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PROPERTIES FORMERLY OWNED BY THE

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item 2**Austin Manhattan Consolidated Mining Company**

WM. A. MARSHALL, AGENT

Austin, Nevada, U. S. A., Dec. 15, 1921.

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Mr. W.H. Blackburn,

Tonopah, Nevada,

Dear Mr. Blackburn,

I am in receipt of your letter of Dec. 11th. written from San Francisco, and I am glad to hear that one of your men who sampled the Butler property some months ago wanted you to take a look at it. His samples are doubtless more reliable than mine, as he probably sampled the mine in a systematic manner.

The mine was last operated by Messrs. Geiger and McCurdy, and I think that lack of funds forced them to stop work shortly after they had cut the vein on the bottom level, which is now under water. Mrs. Butler recently sent me letters from Geiger and McCurdy bearing on the ore on this lowest level, and I am enclosing herewith copies of these two ^{letters} ~~levels~~. It may give you a little idea of what to expect. The fault conditions in the property were not clear to me.

Hoping that the property will hold up to a rigid examination, if you have time to make the trip, I remain

Very truly yours,

Wm. A. Marshall

E.S. McCurdy,
575 Mills Building.

San Francisco, California, Feb. 11, 1920

COPY.

Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Butler,
1312 Maryland Street,
Los Angeles, California,

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Butler,

I received your recent letter and thank you very much for same and would have replied thereto sooner except that I have been awaiting Mr. Geiger's arrival so that I might write you exactly regarding the cutting of the vein on the lower level after I had talked with Mr. Geiger.

We struck the vein at 37 feet in from the shaft. It is a little over 4 ft. wide, and careful ~~sampling~~ samples therefrom assay \$20.00 to \$30.00 per ton at the present prices of silver. There is a very small streak which is fairly rich in sulphides. This streak will assay from \$80. to \$150. - perhaps more when sampled coldbloodedly and it is this streak which really accounts for most of the values in the average sample. ~~1/2~~

It is quite possible that you will receive all kinds of news regarding the values we have encountered but I know that you know such information soars.

We have stopped the work temporarily and are making arrangements to install compressor and drills in order that we may do the further development much faster and I know that this will meet with your approval.

There was deposited yesterday to your credit at the Tonopah Banking Corporation the Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollar payment which is due today. I really meant to make this payment to you in Los Angeles. In fact, thought of it when I left your apartment so hurriedly to catch my train.

We will start the drifting very soon, also expect to sink another level. It is undetermined as yet whether I will go east or not and if not I am quite sure that I will be passing through Los Angeles within a month and we will certainly have that dinner party.

With very kindest regards from Mr. Geiger and myself, I am

Very truly yours,

signed--

E.S. McCurdy.

COPY.

The Olympic Club,
San Francisco.

Feb. 13, /20.

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Butler,

I have been going to write you for some time regarding the development at the BBB--- we have finally got the crosscut through at 65 feet below the 215 level and there is $4\frac{1}{2}$ feet of ore which runs about \$25.00, with a streak on the hanging wall side that goes much better-- will send you an average sample soon so you can see the character of it. We are of course pleased at the outcome after these long months of uphill work getting the job done- We expect to start drifting soon and hope for all concerned that the shoot will have the necessary lateral extent.

I am very tired and after I get the works going again I plan to come down to San Diego in my car for a couple of weeks rest and fishing and will hope to see you both there. How about your trip east? Have you decided about going?

Please remember me kindly to Mrs. Roberts and with best regards to you both

Sincerely

signed-- Arthur Geiger.

P.S. Will be here about a week longer.

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Austin Manhattan Consolidated Mining Company

WM. A. MARSHALL, AGENT

Austin, Nevada, U. S. A., Jan. 18, 1922.

Mr. W.H. Blackburn,

Tonopah, Nevada,



Dear Mr. Blackburn,

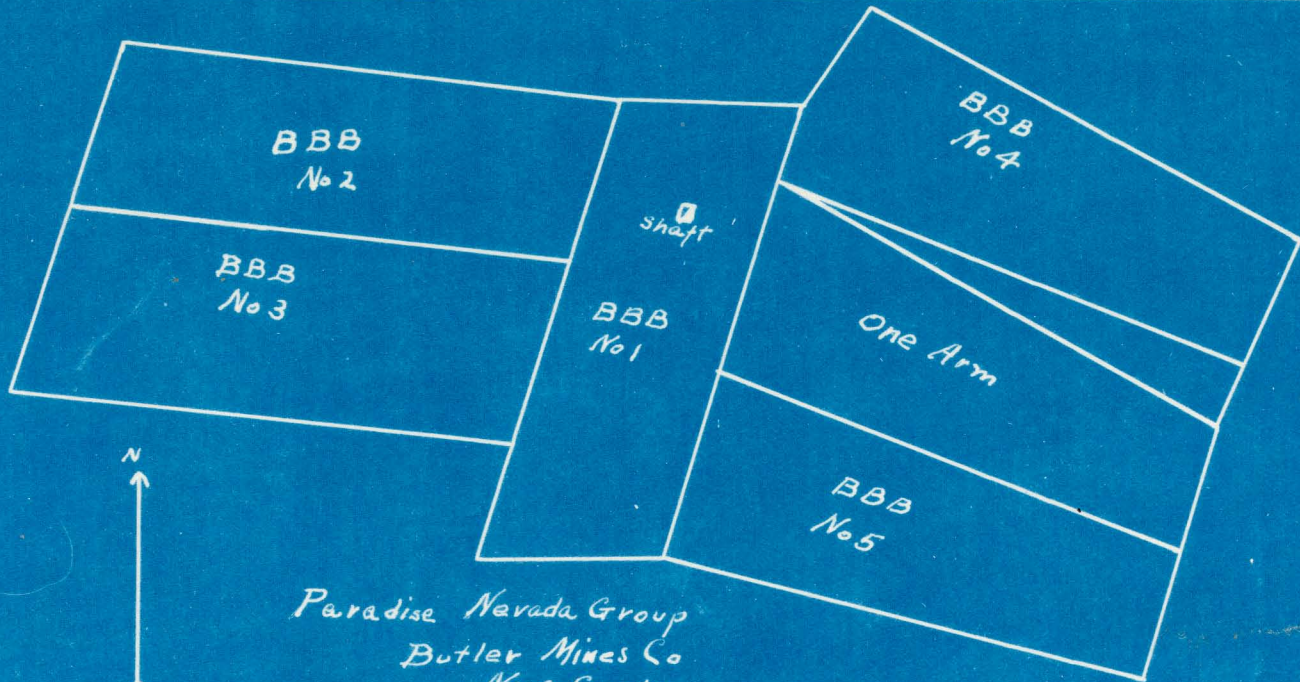
Again referring to the Butler property, I wrote Mrs. Butler the substance of what you wrote me in your letter of Jan. 1st., and I hardly expected to hear from her again. However she wrote me a long letter on Jan. 12th. saying that she was willing to give Mr. Blackburn time on the property, providing that the Tonopah Mining Co. is to operate the property, and would require no payment during the first year of operation, then a payment of \$10,000. followed by a payment of \$20,000. 6 months later, and a final payment of \$30,000. 6 months later still.

If you should at any time consider this property, it might be advisable to personally see Mrs. Butler in Los Angeles, and get a lease and bond before going to any expense in the matter. The address is, - Mrs. M.L. Butler, % Hotel Trenton, 427 South Olive St., Los Angeles, Cal.

She is very suspicious, and she may have some reason for it, and I think that it should be strict business with her, - all papers fixed so that everything would be clear.

Very truly yours,

Wm. A. Marshall



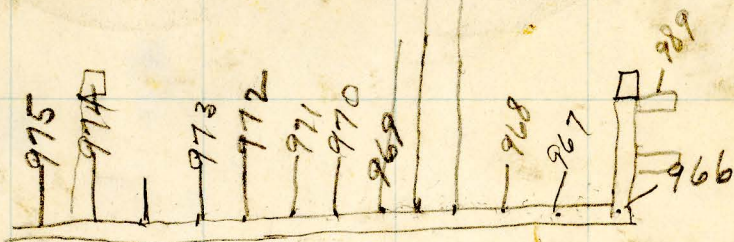
Paradise Nevada Group
Butler Mines Co
Nye County
Nevada

244 (item 2)

MINE

DATE

150 Level



966-12"

967-24"

968-24"

969-30"

970-30"

971-36"

972-12"

973-15"

974-42"

975-28"

976-14"

977-24"

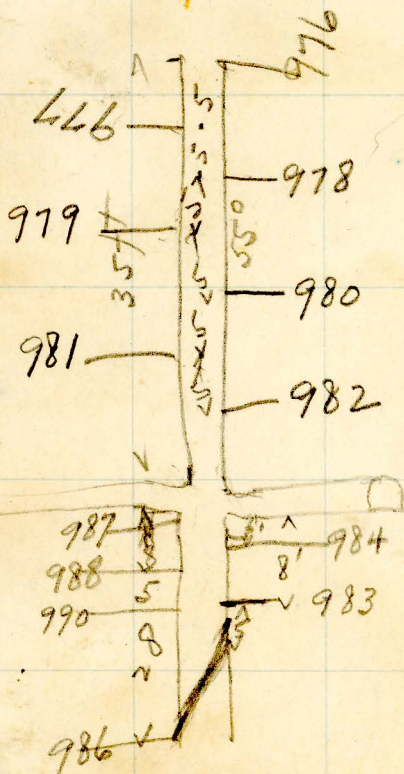
978-20"

979-24"

980-30"

981-36"

982-24"



983-42"

984-48"

985-15"

986-24"

987-36"

988-42"

989-24"

990-36"

991-36"

220 level

992 Butler

993 Hoag

MINE

Butler

DATE

Shaft. Foot wall shaft

A S 74°-W 17.5 ft.

B S 50°-E 42 ft.

219 Level

N 80° W

Dip - 58° S

930 - 6 ft

931 - 5' - 3"

932 - 5'

933 - 5' - 2"

934 - 1' - 10"

935 - 3' - 8"

E 936 - Grab-Cave

937 - 28 ft - 6'

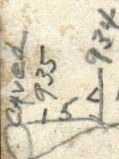
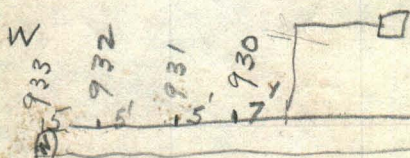
938 - 10"

939 - 28 ft - 6'

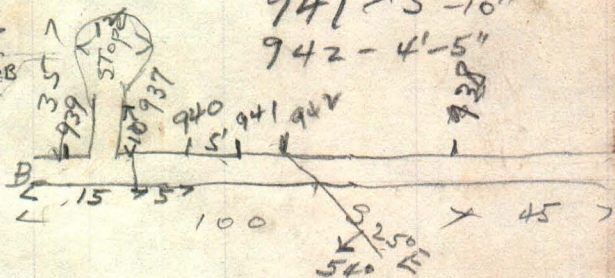
940 - 5' - 4"

941 - 5' - 10"

942 - 4' - 5"



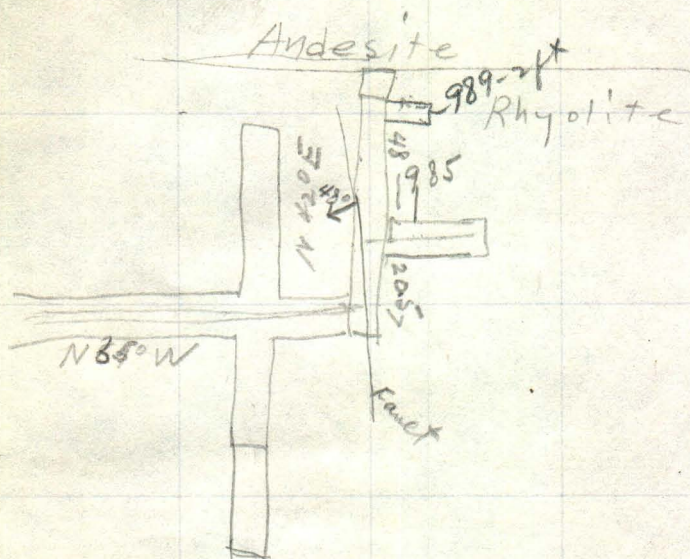
Shaft - 49°



943 - In shaft 250' - 2 ft

MINE

DATE



Sept 250

S-78°W - 18 ft

S-10°W - 42 ft

S-74°W

ASSAY CERTIFICATE

C.F. LOCKER

THE TONOPAH MINING COMPANY OF NEVADA

TONOPAH, NEV..

7/29

1921

Expt - 8692

SAMPLE NO.	SAMPLES TAKEN FROM	GOLD		SILVER		TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF			
		OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON		COP'R	IRON	SILICA	LEAD
	<i>Failings</i>	<i>Fr</i>		<i>150</i>						
930		<i>14</i>		<i>1266</i>						
931		<i>10</i>		<i>11 -</i>						
932		<i>08</i>		<i>952</i>						
933		<i>Fr</i>		<i>220</i>						
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937		<i>14</i>		<i>1096</i>						
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942		<i>Fr</i>		<i>08</i>						
943		<i>52</i>		<i>4188</i>						

C.F. Locker
ASSAYER

ASSAY CERTIFICATE

C.F. LOKER

THE TONOPAH MINING COMPANY OF NEVADA

TONOPAH, NEV..

8/5

1921

Expt. 2692

SAMPLE No.	SAMPLES TAKEN FROM	GOLD		SILVER		TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF			
		OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON		COP'R	IRON	SILICA	LEAD
984		10		8	30					
✓ 985		2			32					
986		2		2	70					
987		48		36	82					
988		42		23	78					
✓ 989		2			32					
990		16		6	04					
991		2			32					
992		2			70					
993		92		55	48					

C.F. Loker

ASSAYER

ASSAY CERTIFICATE

C.F. LOKER

THE TONOPAH MINING COMPANY OF NEVADA

TONOPAH, NEV..

8/5

1921

Exp. 0699

SAMPLE NO.	SAMPLES TAKEN FROM	GOLD		SILVER		TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF			
		OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON		COP'R	IRON	SILICA	LEAD
966		2		36						
967		5		52						
968		03		291						
969		06		1014						
970		08		182						
971		2		86						
972		12		226						
973		02		182						
974		02		210						
975		02		184						
976		2		82						
977		2		114						
978		16		2984						
979		04		638						
980		04		864						
981		07		957						
982		60		6140						
983		32		1690						

C.F. Loker
ASSAYER

