gold is very high, being better than 98% but silver extraction will probably not run over 90% as the total silver content of the ore is from 4 to 5 ozs. per ton. To get a higher extraction of the silver would probably cost more than the silver would bring at present prices.

Very truly yours,

E. J. Schrader
E. J. Schrader.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MIDAS, NEVADA
(VIA BATTLE MOUNTAIN)

May 11, 1929.

Hon. N.H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Enclosed you will find a letter from Spilman about the Eastern Star. Perhaps Charley will know where Cox is who was engineer on the ground at the property.

I am also sending you a letter received last June from Englebright just after he had met Dougan which will give you his opinion of the 750 north winze in the Elko Prince. It might pay to send this letter to Boston.

Billy Rae said that the stuff from the 500 ft. level of the Link was all piled into a separate dump and that he would get some of the ore. He brought over a big sack of big pieces of hard white quartz showing some pyrite and to our surprise it ran about \$7.00 in gold and 105 ozs. silver. Therefore I had a second sample run and that checked the first. I wrote to Boston about it and sent them the sample slip from Smith.

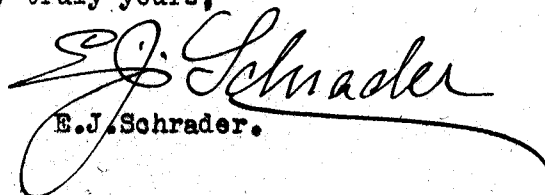
Tonnage in the Grant is getting very low but what we are getting is good.

The man who was hurt is getting along better. The hospital phoned us this afternoon and said he was much better today.

I expect Jim back tomorrow and as soon as we get strung out here after his return we will drop you a line and come over.

Jones went to work this morning.

Very truly yours,


E.J. Schrader.

June 4, 1929.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines,
68 Devonshire street,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

Bullion returns for Lot #40 having a gross value of \$12,926. 15 are enclosed. This is for the cleanup for the first part of May. Another shipment is now being melted.

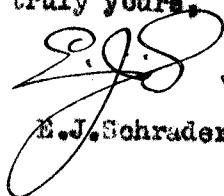
We are getting some very fine ore from the Elko Prince mine which is helping a good deal. Otherwise there is nothing new to report as the mill has been running normally but tonnage has been somewhat less than in the past.

I have obtained prices on a sinking pump with which to unwater the Elko Prince mine down to the 750 ft. or bottom level. We do not expect to find much caving on that level. After it is cleaned up and put in shape my plan is to unwater the rich winze of which you have a sample map and then this winze should be sunk 300 ft. deeper. If the strong ore-shoot developed so far continues to that depth, which there is every belief that it will and will retain the high values disclosed so far, we should then have enough value blocked out to enable us to resume milling and operate profitably.

At the same time the Grant shaft should be sunk deeper and more ore developed there. The Grant shaft was sunk down to where a single ore-shoot was cut and then stopped. There is every reason to believe that this wonderful big ore-shoot is not the only one in that vein and if we can develop one or more like that one, our troubles will be over.

There are certain minor changes we wish to make in the mill such as cleaning out the tanks which should be done periodically, and we hope that while this is being done we will be able to push development work in the mines. We need certain new equipment for the Elko Prince as stated but the records all show that the ore is there to warrant the expenditure.

Very truly yours,



E.J. Schrader.

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cc-WHG

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MIDAS, NEVADA
(VIA BATTLE MOUNTAIN)

June 8, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator;-

Enclosed find sheet of assays of the Bentley mine.

These assays are not very encouraging as you will notice that the cut samples underground are all too low to be commercial.

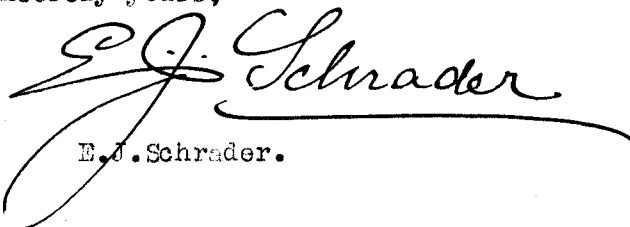
Samples #5523 to 26 inclusive indicate that there is some ore on the surface particularly on the east vein. It would not cost much to do some trenching across the east vein starting at the top of the hill and then carefully cut samples from the ledge as exposed. Such samples might indicate an ore-shoot beyond the face of the tunnel on the east vein that would have some value. The cropping samples warrant such work.

The samples would indicate that work was done there during the war because of the high prices being paid for both lead and silver.

Of course, the mine is gutted at present and therefore the underground samples are necessarily of stuff that was too low grade to be interesting and all the sulphide ore seems to have been removed from the west vein.

I am of the opinion that before underground work would be warranted it would be better to do some trenching and see where the best ore shoots are. You might find that the proper thing to do would be to drift on the East vein which would give you considerable depth. To sink the winze merely to find the intersection of the two veins might not be practical because it might be at a point where there is no ore-shoot on either vein at the intersection. You will note that the cut samples from the widest places in the east vein are also the two best samples. (#5517 and 5519)

Sincerely yours,



E. J. Schrader.

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Date June 8-29.

Mine Assay Sheet

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N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MIDAS, NEVADA
(VIA BATTLE MOUNTAIN)

June 15, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Your letter of June 13th received.

I will look up the mattress at once. The boys told me that the stage had taken everything over but probably the message to them did not say anything about a mattress.

Jones left here a few days ago and I regret you did not say anything before about the debt. He came in one night and asked for his time and said he was going to Kimberly to work for the Cons. Coppermines. Deacy went over there too but said he would be gone only a few days and asked me to keep his job for him which I did. We will now get some others to go over there to work.

Your news from Boston is surely good news. I hope it comes out as stated. I presume that this money will all go to Gold Circle and then we can wipe out the overdraft and pay back to Betty O'Neal what we owe it which will make the Betty account look a lot better and give both places funds to work with.

We are still plugging along. We are stopping for a length of several hundred feet above the Jackson tunnel and while the ore is not wide it is very good grade. We are also removing the last of the pillars on the 165 ft. level. I stopped driving the Noble tunnel for the time being and am drifting on the first vein we cut in the tunnel which is on a rhyolite-andesite contact. The Elko Prince is producing the usual amount of ore.

It started to rain this noon and has been raining steady ever since and it looks this evening as if it might keep up all night.

The monthly report went to you today. Considering the small tonnage treated I think we did pretty well to make such a good profit.

Sincerely yours,



E. J. Schrader.

cc: Senator N H Getchell, Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

July 3, 1929.

Mr. E.J. Schrader, Gen Sup't.,
Gold Circle Consolidated Mines Co.,
Midas, Nevada.

Dear Mr. Schrader:

With reference to your order for 360 HP Fairbanks Morse & Co. Diesel Engine and generator, beg to advise that when the writer returned to Battle Mountain, I found that there were eleven 360 HP Diesels sold ahead of your order, and when I asked to have your order given preference over some other orders that were already booked, they gave me the privilege of two places: one for July 8th shipment, or July 24th.

First, I told them I would take July 8th., but finding that they could not get the compressor into the car at that time, I changed to July 24th.

Also, with reference to the trucking of this outfit when it arrives at Redhouse about August 1st: It will come knocked down to everything except the crankshaft which will be in the base, and we do not wish the trucker to remove this crankshaft from the base under any circumstances as he will spoil the shaft if he undertakes to remove it and put it on timbers.

If your regular truckman cannot handle this piece which would be ten tons on one load, I learned from J.M. Lyon of Winnemucca that he has a truck which will handle the ten ton in one piece and not disturb the shaft. He stated that he would haul this one piece at a very reasonable price and he would be going to Redhouse for the small Diesel Engine and generator set in your car on which he will pay you freight.

I have discussed the foundation problem very thoroughly with our Mr. Howard Oxsen and also Mr. Collins, both of whom are men who know the conditions under which a 360 would be installed, and they both say by all means to extend the building west, instead

of north, and that the ground on the west side would be satisfactory for the foundation. If necessary, we can extend the bottom on the concrete block and make it a little wider and it will cost you very much less for the building and construction; and also the 360 and later the Doak engine would be more accessible to the present switch board which is already in a bad part of the building as you well understand, and would be very much worse if the engine were installed north.

Also, I have checked over the old switch board that we looked over in the store house. From information that our Mr. Collins has, we could not use it at all. Your present switch board wiring, etc. are too light for the additional power that will be combined in the two present engines and additional equipment that you installed, and it will be necessary to change the switches, as well as the wiring on your present board.

Also, your voltage regulator will have to be exchanged and a new board installed, together with these changes, including new switches for the present board and changing the voltage regulator will cost you \$1675.00.

It will be necessary if you wish us to go ahead with this new board and additional equipment for us to have the order at once so that we could make delivery on August first. There is no question that the engine and other goods will be delivered by that time.

With the new voltage regulator that we propose to furnish and the change to heavier switches for your present board, it will enable you to take care of additional power even when you get the Doak Engine in with your other engines.

Thanking you for past favors and your early reply with reference to the switch board, we remain.

Yours very truly,

FAIRBANKS MORSE & CO.

BY:

J.E.Hall
FR

*Mr. Collins will be the Engineer
for the installing*

July 6, 1929.

Mr. H. U. Castle,
Elko, Nevada.

Dear Mr. Castle:-

I am enclosing affidavits of labor for the following claims or groups of claims:-

The Camplan group, (5)
The Dodge claim,
The Reno "
The Star Pointer Group, (2)
The Mammoth Group, (5)
The Red, White and Blue group, (4)
The M.J. Group, (4)
The King Group, (3)
The Toothpick Fraction claim.
The Robert E. Lee claim,
The Grizzly group (11)
The Grant group (2)
The St. Paul group, (3)
The Jackson group, (6)
The Missing Link group, (4)
The Rex group, (4)
The Colorado Grande group, (3)

Of these claims all are owned by this company or are under option except the King group consisting of the Elko King, Elko King #1 and Elko King #2. These claims belong to G. E. Warren. He gave us permission to drive a tunnel through his ground with the stipulation that we were to file an affidavit of labor covering the annual work on those three claims. They are not under option to us. In that case I presume that we should give him the affidavit of labor after it is recorded and if you think that is correct, will you please return it to me.

Cordially yours,


E.J. Schneider.

cc-NHG
17 encls.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MIDAS, NEVADA
(VIA BATTLE MOUNTAIN)

July 6, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

We closed down a good deal of the work today and before we get through the mine crew will no doubt be out in half.

Yesterday we produced 37 tons and if we can keep production around 30 tons we can probably run along until the 10th anyway by gradually using up the tonnage stored in the mill bins.

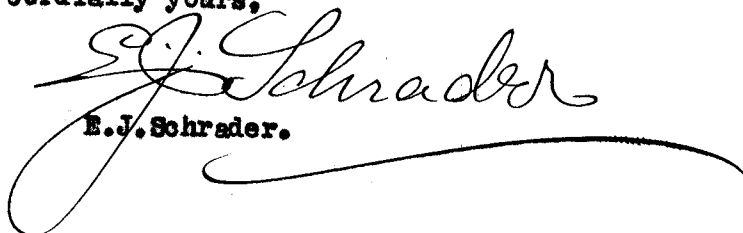
Various letters are enclosed which will be of interest to you. I think that the best thing now is to get an electrical man up here and see what is the best thing to be done about the switchboard. I hope that we can avoid replacing equipment we now have and perhaps we can do this best by having one new board for the 360 H.P. and the Dow engine. We do not necessarily need to have all the engines balanced in one circuit although that would be the best operating practice if it is possible without too much expense.

I was over to the Eastern Star yesterday. The location work on the five or six new claims is all completed and is all of legal dimensions. The cut for the new shaft is well started.

The Machinery Sales Agency offer a 180 K.W. Generator set complete and I have written the Dow people to see if their engine would handle that at this altitude if belt driven.

In the mill we are now grinding only on two shifts which will take care of the ore we are treating.

Cordially yours,


E. J. Schrader.

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Copy for N.H. Getchell.

July 8, 1929.

Fairbanks Morse & Co.,
35 Harrison st.,
San Francisco, Calif.

Gentlemen:-

My attention has been called to your letter of July 1st addressed to our Mr. Lyon in which you refer to centrifugal station pump for our Elko Prince mine.

The average flow of water at the Elko Prince is reported to be somewhat less than 150 gals. per minute by former operators. However, in sinking and drifting occasional pockets are out which temporarily increase the flow to perhaps as much as double the normal.

What we need is two separate units having a capacity each of 150 gals. and each direct connected to an A.C. motor. We can then run one pump keeping the other as a spare and using it for sudden increased flow. The measured head is 450 ft., namely, from the 750 ft. level up to the 300 ft. level but this does not count friction head. The pipe now installed is 4".

We would appreciate getting a bid from you for this installation consisting of two separate pumps as indicated. Both should be equipped with ball bearing motors.

In this connection we might say that we now have in our crushing room one of your motors #151461, Induction Motor, Frame B10B, Type B, 20 H.P. 1800 R.P.M. full load speed 1730 R.P.M. Could this motor be used for one of the pumps? We should have a dust-proof motor of this same size and speed for the crushing room but it is not important enough to warrant purchase of a new motor just for this purpose. However, if this crusher-room motor would be suitable for one of the pumps then we could order a dust-proof motor and substitute it, thus filling both requirements.

Regarding your recent letter that you would like to have this order right away so that freight could be saved by putting it in the car of machinery to be shipped about August 1st, we are sending the copy of this letter to Senator Getchell for his instructions as regards that, but please let us have your quotation by return mail.

Very truly yours,

Gold Circle Cons. Mines.

cc-NHG

by

E.J. Schrader.

Supt.

Copy for Mr. Getchell.

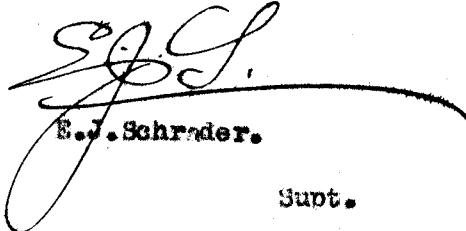
July 13, 1929.

Mr. H. U. Castle,
Elko, Nevada.

Dear Mr. Castle:-

In connection with some proposed development work in the Elko Prince mine it is rather important that we get some information about two claims just north of the Elko Prince group and which I do not believe are included in that group of claims. These two claims are the SILVER STAR and the GOLDEN STAR of which the first named is the most important as near as one can tell now. It is possible that the annual work was not done on the claims for the year that ended July 1st and I would appreciate it if at your next visit to the Court House you would see what the present status is of these two locations. If it is possible to get a description of the Silver Star I would like to have it as it is not a full claim and I do not know where the location stake is. With best regards, I am,

Very truly yours,


E. J. Schrader.

cc-HUC

Supt.

Copy for N.H. Getchell.

July 13, 1929.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines,
68 Devonshire street,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

Operations here are continuing on a reduced scale but we are still milling ore from the Grant vein on the tunnel level and from the Elko Prince mine. The ore-shoot on the 450 ft. level of the Elko Prince vein is looking very good. We have almost 5 ft. of solid quartz in the south end of the stope and 2 ft. of mixed material next to the quartz. We are also stoping some ore from the Junebell stope which has been a consistent producer for some months. The average of the ore from the Elko Prince as taken from the pocket at the mill has been around \$15.00 for the last thirty days.

We hope that some definite word as to our development and construction program can be sent to us soon. It would be desirable to get all concrete work completed while this warm weather lasts and it would also be most desirable if we could work two shifts at the Elko Prince during the summer and fall months as it is difficult at best to work up there during the winter months. Since we expect to open up a good tonnage of ore at the Elko Prince the deep tunnel Mr. Getchell has planned for a number of years should be rushed as fast as possible for it will take some time to drive it. The map shows that this tunnel should cut the Elko Prince at a depth of 850 ft. which will eliminate a lot of pumping and hoisting and solve the transportation problem of the ore.

Very truly yours,



E.J. Schrader.

cc-NHG.

Supt.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MIDAS, NEVADA
(VIA BATTLE MOUNTAIN)

July 13, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-


With the last bank statement we received two charge slips amounting to \$47.50, one being for \$35.00 and the other for \$12.50 for the Secy. of State. Inasmuch as Mr. Dolley is sure to write and want to know what these charges are for, will you please let me know in your next letter. I suppose that they are for corporation taxes of some kind, but I am not sure about it.

On June 27th or thereabouts Charley sent a check for \$1,000 to the bank in accordance with your instructions to the order of the Noble Gold Mines to apply on the option. Since that time he has written the bank two letters at Noble's request wanting to know what disposition they had made of it as Noble says he has not received any notice from them of any kind. Tonight Noble saw me and he is getting real peeved about not getting this payment and has heard nothing from the bank. If you would call Adams up perhaps we can get some action in the matter.

We have about three feet of quartz in the vein from the Noble tunnel and it looks good although so far the assays have been low. I will go over again tomorrow and take a good sample. From present appearances it looks as if the tunnel hit this vein in the very worst place.

Vic, Jim and I had planned to come over to see you tomorrow but I received a report tonight that my wire so saying could not be delivered as you were in Reno. We are milling a small tonnage but precipitation is holding up real well and we are not losing anything. However, we are running so much longer than planned that we will be out of cyanide soon, so we wanted to know what your instructions are. As we have discharged everyone not on ore production or in the mill as you told Jim, we have not been able to do anything about foundations either to date. I hope to hear from you as soon as you have returned to Betty O'Neal.

Very truly yours,


E. J. Schrader.

Copy for Mr. Getchell.

July 14, 1929.

Mr. H. J. Castle,
Elko, Nevada.

Dear Mr. Castle:-

Regarding your letter of July 12th, I find that the GOLD DOME and GOLD FLAT are two claims which were located some time ago by Mr. Getchell in the vicinity of the Western Star and I believe that they were allowed to lapse. Mr. C. G. Lyon did the location or rather annual work for the year 1926 but his son tells me no work was done for these two claims since that time.

That leaves only two claims unaccounted for, namely the Jack Pot and the Velvet. I can not find any record of them here. Therefore I am holding them up until I find out where they are and whether or not they are still valid.

Sincerely yours,


E. J. Schrader/

cc-NHG

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The "Silver Star" claim was located November 18, 1911, by the same parties mentioned above and having the same interests as those named as locators of the Golden Star claim and adjoining this claim is the "Golden Star" on the South.

All of the claims mentioned above appear of record to be full claims. I have been unable to find where any proofs of labor have been filed covering the Silver Star and Golden Star for many years; in fact I have not found any proofs of labor filed for these claims.

It may assist you in locating these claims on the ground by referring to another location, namely, - the "Silver Star Fraction" located November 16, 1911, by C. C. Randall, F. M. Macy and C. D. Dorsey. The record shows this claim joins the Silver Star on the East and the Climax on the West. The proof of labor on this claim for the years of 1926 and 1927 were filed by Tom Molan.

I find the record of another claim named "Silver Star" which was located by Jack Flynn, Joe Schell and Duane Bush in Divide Mining District, Elko County, Nevada, on January 1, 1917. There is nothing given to which this claim may be tied except that it is about 1500 feet from the camp of C. J. Berry.

Trusting this information will be satisfactory, I am,

Sincerely yours,



HUC:DC

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July 19th, 1929.

Mr. E. J. Schrader,
Midas, Nevada.

Dear Mr. Schrader:

I received the location certificates for the Lone Star No. 1, Lone Star No. 2, Lone Star Fraction, Reno Star No. 1 and Reno Star Fraction lode Mining Claims from Senator Getchell this morning and the same have been filed for record with the County Recorder.

Also I looked over the records in the County Recorder's office and find as follows:-

The "Gold Flat" claim was located July 1, 1924, by Wm. L. Chapman and is adjacent to West side of Eastern Star No. 1.

The "Gold Dome" claim was located July 1, 1924, by N. H. Getchell and is adjacent to the West side of the "Gold Flat" claim.

The "Jack Pot" claim was located June 20, 1924, by N. H. Getchell and joins the "Sequaw No. 1" on the West side and the "Last Chance" on the South side.

The "Velvet" claim was located June 22, 1924, by N. H. Getchell and joins the "Jack Pot" on the North and the "Last Chance" on the West. This claim is about one and a half miles from Midas Post Office.

I find another claim named "Jack Pot" located by Theodore Casowick as agent for N. H. Getchell but there is nothing in the record to indicate where it is located except Gold Circle Mining District.

The "Golden Star" claim was located November 18, 1911, by W. A. Adams, 2/3, Wm Mears, 1/6, and George Barker, 1/6, and the adjoining claim is the "Magnolia" on the South.

Copy for N.H. Getchell.

July 18, 1929.

Mr. H. U. Castle,
Elko, Nevada.

Dear Mr. Castle:-

Enclosed find check for \$30.10 in payment of the various items mentioned in your letter for filing fees, etc.

I am also enclosing affidavit of Labor for the Eastern Star group. You will note that I have crossed out the Lone Star and Reno Star. Senator Getchell found that these locations had never been recorded so he relocated them in April of this year as the Lone Star #1 and Reno Star #1. The location work has only recently been completed and therefore an affidavit of annual labor for these two claims would not be needed for last year since they had no legal existence.

In talking to Senator Getchell on Tuesday I found that he did not know of any claims in our group named Velvet and Jack Pot. Therefore, the only way we can find out where they are is to consult the County Records and if you will do that some time when you are in the Court House, it will be appreciated. We feel that they must be claims located by Chapman which have lapsed long ago.

If you will be kind enough to inform me of the filing costs for this Eastern Star group, I will see that a check is sent to you at once.

Very truly yours,



E. J. Schrader.

cc-NHG
2 encls.

July 23rd, 1929.

Mr. E. J. Schrader, Supt.,
Gold Circle Consolidated Mines,
Nidas, Nevada.

Dear Eric:

Replying to yours of July 18th. Think it is a good plan to mill Coats ore.

Regarding the Jack Pot claim. It just comes to my mind that this claim lies between the Sequaw and Rex Claims covering the mouth of the Rex tunnel and the side line on the east side running down close to Cassowick's house. The Velvet claim, I believe joins the Jack Pot on the north, which should run up over the lower end of the Elko Prince tailings pond and would be the north extension of the Jack Pot. The Velvet claim, I do not remember, but as the records show that it was located at about the same time as the others and joins the Jack Pot, they are probably east side line claims taken up at the time we started to clean out the Rex Tunnel, that is, east side line claims to the Rex and Sequaw holdings.

I have written Louis Dreben of the Mayer Motor Company telling him that, he having the contract for our hauling and if his equipment is not heavy enough to haul the Diesel Engine base and crank shaft, that it is up to him to contract with either Lyons or Frank Landon, who can handle it.

There is nothing new from the front more than what I told you in my last letter, but think we will at least know one way or the other by the 29th.

Yours sincerely,

NHG:GBF

H. U. CASTLE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
ELKO, NEVADA

July 25, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Getch:-

I have the letter which you forwarded to me, written by Mary L. Stone to the Gold Circle Consolidated Mines.

You will remember that the agreement or option to purchase the Colorado Grande Group of claims runs from the Noble Gold Mines, Inc., to H. U. Castle, and the option to purchase the Grizzly Group runs from Leslie Noble and his mother to the Gold Circle Consolidated Mines, a Trust.

Up to date and according to the contract there should have been paid for the purchase of the Colorado Grande Group the sum of \$10,000; and there should be paid on or before the 29th of next November the sum of \$15000. in cash and 25, 000 shares of stock of the Gold Circle Consolidated Mines delivered to the Noble Gold Mines Inc. The Original contract should be in the Battle Mountain State Bank, together with the deed for the property which will be delivered.

It is my idea to answer this letter of Mary L. Stone and tell her we are not interested in her suit because she must settle her difficulties with the Nobles. If she can arrange a settlement with the Nobles it is all right with us, but at present we are not interested because the Noble Gold Mines, Inc. have agreed to sell to me and convey good title. I do not believe I would let her know that the agreement to purchase runs to me.

If the above meets with your approval let me know by return mail.

Sincerely yours,



N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

July 25, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator;-

Your two letters of July 23rd received.

Checks for \$400.00 and \$500.00 are enclosed and will be charged to Goff's development as per your instructions. We expect a bullion return check in the bank next week but I presume that the checks will not be in the bank for a few days anyway.

I sent affidavits of labor to Castle for recording about a week ago as I obtained the information about the Jack Pot and the Velvet from him at the same time.


I wrote the Mayer Motor Co. along same lines that you did but have not had a reply. They will undoubtedly have to haul the base out with trailers since it is too long for one truck.

The Western Machinery Co. have a 180 K.W. generator complete with exciter, switch board, etc. which they offer for \$1200.00. I will send you the complete description tomorrow.

Precipitation has not been so good during the last few days but we are planning to increase the tonnage from the Elko Prince somewhat which should bring it up again. I hope to be able to run the mill until end of the month. The Coots ore samples about \$40.00 nearly all gold so we can make a nice profit from treating that. I presume that you want us to run as long as possible as it will look better than to have to let most of the crew go while we are waiting on Boston. We found that there were some fantastic rumors floating around Reno and elsewhere as it is, but the fact that we are still running the mill will quiet all such talk.

Nothing has been heard yet of the lumber for the Eastern Star.

Very truly yours,


E. J. Schrader

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

August 1, 1929.

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

Hon. N. H. Gatchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Your letter of July 30th received.

We scraped around until we added some to our ore stock in the bins and found a little more lime than we had anticipated so that we will run the mill until Saturday or Sunday. It is just as well as it is as the ore in the Jackson stope has been so low in the last few days that it did not pay with the small tonnage we were able to mill.

Hope you have a fine hunt. It is reported that there are lots of chickens in some parts of Elko County but we have not seen any around here this year. Last year when we drove to lodge in Tuscarora we saw lots of them each time. This year we have not seen a single pair much less a flock.

If and when you send for foundation plans for the hothead, it might be just as well to send for foundation bolts. I do not remember seeing them among the stuff from Alturas and if you had the engine on concrete up there you would not have been able to salvage them anyway.

When you come over, I would advise driving directly to Lower Clover ranch and then up to Myers. We came home that way last time and it is better than the bad stretch opposite Myers and to Four Corners.

Sincerely,



E. J. Schrader.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

July 29, 1929.

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

As mentioned in my letter of a few days ago, we will be compelled to shut down the mill on August 1st as we will be out of lime at that time. The lime was ordered originally with the idea that we would be through early this month so it has lasted longer than anticipated, but in addition to this we are getting close to the end of the Jackson shoot.

I would like to have your instructions as to what work is to be carried on after we close the mill. When you were here last you said that you wished to continue on a reduced scale even if the new funds were not sent out from Boston as anticipated.

It will take us a few days to empty the mill and we will precipitate all the values out of the solution and cleanup everything of value around the plant. We will have to remove the pulp from the agitators and thickeners and will then fill the tanks full of water or rather water and the solution remaining in the plant. If we do not get any money that may be all that you wish to do. If we get some funds then there is a certain amount of repair work and some alterations around the mill that will have to be made. We thought we would take the false bottoms out of the thickeners so that we can in future operate them as simple Dorr type machines and also we wish to caulk up all of the tanks.

I would suggest that we start hauling gravel and sand for the foundations. All of that takes time and in fact, I think that it would be best not to ship the Fairbanks Morse stuff at all until we have the foundations completed as then we can move the heavy piece directly from the truck to the foundations. In the meantime the foundations will have a chance to set. I would also suggest that we start excavating for the foundations.

As regards mine work, I suggest that we keep a shift in the Nobel tunnel and that we put one machine shift to driving the Jackson tunnel towards the intersection at the upper Jackson shaft. We must run the Dow for a short time each day anyway to pump out both Link and Jackson so that there is no additional overhead. I would also suggest a shift of two men in the old Colorado Grande workings where we recently found some more encouraging values. That is a difficult place to work after the weather gets bad and now we are almost in August. You will note this eliminates overhead, hoistmen, etc.

At the Elko Prince there are several places where we ought to carry on work while we have the chance. After the sinking pump and timbers are ordered we will have to use the whole crew in retimbering the main shaft but in the meantime we should drive the 450 ft. level south, out to the slip beyond Junebell vein to see if the ore found in the inclined waste raise from the stope amounts to anything, and we should also work in that stope in that portion of it where the ore is so good or we will lose the stope and can not

#2-N.H.G.

7/29/29

ever recover it. In addition to that there is the most important XCut in the north end of the 600 ft. level where the fault was found and where there is a chance of finding a north extension of the vein.

As we are now so far behind in our plans I would like to point out the advisability of getting some of the foundation work done before we are swamped with the arrival of a lot of machinery which we have no place to store. A car of machinery comes through rather fast, in fact, faster than a car of lumber from Oregon can reach us.

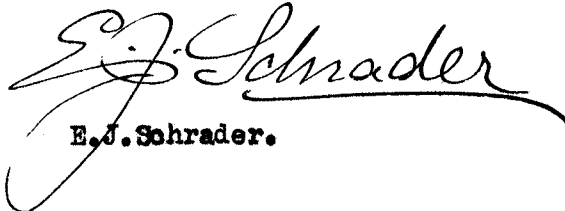
We will be running the mill all day on the 1st I think as I doubt whether Coot's ore will be delivered before that time.

Therefore, I presume that I will hear from you on Thursdays stage as this letter should reach you Wednesday.

In accordance with your previous instructions we are sending a check for \$1,000 to the Battle Mt. State Bank for the account of the Noble Gold Mines, Inc. This will complete the \$3,000 payment due them some time ago.

I presume you will have notified Boston that the mill will be closed on the 1st and very likely that will have some effect.

Sincerely yours,



E.J. Schrader.

P.S. Car of lumber for Eastern Star arrived today and presume Newman will start hauling it tomorrow. He is not in camp today.

EJS.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

July 30, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Your letter of July 29th received, with copy of wire from Mr. Sias.

The ore in the Jackson stope has been getting lower grade and the last few days we have not been making expenses. The Elko Prince alone can not furnish the tonnage and you know we are short of air up there. In addition to this we are getting short of lime although we can get some lime for a few days run from Winnemucca for about \$48.00 per ton feb. Midas.

It is probable that we could run a week longer making a large part of the expenses. In other words, if our expenses here are \$400.00 per day including all overhead, taxes, insurance, power plant, pumping, some of the men who have been working part time for Eastern Star such as blacksmith, truckdriver, etc., and we take out \$300.00 per day in the mill; we are actually losing whatever the difference is. If we shut off our mill income the entire cost of a lot of this falls on this company and Eastern Star and this may be more than the difference indicated.

We are therefore stopping all work with the night shift on the 31st. We will tram the broken ore into the mill on the 1st and probably be grinding ore all of the 1st to clean out the bins. Since you will need a blacksmith for the Eastern Star work, we can transfer the good blacksmith we have to that job if you want him. It will all depend on how much work you want us to carry on as explained in my letter of yesterday.

In this connection, I wanted to say that when the mill is shut down we will have ample power to send to the Elko Prince to run the sinking pump and I suggest that you order that and that we also order a car of lumber and timber for the Elko Prince shaft. I have complete details for the pump requirements submitted by Krogh in S.F. which I can send to you. It will take them several weeks to make delivery. It will take equally long for the lumber. You might advise me by wire what your further instructions are when you get this. If we are to get a ~~few~~ ton or so of lime from Winnemucca and run a few days longer, I should know about it by Thursday. Unless the ore suddenly improves in grade I do not think we can pay all expenses but we can pay most of them.

Sincerely,


E. J. Schrader.

Rebel Creek, Nevada.
8/8/29

Mr. E. J. Schrader.

Dear Mr. Schrader

Your letter received. This is the description of the CallT??? group of mining claims, five claims and a fraction.

There is four tunnels run on the group.

No. 1 tunnel is 140 ft. long winze 35 ft. then drift on vein 50 ft from bottom of winze. One stope and another winze 50 ft. long.

No. 2 tunnel is in 50 ft. No. 3 tunnel is in 90 ft. with a 42 ft. winze and a XCut 25 ft. All in ore. No. 4 tunnel 50 ft. but broken by intrusion of porphyry dyke. Open cuts have been made between the tunnels.

The system of veins in what is known as a net work of veins. They run from 3 to 7 ft. in thickness. Some high grade, rest milling ore. 400 ft. of backs can be obtained by driving these tunnels on veins.

On north end of property 800 ft. of backing can be obtained by tunnel. Such a tunnel I had started last year 500 ft. below apex to run in and then XCut east and west to get the Cottontail vein and Big Elephant vein, both veins dip east and vein in No. 4 tunnel dips west.

The richest float I found on north end of the estate. Float on this end in Spring Canyon claims averaged \$35 to \$4000 mostly gold. Silver content runs from $2\frac{1}{2}$ ozs. to 30 ozs. per ton. Six tons I shipped to Hazen ran \$87.00 per ton gold and \$4.00 silver. 15 tons sent to same company ran \$82.00 gold per ton and \$5.00 silver.

T. F. Melody.

N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

August 17, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

I received your note and we paid the Sullivan people by check tonight.

The note and their letter are enclosed. In a letter to them we stated that due to a misunderstanding as to the date of payment we had not sent a check previously and that we were sending the note to you for signature.

In regard to matters here, this company has been employing Jess Snyder at regular wages to do odd jobs but now that the bunkhouse is empty and there is very little else to do, it appears to me that a reduction could be made there if you wish to do it. The company has found to advantage to keep him as he is Constable but I think that he will see the reasonableness of any reduction you wish to make so please let me know about it. You may want to dispense with him entirely.

Up to this time the blacksmith has been fixing hanger bolts for the Eastern Star and sharpening the steel for that place and such other blacksmith work as has come up. Of course, that would not keep him busy so he has been overhauling all the steel of this company some of which was in bad shape but that is not work that must be done. I presume that when the hoist is installed at the Eastern Star you will wish to sink with two shifts so as to take advantage of the good weather and lack of accommodations over there and then he can be kept fairly busy.

That is about all for today. Jim and I are going up to the Melody property tomorrow.

Sincerely yours,


E. J. Schrader.

N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

August 15, 1929.

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Billy Rae came to see me a few days ago and said that he and his partners wanted to go ahead at the Reco #4 and store their ore until the mill started again. He intended talking to you about it when you came over but they did not seem to be in a hurry about it.

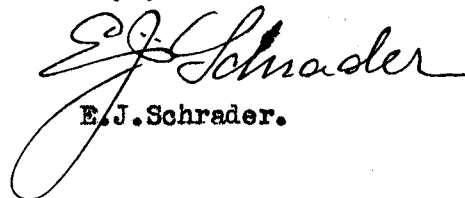
We owe them a few hundred dollars for the last settlement but if they go ahead and work it might be desirable to hold out part of that settlement as a credit to them to cover their Industrial Insurance fees and supplies they may buy for we will not have any settlements with them for some time and under the circumstances I feel rather sure you will not care to pay them in full and then have to pay out cash for their insurance fees and supplies they may use while we are shut down at the mill.

Will you drop me a line about it?

I do not blame you for not coming over in this heat. It was over 100 here yesterday and has been very hot for a number of days. As you say, there does not seem to be any reason for your making the trip until something definite comes up. Smith left here some days ago.

I guess they realize the situation in Boston and therefore I think that everything will be all right in a short time.

Sincerely yours,



E. J. Schrader.

LOT NUMBER 4667

RETURNS OF SILVER BULLION

RECEIVED OF Gold Circle Cons. Mines Co., Ely, Nevada

By AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY

SELBY SMELTING WORKS

OFFICE:

405 MONTGOMERY STREET,
SAN FRANCISCO.

Arrived August 28 1929 Settled September 7 1929

SHIPPER'S BAR NOS.		WEIGHT IN OUNCES		GOLD		SILVER	
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GOLD VALUE

Silver Value 51 7/8

Refining Charge

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GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

Sept. 5, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Enclosed find your check and also copy of last bullion returns.

I received your two last letters regarding the hot-head and as Jim was gone for a week I have been looking after matters myself at the Eastern Star.

We are putting in the concrete for the hot-head block which is larger than expected because we found that the ground was very poor and evidently the old hill sloped very sharply. We have the pump in the shaft and have put up the cooling tank obtained at the Rex mill for which however we had to make a few staves as some of the old ones were rotten. The head-frame is up and has one coat of paint and all that remains to be done there is to put up the dumping device for the bucket. Hauling sand was a slow job as we had to do it with our small truck as both Cornwall and Newman have left camp.

Darragh says it will take about three weeks to erect the hothead installation complete so that means about two weeks more. We made foundation bolts here as none were shipped to us and I wrote Feldmann to cancel the order. But for this delay we could go ahead with the sinking now but I agree with you that hand work will be very slow from now on. As soon as the block is in and partly set I will write the Mayer Motor Co. to have Newman come over and haul the hothead and other heavy pieces over to the Eastern Star.

I ordered a small car of oil 270 plus as you instructed and we will have to haul it from here to the Eastern Star as you do not have a storage tank there. However, I do not see where you will need a great deal of fuel oil there as the ground drills easily and the big job will be the mucking. Murrin I believe is a very good man and he is not at all slow. He did a good job with the headframe and putting up the old tank. I think your decision to work there with two shifts is a very wise one, even three might be advisable while the good fall weather continues, inasmuch as there are no accommodations at the mine itself. The faster you do it, the cheaper it will be in the end.

Sincerely yours,



E. J. Schrader.

2 encls.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

August 26, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Vic said that you were planning to drive to Washington on Wednesday so I thought that I should drop you a few lines before you leave.

I am enclosing copy of our last returns. They sent so many copies that I thought they might have forgotten to send you one this time. We shipped another bar a week ago which should run from \$2,000 to \$2,500. I have another small bar to ship out and about 110 lbs. of matter which should yield another \$1,000.

In the mill we are cleaning out #4 thickener. The sand bed is about $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft. thick and hard as concrete. This materially reduced the thickener capacity we had but this is probably the worst one of the series.

I was at the Eastern Star yesterday and today. The headframe is up and only a few braces and tie rods remain to be put in. We will then set up the hoist and then will be ready to put up the hothead. We have heard nothing of the foundation bolts for the hothead and so we will make our own. I understood you to say you had ordered a set but they have not come. In order to make room next to the hoist house with the hothead installed it will be necessary to take out 4 ft. more of the bank, the hot-head taking up much more room than anticipated. We only have to remove that much for the length of the hoist house in a curving line. I am having a tank taken from the Rex tomorrow for cooling water. We are using the outside compartment as the hoist compartment but even so we find that there is not room enough outside of the building for a road.

To keep the shaft sinking inside the \$10,000 I now think that it will be best to get the compressor installed and everything ready so that we can go ahead with two shifts and sink as fast as possible. The ground breaks well and the main job is the mucking.

Hope you have a good trip and that you see a real mine.

Sincerely yours,


E. J. Schrader.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

Sept. 10, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

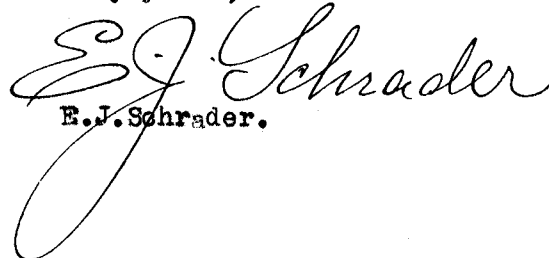
When you were here last you asked me to write to the Judge Gold Mining Co. some time this month regarding the payment due on October 1st and that we would not make it but would do some more work there if an extension is granted.

I am enclosing the letter with a sketch and if this is satisfactory to you, you can mail it from the Betty O'Neal. If you wish it to be changed in any respect, you can let me know. The only item of importance is the fact that you plan a long tunnel to the Elko Prince which would be in the Judge ground for some distance so that it might be advisable to keep the claim tied up.

Everything here is about the same. The car of lumber is here and as soon as Newmann has that hauled up at least in part, we will have him haul the compressor over to put on the foundations. The hoist is on the new foundation and is being assembled.

Number four thickener has been cleaned out and the cone has been replaced. The tank leaks a little but we will stop that now that we have a chance. This tank had about 3½ ft. of sand as hard as concrete in it and with that removed we will have so much more thickener capacity that it should materially improve the operations in the mill both as to capacity and as to extraction.

Sincerely yours,


E. J. Schrader.

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N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

September 21, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

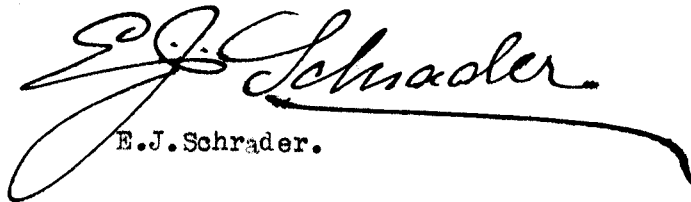
Dear Senator;-

We have removed the triplex pump from the Link shaft and all other equipment and therefore I do not need either Cody or Phillips here any more. The last couple of days Phillips has been hauling material over to the Eastern Star and later he will work there as planned.

Leslie Noble plans to move into Reno within a day or two. His wife and family are on their way west from Wisconsin.

This will cut the expenses here about \$500.00 per month.

Sincerely yours,



E. J. Schrader.

N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

Sept. 12, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Your letter of the 11th received.

Vic told me about the Link pump and we will pull out the station pump in the next day or so. We are moving the Rix compressor over to the mill so we can drive it by belt there. It is possible that this will furnish enough air so that we can run the Cameron sinker which is in the Link shaft for emergencies. At any rate it will furnish ample air for the Grant pump. This will enable us to shut the Link power house down entirely. The timber in the Link shaft is so rotten that it might be dangerous to try to move up the big sinker but we can leave it so connected that we can unwater at any time in the future.

As there is nothing new here I do not see any reason for your making the trip over that awful road but of course you may wish to do so.

I understand you are going to Washington again very soon and I presume you will take Sharp with you. He might not be able to get in later on.

Sincerely yours,



E. J. Schrader.

Copy for N.H. Getchell.

Mr. Frank E. Nye,
68 Devonshire Street,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Mr. Nye:-

Your letter of October 4th received yesterday.

That is rather a large order and I am rather doubtful whether or not I can send you such an exhaustive report before I leave or not. I am now packing my things and preparing to leave Midas. Mr. Dolley also sent us a long letter asking for considerable detailed explanations of accounts most of which are long before my time here and we are trying to get these straight from the old books. I will get that report to him before I leave so that the books will coincide for both offices.

Mr. Pike is leaving today. He has done very good work here and much of the credit for the production during the past year has been his. He finally developed a very good mine organization with as steady a crew as you could expect and it is too bad that the organization is now all scattered. Mr. Jacobsen is still here but I presume he will also have to seek other employment shortly.

I told Mr. Getchell on the 1st that I would stay a few days and get some matters caught up as a letter he had written me a few days before the 30th stating that he would have to let Mr. Pike and myself go, did not reach me until the 1st. All of that has now been done except some of Mr. Dolley's questions.

I am going to Reno when I leave and my plans are somewhat uncertain. I have a number of engagements for examinations and intend to go east for Christmas for a vacation. Much of the material you ask for has been covered in various letters to Boston and to Mr. Getchell but I realize that you would prefer to have it under one head and as soon as I can do this without interference with other employment, I will be glad to send it in. I promised Mr. Getchell to give him a short report on our milling results. Do you want this in the same report? Please let me know at once.

Cordially yours,

E. J. Schrader
E. J. Schrader.

Copy for N.H. Getchell.

July 9, 1929.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines,
68 Devonshire street,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

Bullion returns for Lot #42 having a gross value of
\$10,347.50 are enclosed herewith.

We will probably close the mill within a few days for
some repairs and while installation of other machinery takes place so
that we will not clean up again until we suspend milling for the time
being.

Stoping is being done on the Jackson vein in the tunnel and
in the Elko Prince mine.

Very truly yours,


E.J. Schrader.

Supt.

cc-NHG
1 encl.

N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

Dec. 24th, 1929.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:-

Inclosed you will find a copy of the settlement
of the Rico #4 Lease shipment.

In trying to find a contract of lease, we found
an old envelope with a graduated royalty scale for the Rico
Lease which I state herewith:

Under \$20.00 per ton take nothing.				
Over	\$30.00	and under	\$50.00	take 20%
"	\$50.00	"	"	\$100.00 " 25%
"	\$100.00	"	"	\$150.00 " 30%
"	\$150.00	"	"	\$250.00 " 35%
"	\$250.00	-----		40%

We have been advised that Benane was going to see
you, to try and have the lease renewed and Vic said he would like
to see you come over before you drew up a lease as things looked
very suspicious to him.

Respectfully yours,



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RICO #4 LEASE ORE SHIPMENT - Lot #59. - December 24, 1929.

Gross value taken from settlement sheet,	-	-	\$ 4,752.48
Freight, treatment charges, sampling & etc,			<u>465.91</u>
Net Returns from Smelter,	-	-	\$ 4,286.57
Less Royalty of 35%,	-	-	<u>1,500.20</u>
Net,			\$2,786.27
Less Supplies, & Ind. Insurance,			<u>147.55</u>
			\$2,638.72
Less haulage by C. True @ \$6.50 per ton,			<u>143.65</u>
Balance Due,			\$2,495.07
Check #1975 to Wm. Rae, -	\$831.69		
Check #1976 to J. Miles, -	\$831.69		
Check #1977 to F. Benane,-	\$831.69		

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED LINES.

Profit & Loss.

January 1930.

Production,

General Expense.	.	\$ 198.45
Closing Down Expense.		870.21
Property Taxes.		177.45
Insurance,-Fire.		182.52
Insurance,-accident.		19.17
Depreciation.		<u>625.00</u>
Net Profit, 1930.	.	\$2,072.80

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Comparative Balance.

January 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	.	.	\$443,766.27
Values In Mill Solution,			10,000.00
Accounts Receivable,			3,685.55
Stock Account,			<u>2,017.91</u>
Total,	.	.	\$459,471.73

Liabilities:

Property Payments,	.	.	\$ 75,163.75
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927.,			86,936.53
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,			745.62
Reserve for Property Taxes,			357.19
Reserve for Depreciation,			20,000.00
Overdraft, Fattie Wn. State Bank,			86,659.21
Accounts Payable, Petty O'Neal Mines,			55,930.05
Bills Payable, Current,			23.19
Pay Roll account,			471.65
Fire Insurance,-Prepaid,			831.15
Surplus Account,			<u>172,333.39</u>
Total,	.	.	\$459,471.73

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Trial Balance.

January 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	\$178,592.15
New Construction & Equip., Prior to 6/1/27.	111,174.52
New Construction, since " " "	26,718.53
New Development, " " "	109,175.92
New Equipment, " " "	18,107.35
Values In Mill Solution,	10,000.00
Accounts Receivable,	3,685.55
Stock Account,	2,017.91
General Expense,	198.45
Closing Down Expense,	870.21
Taxes-Property,	177.45
Insurance-Fire,	182.52
Insurance-Accident,	19.17
Depreciation,	625.00
Total,	\$461,544.53

Liabilities:

Property Payments, N. H. Getchell,	\$ 21,300.00
Property Payments, Noble Interests,	13,883.75
Poston Office, since June 1, 1927.	86,936.53
Reserve for Property Taxes,	357.19
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,	745.62
Reserve for Depreciation,	20,000.00
Overdraft,-Battle Mtn. State Bank,	86,659.21
Accounts Payable,-Betty O'Neal Mines,	55,930.05
Bills Payable, Current,	23.19
Pay Roll Account,	471.65
Surplus Account,	174,406.19
Fire Insurance, Prepaid,	831.15
Total,	\$461,544.53

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Expenses - January

1930.

General Expenses,	.	.	\$ 198.45
Closing Down Expense,			870.21
Taxes,- Bullion & Property,			177.45
Insurance, - Fire & Accident,			<u>201.69</u>
Total Expenses,	.	.	\$1,447.80
Depreciation,			<u>625.00</u>
Total Expenses & Depreciation,	.	.	\$2,072.80

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Expenses - March.

1930.

General Expenses,	.	.	\$ 83.70
Closing Down Expense,			611.87
Taxes, - Bullion & Property,			177.45
Insurance, - Fire & Accident,			<u>200.81</u>
Total Expenses,	-	-	\$1,273.83
Depreciation,			<u>625.00</u>
Total Expenses & Depreciation,	-	-	\$1,898.83

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Trial Balance.

March 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	•	•	\$178,592.15
New Constr. & Equip.(prior to June 1, 1927),			111,174.52
New Construction, since " " "			26,718.33
New Development, " " " "			109,175.92
New Equipment, " " " "			18,134.48
Accounts Receivable,			248.61
Stock Account,			1,957.29
General Expense,			335.00
Closing Down Expense,			2,529.73
Taxes- Property,			532.35
Insurance- Fire,			547.56
Insurance- Accident,			55.38
Depreciation,			<u>1,875.00</u>
Total,	-	-	\$451,876.32

Liabilities:

Property Payments, - N. H. Cetchell,	•	\$ 21,300.00
Property Payments, - Noble Interests,		13,883.75
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927.,		103,771.04
Reserve for Property Taxes,		712.09
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,		745.62
Reserve for Depreciation,		21,250.00
Overdraft, - Battle Mtn. State Bank,		88,105.43
Accounts Payable, Betty O'Neal Mines,		35,720.18
Bills Payable, current,		314.68
Pay Roll Account,		471.15
Surplus Account,		184,406.19
Fire Insurance, Prepaid,		<u>1,196.19</u>
Total,	-	\$451,876.32

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Comparative Balance.

March 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	.	.	\$443,795.40
Accounts Receivable,			248.61
Stock Account,			<u>1,957.29</u>
Total,	-	-	\$446,001.30

Liabilities:

Property Payments,	.	.	\$ 35,183.75
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927.,			103,771.04
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,			745.62
Reserve for Property Taxes,			712.09
Reserve for Depreciation,			21,250.00
Overdraft, - Battle Mtn. State Bank,			88,105.43
Accounts Payable, - Betty O'Neal Mines,			35,720.18
Bills Payable, current,			314.68
Pay Roll Account,			471.15
Fire Insurance, Prepaid,			1,196.19
Surplus Account,			<u>158,531.17</u>
Total,	-	-	\$446,001.30

GOLD OREOLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Profit & Loss.

March 1930.

Production, -----

General Expenses,	.	\$ 335.00
Closing Down Expense,		2,529.73
Property Taxes,		532.35
Insurance, - Fire,		547.56
Insurance, @ Accident,		55.36
Depreciation,		<u>1,875.00</u>
Net Profit, 1930.	.	\$5,875.02

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Expenses - April.

1930.

General Expense.	.	.	\$	65.75
Closing Down Expense.				840.05
Taxes.- Bullion & Property.				177.45
Insurance. - Fire & Accident.				<u>201.27</u>
Total Expenses.	.	.	\$	1,284.52
Depreciation.				<u>625.00</u>
Total Expenses & Depreciation.		.	\$	1,909.52

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Trial Balance.

April 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	.	.	.	\$178,592.15
New Construction & Equip., prior to June 1, 1927.	.	.	.	111,174.52
New Construction,	since	"	"	26,718.33
New Development,	"	"	"	109,175.92
New Equipment,	"	"	"	18,134.48
Accounts Receivable,				352.81
Stock Account,				2,475.35
General Expense,				400.75
Closing Down Expense,				3,369.78
Taxes-Property,				709.80
Insurance-Fire,				730.08
Insurance-Accident,				74.13
Depreciation,				<u>2,500.00</u>
Total,	.	.	.	\$454,408.10

Liabilities:

Property Payments, - N. H. Getchell,	.	\$ 21,300.00
Property Payments, - Noble Interests,		13,883.75
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927.,		103,771.04
Reserve for Property Taxes,		889.54
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,		745.62
Reserve for Depreciation,		21,875.00
Overdraft - Battle Mtn. State Bank,		89,510.10
Accounts Payable, Betty O'Neal Mines,		35,720.18
Bills Payable, current,		235.24
Security Mining Company, Accounts Payable,		215.68
Pay Roll Account,		477.05
Surplus Account,		164,406.19
Fire Insurance, - Prepaid,		<u>1,378.71</u>
Total,	.	\$454,408.10

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Comparative Balance.

April 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	.	.	.	\$443,795.40
Accounts Receivable,				352.81
Stock Account,				<u>2,475.35</u>
Total,	.	.	.	\$446,623.56

Liabilities:

Property Payments,	.	.	.	\$ 35,183.75
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927.,				103,771.04
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,				745.62
Reserve for Property Taxes,				889.54
Reserve for Depreciation,				21,875.00
Overdraft,- Battle Mtn. State Bank,				89,510.10
Accounts Payable, Betty O'Neal,				35,720.18
Bills Payable, current,				235.24
Bills Payable, Security Mining Co.,				215.68
Pay Roll Account,				477.05
Fire Insurance,- Prepaid,				1,378.71
Surplus Account,				<u>156,621.65</u>
Total,	.	.	.	\$446,623.56

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Profit & Loss.

April 1930.

Production,

General Expense, \$ 400.75

Closing Down Expense, 3,369.78

Property Taxes, 709.80

Insurance, - Fire, 730.08

Insurance, - Accident, 74.13

Depreciation, 2,500.00

Net Profit, 1930. \$7,784.54

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines.

BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1929.

ASSETS

Cash Balance		19.54
Notes Receivable		1,615.02
Sundry Accounts Receivable		55,819.88
Supplies-Mine and Mill		2,648.00
Prepaid Fire and Industrial Insurance		1,474.82
Mining Property	\$847,988.33	
Buildings and Town Lots	30,098.13	
General Mine Equipment	27,224.15	
Mill and Mill Equipment and Power House	253,580.54	
General Development	185,234.41	
Auto Equipment	3,725.00	
Office Furniture and Fixtures	522.50	
	<u>\$1,348,173.06</u>	
Less Reserve for Depreciation	\$ 5,262.55	
" " " Depletion of Ore Reserves	<u>244,155.56</u>	<u>249,418.11</u>
		<u>\$1,098,754.95</u>
		<u>\$1,160,332.21</u>
Operating Deficit including Comms. & Discts. on Stk. Sales		<u>380,615.78</u>
		<u>\$1,540,947.99</u>

LIABILITIES

Notes Payable	\$ 262,739.03
Sundry Accounts Payable	17,115.89
Taxes Payable	1,818.30
Commissions and Salaries, and Interest Payable	10,260.44
Capital Stock Issued (Shrs. no par 1,588,481)	<u>1,249,014.33</u>
	<u>\$1,540,947.99</u>

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Expenses - May.

1930.

General Expense,	.	.	\$ 128.83
Closing Down Expense,			785.40
Taxes,- Bullion & Property,			177.45
Insurance,- Fire & Accident,			<u>189.52</u>
Total Expenses,	.	.	\$1,281.20
Depreciation,			<u>625.00</u>
Total Expenses & Depreciation,	.	.	\$1,906.20

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Trial Balance.

May 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	.	.	\$178,592.15
New Constr. & Equipment, prior to June 1, 1927.			111,174.52
New Construction,	since	" "	26,718.33
New Development,	"	" "	109,175.92
New Equipment,	"	" "	18,134.48
Accounts Receivable,			695.13
Stock Account,			1,910.25
General Expense,			529.58
Closing Down Expense,			4,155.18
Battle Mountain State Bank,			5,874.56
Taxes,-Property,			887.25
Insurance,-Fire,			912.60
Insurance,-Accident,			81.13
Reserve for Property Taxes,			177.44
Depreciation,			<u>3,125.00</u>
Total,	.	.	\$462,143.52

Liabilities:

Property Payments, - N. H. Getchell,	.	\$ 21,300.00
Property Payments, - Noble Interests,		13,883.75
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927.,		110,771.04
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,		745.62
Reserve for Depreciation,		22,500.00
Accounts Payable, Betty O'Neal Mines,		121,740.10
Bills Payable, current,		4,523.09
Pay Roll Account,		712.50
Surplus Account,		164,406.19
Fire Insurance, -Prepaid,		<u>1,561.23</u>
Total,	.	\$462,143.52

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Comparative Balance.

May 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,		\$443,795.40
Accounts Receivable,		695.13
Stock Account,		1,910.25
Battle Mountain State Bank,		5,874.56
Reserve for Property Taxes,		<u>177.44</u>
Total,		\$452,452.78

Liabilities:

Property Payments,		\$ 35,183.75
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927.,		110,771.04
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,		745.62
Reserve for Depreciation,		22,500.00
Accounts Payable, Betty O'Neal,		121,740.10
Bills Payable, current,		4,523.09
Pay Roll Account,		712.50
Fire Insurance,-Prepaid,		1,561.23
Surplus Account,		<u>154,715.45</u>
Total,		\$452,452.78

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Profit & Loss.

May 1930.

Production,

General Expense, \$ 529.58

Closing Down Expense, 4,155.18

Property Taxes, 887.25

Insurance,-Fire, 912.60

Insurance,-Accident, 81.13

Depreciation, 3,125.00

Net Profit, - 1930.	\$9,690.74
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N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

E. J. SCHRADER
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

July 1, 1930.

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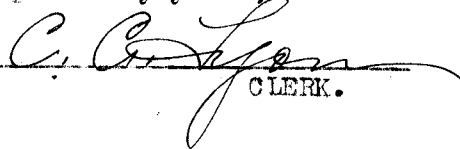
Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:

Vic and I have gone over the ground thoroughly and cannot find where anyone has tried to locate any of the claims. Most of the suspects are out of town and Casowick, the only remaining one, has been parked on Dick's benches all day.

You will note that the \$2,500.00 check to Gold Circle Cons. Mining Co., is listed on the enclosed report. However, I suppose it doesn't matter now, how long the same is kept from their knowledge.

Respectfully yours,


CLERK.

GOLD TRIPLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

Trial Balance.

June 1930

Assets.

Property Account, - - - - -	\$178,592.15
New Construction & Equip. Prior to June 1, 1927,	111,174.52
New Construction, Since " " "	26,718.23
New Development, " " " "	109,175.92
New Equipment, " " " "	16,134.48
Accounts Receivable,	127.76
Stock Account,	2,366.71
Mining Operations,	1,926.07
General Expense,	626.82
Closing Down Expense,	5,025.11
Battle Mountain State Bank,	3,081.58
Marketing Pullion,	589.51
Taxes--Property,	1,064.69
Insurance--Fire,	1,022.98
Insurance--Accident,	85.63
Depreciation,	750.00
Fire Insurance--Prepaid,	220.75
Total	\$463,685.61

Liabilities.

Property Payments, N. H. Gatchell, - - - - -	\$ 21,300.00
Property Payments, Noble Interests,	13,883.75
Poston Office, Since June 1, 1927	110,771.04
Reserve for Pullion Taxes,	745.62
Reserve for Depreciation,	27,125.00
Accounts Payable, Betty O'Neal Mines,	122,350.23
Bills Payable, Current	5,200.07
Pay Roll Account,	420.75
Pullion Production,	5,482.96
Dividend Account,	164,406.19
Total	\$463,685.61

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Comparative Balance Sheet.

June 1930.

Assets.

Property Accounts, - - - - -	\$443,795.40
Accounts Receivable,	127.86
Stock Account,	2,766.71
Battle Mountain State Bank,	3,061.68
Fire Insurance-Prepaid,	220.75
Total,	\$449,591.80

Liabilities.

Property Payments, - - - - -	\$ 35,183.75
Boston Office, Since June 1, 1927,	110,771.04
Reserve for Fullion Taxes,	745.62
Reserve for Depreciation,	23,125.00
Accounts Payable, Petty O'Neal Wines,	122,330.23
Bills Payable, Current,	3,200.07
Pay Roll Account,	420.75
Surplus Account,	153,795.74
Total,	\$449,591.80

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINE..

Profit & Loss.

June 1930.

Bullion Production,	.	.	\$3,482.96
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Mine Operating Costs,	.	\$1,926.07
General Expense,		626.82
Closing Down Expense,		5,025.11
Marketing Bullion,		589.51
Taxes,-Property,		1,064.69
Insurance,-Fire,		1,022.98
Insurance,-Accident,		88.63
Depreciation,		3,750.00

Net Profit, - 1930,	10,610.85
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\$3,482.96.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED LINES

Costs

June 1930

Production.

Gross Value Bullion

\$3482.96

Expenses.

Mine Operating Costs.

Leases:

Rico #4 Lease

\$1,926.07

Marketing Bullion

589.51

General Expense

97.24

Closing Down Expense

869.93

Taxes--Bullion & Property

177.44

Insurance--Fire & Acc.

117.88

Total Expenses

\$3,778.07

Profit

295.11

Depreciation

625.00

Net Operating Profit

920.11

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Costs.

July - 1930.

Production.

This month.

Since Jan. 1, 1930.

Gross Value of Bullion,

\$ 3,482.96

Expenses.

Mine Operating Costs:

Rico #4 Lease,		1,926.07
Noble Tunnel, Assessment Work,	\$ 318.00	318.00
Grant Mine, " "	303.00	303.00
Marketing Bullion,		589.51
General Expenses,	234.57	861.39
Closing Down Expense,	336.65	5,361.76
Property Taxes,	207.80	1,272.49
Insurance, Fire & Accident,	119.51	1,231.12

Total Expenses,

\$1,519.53

\$11,863.34

Profit,

1,519.53

8,380.38

Depreciation,

625.00

4,375.00

Net Profit,

\$ 2,144.53

\$ 12,755.38

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Trial Balance.

July 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	.	.	\$178,592.15
New Construction & Equip., Prior to June 1, 1927.,			111,174.52
New Construction,	Since	" " "	26,718.33
New Development,	"	" " "	109,175.92
New Equipment,	"	" " "	18,134.48
Accounts Receivable,			200.97
Stock Account,			2,208.21
Mining Operations,			2,547.07
General Expense,			861.39
Closing Down Expense,			5,361.76
Battle Mountain State Bank,			2,047.81
Marketing Bullion,			589.51
Taxes,- Property,			1,272.49
Insurance, - Fire,			1,133.36
Insurance, - Accident,			97.76
Fire Insurance, Prepaid,			110.37
Depreciation,			<u>4,375.00</u>
Total,	.	.	\$464,601.10

Liabilities:

Property Payments, N. H. Getchell,	.	.	\$ 21,300.00
Property Payments, Noble Interests,			13,683.75
Boston Office, Since June 1, 1927.,			110,771.04
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,			745.62
Reserve for Property Taxes,			207.80
Reserve for Depreciation,			23,750.00
Accounts Payable, Betty O'Neal Mines,			121,324.78
Bills Payable, Current,			4,149.96
Pay Roll Account,			579.00
Bullion Production,			3,482.96
Surplus Account,			<u>164,406.19</u>
Total,	.	.	\$464,601.10

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Comparative Balance Sheet.

July 1930.

Assets:

Property Accounts,	\$443,795.40
Accounts Receivable,	200.97
Stock Account,	2,208.21
Battle Mountain State Bank,	2,047.81
Fire Insurance, Prepaid.,	<u>110.37</u>
Total,	\$448,362.76

Liabilities:

Property Payments,	\$ 35,183.75
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927.,	110,771.04
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,	745.62
Reserve for Depreciation,	23,750.00
Reserve for Property Taxes,	207.80
Accounts Payable, Betty O'Neal Mines,	121,324.78
Bills Payable, current,	4,149.96
Pay Roll Account,	579.00
Surplus Account,	<u>151,650.81</u>
Total,	\$448,362.76

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Profit & Loss.

July 1930.

Bullion Production,	.	.	.	\$ 3,482.96
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Mine Operating Costs,	.	.	\$ 2,547.07
General Expenses,			861.39
Closing Down Expenses,			5,361.76
Marketing Bullion,			589.51
Property Taxes,			1,272.49
Insurance, - Fire,			1,133.36
Insurance, - Accident,			97.76
Depreciation,			<u>4,375.00</u>
Total,	.	.	\$16,238.34

Net Profit, - 1930.

\$12,755.38

SECURITY MINING COMPANY.

Trial Balance.

July 1930.

Assets:

Accident Insurance,	.	.	\$	524.24
Assessment Work,				365.20
Closing Down Expense,				155.00
Equipment,				10,035.34
General Expense,				863.62
Office Expense,				461.79
Property Account,				6,000.00
Stock Account,				1,384.92
Shaft Account,				9,269.29
Unwatering Expense,				7,223.16
Accounts Receivable,				<u>24.23</u>
Total,	.	.		\$36,306.79

Liabilities:

New York Office,	.	.		\$35,000.00
Battle Mountain State Bank, Overdraft,				1,029.14
Boarding House Account,				47.25
Bills Payable,				<u>230.40</u>
Total,	.	.		\$36,306.79

SECURITY MINING COMPANY.

Cash Expenditures, - - July 1930.

Supply Vouchers.

<u>Date.</u>	<u>Number.</u>	<u>Payable to.</u>	<u>Amount.</u>	<u>For.</u>	<u>Charge.</u>
7/5, -121		R. O. Newman,	\$ 96.00	Wages hauling,	Stock.
7/11, -122		Standard Oil Co.,	29.00	Lub. Oil,	"
7/11, -123		" " "	594.61	Gas & Distillate,	"
7/16, -124		J. F. Boyle,	5.60	Unload oil,	"
7/16, -125		Dun, Carr, & Hayden co.,	3.20	Nuts,	Timbering Shaft.
7/16, -126		Gen'l. Electric Sup. Corp.,	9.12	Bulbs,	Stock.
7/16, -127		Pioneer Rubber Mills,	13.05	Air Hose,	Equipment.
7/20, -128		Chi Pneumatic Tool Co.,	58.64	Shaft & Nozzles,	"
7/20, -129		W. R. Hancock,	68.10	Hauling,	(Stock \$61.00 (Equip. 4.00 (Bd. House 3.10
7/20, -130		Winnemucca Stage,	53.02	Hauling,	(Stock \$42.84 (Sink. Shaft \$6.00 (Unwatering \$4.18
7/20, -131		Richfield Oil Co.,	228.68	Fuel oil,	Stock.
7/26, -132		Ingersoll-Rand Co.,	66.75	Drill parts,	"
7/26, -133		Gen'l. Electric Co.,	1.66	Brushes,	Gen'l. Exp.
7/26, -134		E.S. Dyer Lbr. Co.,	50.70	Lbr. & Wedges,	Stock.
7/26, -135		E. Reinhart Co.,	187.88	Powder & Coal-BS	"
7/26, -136		Central Meat Mkt.,	85.13	Meat,	Bd. House a/c.
7/26, -137		A. A. Primeaux,	129.56	Groceries,	(Bd. House \$172.96 (Gen'l Exp. 7.45
			(Credit allowed for gasoline, -		
7/26, -138		Mayer Motor Co.,	43.42	Gas for haul.	(Cr. Stock \$50.85
7/26, -139		" " "	79.46	Lease trucks,	Stock.
Total,			\$1,803.58		

In Account With Battle Mountain State Bank.

	Debit.	Credit.
Balance, June 30th, 1930,	\$ 228.90	
Stock Sale, deposited,	547.46	
Supply Vouchers, issued in July,		\$1,803.58
Telegram paid by bank,		1.92
Overdraft, July 31, 1930.		\$1,029.14

SECURITY MINING COMPANY.

Trial Balance.

July 1930.

Assets:

Accident Insurance,	.	.	\$	524.24
Assessment Work,				365.20
Closing Down Expense,				155.00
Equipment,				10,035.34
General Expense,				863.62
Office Expense,				461.79
Property Account,				6,000.00
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Battle Mountain State Bank, Overdraft,				1,029.14
Boarding House Account,				47.25
Bills Payable,				<u>230.40</u>
Total,	.	.		\$36,306.79

DUPLICATE.

SECURITY MINING COMPANY.

Cash Expenditures. - July 1930.

Supply Vouchers.

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7/11,	-123	" " "	594.61	Gas & Distillate,	"
7/16,	-124	J. F. Boyle,	5.60	Unload oil,	"
7/16,	-125	Dun, Carr, & Hayden co.,	3.20	Nuts,	Timbering <u>shaft</u> .
7/16,	-126	Gen'l. Electric Sup. Corp.,	9.12	Bulbs,	Stock.
7/16,	-127	Pioneer Rubber Mills,	13.05	Air Hose,	Equipment.
7/20,	-128	Chi Pneumatic Tool Co.,	58.64	Shaft & Nozzles,	"
7/20,	-129	W. R. Hancock,	68.10	Hauling,	(Stock \$61.00 (Equip. 4.00 (Bd. House 3.10
7/20,	-130	Winnebago Stage,	53.02	Hauling,	(Stock \$42.84 (Sink. Shaft \$6.00 (Unwatering \$4.18
7/20,	-131	Richfield Oil Co.,	228.68	Fuel oil,	Stock.
7/26,	-132	Ingersoll-Rand Co.,	66.75	Drill parts,	"
7/26,	-133	Gen'l. Electric Co.,	1.66	Brushes,	Gen'l. Exp.
7/26,	-134	E.S. Dyer Lbr. Co.,	50.70	Lbr. & Wedges,	Stock.
7/26,	-135	E. Reinhart Co.,	187.88	Powder & Coal-BS	"
7/26,	-136	Central Meat Mkt.,	85.13	Meat,	Bd. House a/c.
7/26,	-137	A. A. Primeaux,	129.56	Groceries,	(Bd. House \$172.96 (Gen'l Exp. 7.45 (Cr. Stock \$50.85
				(Credit allowed for gasoline, -	
7/26,	-138	Mayer Motor Co.,	43.42	Gas for haul.	Stock.
7/26,	-139	" " "	79.46	Lease trucks,	"
		Total,	\$1,803.58		

In Account With Battle Mountain State Bank.

	<u>Debit.</u>	<u>Credit.</u>
Balance, June 30th, 1930,	\$ 228.90	
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DUPLICATE.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA
MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

November 27th, 1930.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Betty O'Neal, Nevada.

Dear Senator:

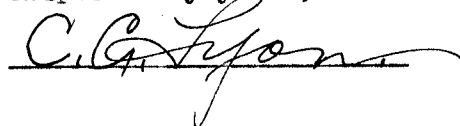
I am very sorry that our misunderstanding caused such an unpleasant situation and put you into such a predicament. The whole story appeared in the Elko Free Press and was copied by the other papers. The way it got out was through Mr. H. A. Thompson who was in Elko that day. Our man Bruce who stays with the Thompsons evidently told all we let him know and he and Thompson surmised the rest of it. If you recall, while we were talking the other day, we said we would have to put our men off with their pay until after we made a run, which was what we had decided would be the best way to handle it. Although I did not hire Bruce, I know that he was told that we had a sort of lease but that nothing had been decided definitely and he would have to take a chance on waiting until we made a run or if it didn't get that far, until we could pay him by other means. What was said about it was all very vague and indefinite and it seemed unreasonable that any of it would go farther than the man himself.

I called the Editor of the Humboldt Star to-day, as you said, and denied the whole business and asked that the correction appear on the front page; which he said would be done in to-morrows paper as they did not edit a paper on 27th.

We want you to know that we would not willingly say a word that would hurt you in any way and that it was nothing but dumbness on our part that kept us from seeing how it could effect you or anyone before anything was stated in a definite way.

Although I know of your ability to extricate yourself from a bad hole, I am certainly sorry to be part of the cause to put you in such a position. With best wishes, I am,

Respectfully yours,



GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Costs.

October 1930.

	<u>This Month.</u>	<u>Since Jan. 1, 1930.</u>
Gross Value Bullion, -	\$ 695.01	\$ 4,177.97
Mining Operations:		
Recd #4 Lease, -	370.51	2,296.58
Grant Mine, Assessment Work,	248.00	1,195.00
Marketing Bullion,	165.71	755.22
General Expense,	67.18	1,026.91
Closing Down Expense,	451.65	6,436.41
Taxes,- Property,	207.79	1,695.88
Insurance,- Fire & Accident,	3.57	1,354.30
Expenses, . . .	\$1,514.41	\$14,970.30
Betty O'Neal Mine Details Account,	1,121.80	4,317.36
Total Expenses, . . .	\$2,636.21	\$19,287.66
<i>Profit,</i>	<i>\$1,941.20</i>	<i>\$15,109.69</i>
Depreciation, . . .	\$ 625.00	\$ 6,250.00
<i>Net Profit,</i>	<i>\$2,566.20</i>	<i>\$21,359.69</i>

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Comparative Balance.

October 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	\$444,931.40
Accounts Receivable,	1,540.51
Chiara Ranch Account Receivable,	9,634.54
Stock Account,	1,874.09
Stock Account, Betty O'Neal Mine,	<u>12,000.00</u>
Total,	\$469,980.54

Liabilities:

Property Payments,	\$ 35,183.75
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927,	110,771.04
Betty O'Neal Mine Purchasing Account,	140,926.32
Overdraft, - Battle Mountain State Bank,	797.23
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,	745.62
Reserve for Property Taxes,	831.19
Reserve for Depreciation,	25,625.00
Bills Payable, current,	8,316.61
Minerals Separation Corp. N. A., Accts. Payable,	3,408.78
Pay Roll Account,	328.50
Surplus Account,	<u>143,046.50</u>
Total,	\$469,980.54

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Profit & Loss.

October 1930.

Bullion Production,	.	.	\$ 4,177.97
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Mine Operating Costs,	.	\$ 7,808.94
General Expense,		1,036.91
Closing Down Expense,		6,436.41
Marketing Bullion,		755.22
Taxes, - Property,		1,895.88
Insurance, - Fire,		1,243.73
Insurance, - Accident,		110.57
Depreciation,		<u>6,250.00</u>

Total,	.	\$25,537.66
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Net Profit - 1930 -

\$21,359.69

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Trial Balance.

October 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	\$178,592.15
New Construction & Equip., prior to June 1, 1927,	111,174.52
New Construction, since " " "	26,718.33
New Development, " " " "	110,311.92
New Equipment, " " " "	18,134.48
Accounts Receivable,	1,540.51
Chiara Ranch Account Receivable,	9,634.54
Stock Account,	1,874.09
Stock Account, Betty O'Neal Mine,	12,000.00
Mining Operations,	7,808.94
General Expense,	1,036.91
Closing Down Expense,	6,436.41
Marketing Bullion,	755.22
Taxes,- Property,	1,895.88
Insurance, - Fire,	1,243.73
Insurance, - Accident,	110.57
Depreciation,	6,250.00
Total,	\$495,518.20

Liabilities:

Property Payments, N. H. Cutchell,	\$ 21,300.00
Property Payments, Noble Interests,	13,883.75
Betty O'Neal Mine Purchasing Account,	140,926.32
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927,	110,771.04
Overdraft,- Battle Mountain State Bank,	797.23
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,	745.62
Reserve for Property Taxes,	831.19
Reserve for Depreciation,	25,625.00
Accounts Payable, current,	8,316.61
Minerals Separation Corp. N. A., acct. Payable,	3,408.78
Pay Roll Account,	328.50
Bullion Production,	4,177.97
Surplus Account,-	164,406.19
Total,	\$495,518.20

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

COSTS.

NOVEMBER 1930.

		<u>This Month.</u>	<u>Since Jan. 1, 1930.</u>
Gross Value Bullion,	-		\$4,177.97
Mining Operations:			
Reco #4 Lease,			2,296.58
Grant Mine, Assessment Work,	\$ 330.80	1,525.80	
Marketing Bullion,		755.22	
General Expense,	39.38	1,076.29	
Closing Down Expense,	441.65	6,878.06	
Taxes,- Property,	207.79	2,103.67	
Insurance, - Fire & Accident,	13.10	1,367.40	
Expenses,	-	\$1,032.72	\$16,003.02
Betty O'Neal Mine Details Account,		1,212.82	5,530.18
Total Expenses,	-	\$2,245.54	\$21,533.20
Profit,		\$2,245.54	\$17,355.23
Depreciation,		\$ 625.00	\$ 6,875.00
Net Profit,		\$2,870.54	\$24,230.23

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Trial Balance.

November 1930.

Assets:

Property account,	\$178,892.15
New Constr. & Equip., prior to June 1, 1927.,	111,174.52
New Construction, since " " "	26,718.33
New Development, " " " "	110,399.42
New Equipment, " " " "	18,134.48
Accounts Receivable,	1,535.94
Battle Mountain State Bank,	528.81
Chiara Ranch Accounts Receivable,	9,634.54
Stock Account,	1,778.06
Stock Account, Betty O'Neal Mine,	12,000.00
Mining Operations,	9,352.56
General Expense,	1,076.29
Closing Down Expense,	6,875.06
Marketing Bullion,	755.22
Taxes,-Property,	2,103.67
Insurance,-Fire,	1,253.26
Insurance,-Accident,	114.14
Depreciation,	6,875.00
Fire Insurance, Prepaid,	85.70
Totals,	\$498,990.15

Liabilities:

Property Payments, H. H. Gatchell,	\$ 21,300.00
Property Payments, Noble Interests,	13,883.75
Betty O'Neal Mine Purchasing Account,	140,926.32
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927.,	112,971.04
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,	745.62
Reserve for Property Taxes,	1,038.98
Reserve for Depreciation,	26,250.00
Bills Payable, current,	9,553.50
Minerals Separation Corp., H. A. Accts. Payable,	3,408.78
Pay Roll Account,	328.00
Bullion Production,	4,177.97
Surplus Account,	164,406.19
Totals,	\$498,990.15

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Comparative Balance.

November 1930.

Assets:

Property Account,	\$445,018.90
Battle Mountain State Bank,	528.81
Accounts Receivable,	1,535.94
Chiara Ranch Accounts Receivable,	9,634.54
Stock Account,	1,778.06
Stock Account, Betty O'Neal Mine,	12,000.00
Fire Insurance, Prepaid,	85.70
Total,	\$470,581.95

Liabilities:

Property Payments,	\$ 35,183.75
Boston Office, since June 1, 1927.,	112,971.04
Betty O'Neal Mine Purchasing Account,	140,926.32
Reserve for Bullion Taxes,	745.62
Reserve for Property Taxes,	1,038.98
Reserve for Depreciation,	26,250.00
Bills Payable, current,	9,553.50
Minerals Separation Corp., N.A. Accts. Payable,	3,408.78
Pay Roll Account,	328.00
Surplus Account,	140,175.96
Total,	\$470,581.95

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES.

Profit & Loss.

November 1930.

Production,	.	.	.	\$4,177.97
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Mine Operating Costs,	.	\$ 9,352.56
General Expense,	.	1,076.29
Closing Down Expense,	.	6,878.06
Marketing Bullion,	.	755.22
Taxes,-Property,	.	2,103.67
Insurance,-Fire,	.	1,253.26
Insurance,-Accident,	.	114.14
Depreciation,	.	<u>6,875.00</u>
Total,	-	\$28,408.20

Net Profit, - 1930 -

\$ 24,230.23

BY AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING COMPANY
SELBY SMELTING WORKS

EXPRESS

ARRIVED MARCH 19th 1931 SETTLED MARCH 30th 1931

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Gold Circle Consolidated Mines May 1st 1929

William L. Chapman, Mining Engineer, Geologist and Assayer, who worked on the Elko Prince at Midas, Nevada, estimated on April 16, 1926 that in the consolidation and on the Elko Prince and June Belle veins there was at least 10 times the production of Elko Prince or \$25,000,000.00. We estimate to be conservative 805,000 tons.

805,000 tons	@ \$20.00 per ton -----	\$16,100,000.00
costs to handle	6.25 per ton -----	5,031,251.00
	<u>NET PROFIT-----</u>	<u>\$11,068,749.00</u>

On the 450 foot level on the Elko Prince we are now in \$90.00 ore.
PRESENT CAPACITY OF MILL

95 tons per day @ \$20.00 net per ton \$1900.00 per day.
\$1900.00 per day for 350 days \$665,000.00 net per year.
With the necessary capital we can double the Production and Mill
Within 9 months, and can then make a net profit of \$1,330,000.00 pr. Yr.
Then just as soon as it is possible to get production to warrant, will
double size of mill again giving profit of \$2,666,000.00 net per year

STOCK OUTSTANDING.

1,580,000. shares

300,000. to be sold

1,880,000 shs. outstanding after present financing.

AFTER SEVEN MONTHS DEVELOPMENT.

Annual output of \$665,000.00 net equals	35.37 ¢ per share.
can pay dividend of 20¢ per share	20.00 equals 13.3%
	<u>15.37 ¢ per share surplus.</u>
Annual output 2nd. year \$1,330,000.	70.74 per share
can pay dividend of 40 ¢ per. share	40.00 ¢ equals 26.6 %
	<u>30.74 ¢ per share surplus.</u>

Annual output after doubling production and
Mill again. \$2,660,000. equals \$1.41 per share
Can pay dividend of 80¢ per share .80 equals 53.3 %
.61¢ per share surplus

SURPLUS

1st. year after seven months development work	\$ 282,000.00
2nd. year-----	-----577,912.00
After doubling production and Mill again-----	<u>-----1,146,000.00</u>
Possible surplus with the above development all done.	\$2,007,912.00

MARKET.

Steps will be taken to list on the N.Y. curb just as soon as present financing is completed.

Stock if listed at \$5.00 per share will show following gain.

	1.50 cost
	<u>3.50 net profit per share.</u>
On 200,000 shares will show profit of	\$700,000.00
	6.00 per share
	<u>1.50 cost</u>
	<u>4.50 net profit per share.</u>
On 200,000 shares will show profit of	900,000.00
	10.00 per share
	<u>1.50 cost</u>
	<u>8.50 net profit per share.</u>
On 200,000 shares will show profit of	1,700,000.00

Production Gold & Silver from June 27- 1927
to 4/4/1929. \$498,343.56

GEORGE W. SIAS & COMPANY, 68 DEVONSHIRE STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

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Believed To Be Thoroughly Reliable.

Boston Mass. April 16 th, 1931

Dear Mr. Getchell

Under date of Nov, 27 th. last you advised us that you had leased to Jacobson & Lyon certain privileges on the June Bell the tunnel level and on 450 on the Elko Prince, and so fourth.

Also stated that in giving them the "Lease I am cutting them off the Pay-Roll!"

We find that C.G. Lyon is continuing to receive pay at the old rate . We have rec'd the following Vouchers paid to him since that date.

Voucher	6611	Dec 5	\$87.50	last half	Nov.	chg, Grant	ASS't	Work
"	6614	Dec 20	87.50	1st.	Dec	"	"	"
"	6619	Jan 5	87.50	last	Dec	"	"	"
"	6621	" 20	87.50	1st.	Jan	"	"	"
"	6624	Feb 5	87.50	last	"	"	"	"
"	6625	" 20	87.50	1st .	Feb	"	"	"
"	6627	Mch 5	87.50	last	"	"	"	"

The first listed Check is OK. for time prior to date of your notice of the lease .

Kindly take this up with Charley Lyon and notify this Office of the outcome . we naturally have not taken the subject up with him

We are all greatly pleased that they are doing so well as it shows up well for the property . The Royalty should help our bank account materially.

With kindest regards

Very truly yours

B. E. Geary

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES



P R E L I M I N A R Y

Production and Expenses, Gold Circle Cons. Mines, October, '27

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES WAS CREATED BY DECLARATION OF TRUST, EXECUTED IN BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS JUNE 24, 1926, COPY OF WHICH IS FILED AT THE STATE HOUSE IN BOSTON; AS SET FORTH IN SAID DECLARATION NEITHER THE INDIVIDUAL TRUSTEES NOR THE BENEFICIARIES NOR ANY OF THEM SHALL BE HELD TO ANY PERSONAL ACCOUNTABILITY BY REASON OF ANYTHING CONTAINED HEREIN.

PRODUCTION.....\$28,358.84

EXPENSES..... 21,105.59

PROFIT..... 7,253.25

Depreciation.. 625.00

NET PROFIT..... \$6,628.25

Note:-

DETAILED COSTS WILL BE MAILED YOU LATER.

Betty O'Neal, Nevada,
November 26, 1927.

N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

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W. H. ENGLEBRIGHT
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES



P R E L I M I N A R Y

PRODUCTION AND EXPENSES, GOLD CIRCLE CONS. MINES, NOVEMBER, 1927

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PRODUCTION.....\$25, 436.63

EXPENSES..... 22, 450.53

PROFIT..... 2, 986.10

DEPRECIATION..... 625.00

NET PROFIT..... \$2, 361.10

NOTE:-

Detailed Costs will be mailed you later.

Betty O'Neal, Nevada,
December 26, 1927.

cc W H Englebright, Supt.

N. H. GETCHELL
GENERAL MANAGER

W. H. ENGLEBRIGHT
SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES



P R E L I M I N A R Y

PRODUCTION AND EXPENSES - GOLD CIRCLE CONS. MINES - JANUARY 1928

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PRODUCTION.....	\$24,584.85
EXPENSES.....	<u>25,069.70</u>
LOSS.....	<u>484.85</u>
DEPRECIATION...	625.00
NET LOSS.....	<u>1109.85</u>

NOTE:-

Detailed Costs will be mailed you later.

Betty O'Neal, Nevada,
Feb. 24, 1928.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES



Sept. 26, 1927.

Gold Circle Cons. Mines,
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston, Mass.

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Gentlemen:

Enclosed find "Daily Mill Report" and "Mill Assay Sheet" of Sept. 22nd, showing what is being done at your Midas property.

Please note that 109 tons of ore were milled on that day and that the mill heads were \$18.73. Also that \$1999 was the amount precipitated at that day's production. From the grinding screen test, you will note that it is as good as under a smaller tonnage (67.5% minus 200 mesh).

Production for the month of September should run over \$35,000. Conditions underground in your Missing Link and Grant mines have improved considerably, which accounts for the increased production. No new spectacular finds have been made, but there has been a gradual improvement all along the line.

The power line to your Elko Prince mine is now being erected to drive a compressor and hoist. The first work laid out by your manager is to drive the 600 crosscut to the June Bell vein. This appears to be a good "bet" on the "parallel vein, opposite pay shoot" theory.

Yours very truly,

Date Sept. 21

DAILY MILL REPORT

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Tons to bin 104
Tons sorted to waste 5
Tons milled 109
Solution tons precipitated 249
Hours grinding 24
Supplies used
Cyanide 1.00⁰⁰
Lime 162.00⁰⁰
Balls 1.00⁰⁰
Pebbles 6.00⁰⁰
Litharge 65.00⁰⁰
Zinc 65.00⁰⁰

Screen Test on grinding

+100 Mesh - 15.3%

+150 " - 9.0%

+200 " - 8.40%

- 200 " - 67.5%

Date Sept. 22

MILL ASSAY SHEET

	Oz. Au.	Oz. Ag.	Total
Solutions: Press Heads	.338	2.52	4.87
Press Tails	.009	—	.16
No. 1 Thickener	.220	2.59	5.85
No. 2 Thickener	.162	2.55	4.47
No. 3 Thickener	.100	1.48	2.83
No. 4 Thickener	.052	.60	1.38
Grinding Solution	.156	2.26	4.38
Classifier Ball Mill Discharge	.276	2.71	7.04
Oliver Filtrate	.036	.45	1.01
Emulsifier	.006	.07	.16
Pulps: Ball Mill Discharge <u>Heads</u>	.65	10.17	18.69
Classifier Overflow	.20	6.70	7.75
No. 1 Diaphragm Pump	.20	6.36	7.56
No. 2 Diaphragm Pump	.04	1.66	1.73
No. 3 Diaphragm Pump	.02	1.16	1.05
No. 4 Diaphragm Pump	.02	1.14	1.04
No. 1 Agitator	.08	2.78	3.16
No. 2 Agitator	.04	1.90	1.86
No. 3 Agitator	.02	1.24	1.09
Oliver Tails	.01	1.13	.83
<u>Moisture Classifier 80.57% Calc. Heads</u>			4.18.73

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

November 22nd, 1933.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Noble:-

Yours of the 20th received, and contents, as well as good news noted. As yet, we have not started to sink the North Winze. I have delayed starting there, mainly for two reasons; first, I thought we had better hold off until such time as we knew what your success would be which might alter our future plans as far as the 900 is concerned. Secondly, the 900 South stope is showing sufficient improvement to warrant crowding it as fast as possible with our present crew. The 900 South stope should carry right on to the 750 foot level, and at that point it should be about 100 feet long. This stope will make us more ore, and cheaper than we can get by sinking, and until this time, I have had my eye on the payroll more than development. In case you arrive with Mr. Vanderquest before we start sinking, we can always sample the bottom of the 900 drift. This sampling with our records of the stope would show him that the ore is continueing on down.

I have not been able to do very much work in the 300 North, north of the fault until lately. This delay has been due to the lack of man power. I have started a cross-cut from the face of the 300 North drift to the fault. I am doing this to check our position in regards to the fault, and also to see if there is a possibility of there being any ore on the fault. If there is no ore on the fault, we will continue to drive the 300 North till we cross-cut the vein.

As per your instructions, I will get the South Winze ready to pump out. Will start them on it in the morning as there will be quite a bit of work to do before actual pumping operations can start. With our present equipment, in order to hold the water on the 900, and also pump the South Winze, it would be necessary to use the 75 H.P. sinking pump. With the mill running, and the mine going full tilt, we can't quite cut it on the power end. In figuring out the situation, I have decided that the best thing to do is to get a small pump of not over 100 gallons per minute to do the job on the South Winze. This will be much cheaper than trying to rig up for the big pump as we would have to buy 4" pipe for the discharge, and in handling the heavy pump which we would have to choke down to around 100 gallons a minute as well as installing 4" pipe in place of two which we have on hand, I think we will be farther ahead by getting the smaller pump. At the same time, the smaller pump will relieve us of all worry when we start sinking.

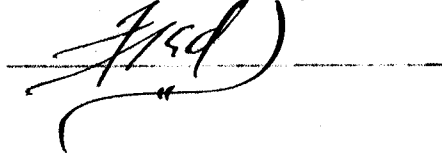
After talking my troubles over with Charlie, I have decided to leave for San Francisco to-morrow noon in order to pick out a pump, and get what necessary wire and so forth that we will need, and get it on it's way back here. In this way, I think we will save time, and will be able to see what we are getting. In case your wire comes to me before I get back, Charlie is going to 'phone me so that I can leave immediately, and be here before your arrival. In the meanwhile they will get the mine all ready for me so that I will lose no time in getting started. In this way, I hope to have the stage all set for you.

I realize as you say, that you have had a damned hard job of it, but felt that you were the logical person to put it over, and we are all sure glad that you have made the progress you have, in such a short time. All power to you.

Things are running along as well as can be expected, and you can bank on it, that we will all do all we can to have things ready for you.

With best personal wishes, I am,

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature, likely "Fred", written in dark ink. The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping initial 'F' and a long, horizontal flourish extending to the right. It is positioned above a horizontal line.

FWV:L

November 20, 1933.

Mr. Fred Varney,
Midas, Nevada.

Dear Fred;

I suppose by now you have started sinking the North Winze which I told you to do before I left as soon as it was possible to do so. In case it starts to go lean I would suggest letting up, however, as I want things to look as good as possible when I get home for I expect a New York Engineer will want to look things over. You better also check over the assay map of the South Winze, for with gold at these prices there ought to be a fairly good showing there, then when you receive a wire from me pump it out before my arrival with the engineer.

The New York crowd are pretty well steamed up and if I can convince their man of our possibilities the deal will go over with a bang. All capital are scared pink due to the rigid regulations now being enforced by the Roosevelt Administration. In other words, any banker or broker selling stock of any nature must be prepared to pay the customer in full any time within ten years after date of sale on the investment, so you cannot blame them for being careful. I think the engineer will be Vanderquest. I have spent three days with him in New York returning here this morning and have painted the picture in such a way that he understands there is no ore opened up, but he must be able to visualize and see the possibilities with development. I have sold the proposition to everyone I have encountered and they believe in me and in our proposition, but when it comes to the putting up of the cold cash they have got to feel that they have an "out" for fear of the regulations held over their heads.

Practically the whole East are up in arms against Roosevelt, and when the next Congress meets he is going to have a lot of opposition, for they think he is a "weak sister", and is simply floundering from one thing to another with none of his plans having as yet shown any chance of success.

If this deal goes through as I believe it will we will have all the money we need to not only bust Gold Circle wide open but open the Betty O'Neal as well as they are now ready to gamble on silver. This has been a damned hard job, but feel and know that I have impressed and convinced everyone with whom I have come in contact.

As it now looks I should be able to get away from here within the next five or six days at the outside.

Yours sincerely,

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GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

November 3rd, 1933.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Noble:-

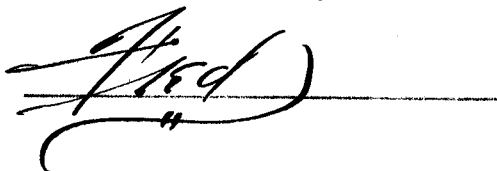
South end of the 900 stope, that is, South of the shaft, is not going to run as well as the North stope. We have started stoping there, and the average ore is much narrower, and of a lower grade. No doubt, when we get up near the off-set, the values will pick up as there is some good assays shown on the old map. Car samples from the 900 are running around \$38.00 per ton.

Charlie showed me your letter of the 31st he received to-day, and in regards to insurance, I made a touch in San Francisco, by signing a 30 day note for \$500.00. Thanks, for the thought. Your letter sure sounds good, and we know that you can put it over, if anybody can so as soon as you are ready to bust the camp open, let us know, and I'll put a bunch of these scavengers here on top of a box of powder and touch it off.

Our usual flurry of snow this morning, but it is now clearing up, and looks as though we would have some more good weather.

Yours sincerely,

FWV:L

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'F. W. Varney', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping 'V' and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

October 30th, 1933.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Noble:-

Your letter of October 25th in regard to Joseph, received to-day.

I had already taken the stand you mention in your letter, and as a result, they started in shipping ore to us to-day at the rate of from 25 to 30 tons per day. I don't know how long they will keep this pace up, but as soon as they slack off which I expect will be soon from all I can hear, I am going after them to increase their tonnage or milling rate.

Car samples from the 900 stope have averaged better than \$50.00 a ton for the past five days. These samples have been checked by our mill heads, and press solutions. Our press heads have been running from three to five dollars per solution ton.

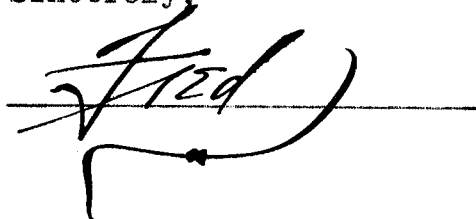
We are going to open the press to-morrow, and ship bullion Wednesday.

We are having our first real storm, to-day. It has alternately rained, hailed and snowed, and by the looks of things now, it's hard to tell what it will be in the morning.

Wishing you all the luck in the world back there, and I know you can cut it, I am,

Sincerely,

FWV:L

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GOLD CIRCLE CONSOLIDATED MINES

FREIGHT ADDRESS: RED HOUSE, NEVADA

MAIL ADDRESS: MIDAS, NEVADA

March 15th, 1933.

Hon. N. H. Getchell,
Senate Chamber,
Carson City, Nevada.

Dear Noble:-

Enclosed please find a letter from Mr. Brundige, also assessment notice from widows and orphans fund.

As per your request while in Carson, I forwarded a copy of the report and also wrote a letter to Brundige in regards to the Eastern Star Mine. As we have not received the maps from Walker, will no doubt have to make up another set. As per the letter from Brundige, you had better write him immediately as to what your proposition will be as this may be a live lead.

I received a letter from Frank Nye, dated March 11th of which I note, a copy was sent to you. My reply is enclosed. From their letter, I take it, that they figure that we are about to start up. The best we can do will be to start somewhere around the 1st, providing we can get the necessary supplies, and on second thought, it's going to crowd us some to make it then.

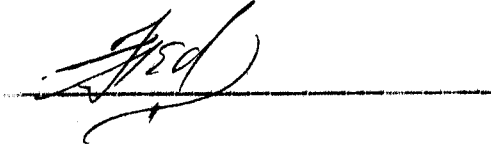
Charlie and I have gone over very carefully what we will need in order to get the mill under operations. As near as I can see it now, we will need \$1,500.00 cash to cover freight and necessary supplies that will have to be paid for. Along with this we would have to carry a credit of about \$2,000.00. Due to the conditions of the roads you will be unable to get in here for at least a week, and possibly ten days. Charlie and I are going to try to break the road from this end with our cars. The snow between here and Spring Creek does not seem to melt very fast so we may have some shoveling to do. From Spring Creek to Raup's, I do not look for much trouble, and am trying to get Mrs. True to start in from that end. I think it advisable for you to wait for me at Reno or Carson City until such time as I can get a car through from here. I will then come to Reno with a list of material and supplies needed

so that you can go to San Francisco and arrange for same. I can bring Louise and your belongings back with me. I feel that it is advisable, in fact necessary that you make this trip as soon as I can get out and go over details with you.

Kindest regards to yourself and Mrs. Getchell and the rest of my friends, I am,

Sincerely yours,

FWV:L

A handwritten signature, likely "Fred", is written over a horizontal line.

Buo

AUGUST
24 th
1927.

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines
68 Devonshire St.,
Boston,
Mass.

Gentlemen:

We are sending you the following night letter dated today,-
"Lessees have opened up an eighteen inch vein of ore assaying
one hundred and five dollars per ton on your Rico Four claim stop
this is a new find stop It demonstrates the values that can be ex-
pected from some of your large unexplored holdings."

Your Manager's policy of letting leases on portions of your
holdings that we are not working at the present time will reap you
a rich harvest in the years to come. Of course all of the leases
will not make good, but if only a few turn out as this Lease Number
1 on the Rico 4 claim looks, your profits will be large from them.

Enclosed find Mill Assay Sheet and Daily Mill Report of today,
which gives in detail what the mill is doing. It is gratifying to
note that we are getting a little better tonnage through your seven-
ty five ton mill all the time. For the first ten days of August
the average was 74.4 tons per day, and for the second ten days,
84.4 tons. We hope to average 90 tons per day for the month of
September.

Your's very truly,

Date Aug. 22, 1927

DAILY MILL REPORT

Gold Circle Consolidated Mines

Tons to bin 101

Tons sorted to waste 5

Tons milled 99

Solution tons precipitated 332

Hours grinding 24

Supplies used

Cyanide 10-0#

Lime 1260#

Balls 100#

Pebbles 200#

Litharge 45#

Zinc 29#

Grinding Screen Test:

+ 100 Mesh	9.0 %
+ 150 "	9.2 %
+ 200 "	13.8 %
- 200 "	68.0 %

Date Aug 23, 1927

MILL ASSAY SHEET

	Oz. Au.	Oz. Ag.	Total #
Solutions: Press Heads	.136	1.65	3.64
Press Tails	.008	—	.16
No. 1 Thickener	.152	1.89	4.14
No. 2 Thickener	.156	2.42	4.48
No. 3 Thickener	.084	1.26	2.58
No. 4 Thickener	.032	.29	.80
Grinding Solution	.104	1.48	2.91
Classifier Ball Mill Discharge	.180	2.20	4.83
Oliver Filtrate	.016	.21	.44
Emulsifier	.016	.07	.12
Pulps: Heads Ball Mill Discharge	.44	8.66	13.60
Classifier Overflow	.13	3.51	4.02
No. 1 Diaphragm Pump	.11	2.78	4.47
No. 2 Diaphragm Pump	.04	.84	1.27
No. 3 Diaphragm Pump	.02	.70	.79
No. 4 Diaphragm Pump	.01	.63	.55
No. 1 Agitator	.06	1.44	2.01
No. 2 Agitator	.04	.96	1.34
No. 3 Agitator	.02	.70	.79
Oliver Tails	.01	.63	.56