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UNITED STATES BUREAU OF MINES

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PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION REPORT

State Nevada County Mineral Mineral Products Copper
Name of property Mino Copper Mine
Owner Mrs. M. M. Grubbs Address 115 Houston St., Montgomery, Ala.
Lessee or
Operator _____ Address _____
Location Sec. 26., T. 11 N., R. 32 E. in the Rand Mining District. Five unpatented
lode claims

History and production The property was first located in 1918 by Morgan Mims, who operated it intermittently until 1939. The mine has been idle since then. It is reported to have produced \$67,000 in gold and silver.

Type Deposit (Geology) The ore bodies are contained in a zone of crushing and alteration, immediately north of a well defined fault. The fault is nearly verticle and in the crushed zone there are small irregular quartz stringers. It was from these stringers that the gold and silver ore was mined. No evidence of copper was seen.

Mine Workings The main development work consists of a 350 foot verticle shaft from which 2 levels have been driven. Other workings are an inclined shaft and several small open cuts on the surface.