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WALLSTREET MINE

PLATORO CORPORATION
SUITE 1
4344 E. INDIAN SCHOOL RD.
PHOENIX, ARIZONA

copy
April 9, 1924.

Mr. W. D. Forster, Vice President
Tonopah and Goldfield R. R. Company,
Goldfield, Nevada.

Dear Mr. Forster,

I have received from Mr. Miller the data on the Wallstreet Mine and am fairly well acquainted with the situation there.

A mine of this type only seems to make money during the infrequent periods when copper is high. It only seems worth while to examine provided we could tie up the property for a long period by doing assessment work or paying the necessary taxes only, and with the understanding that we should not work it except when copper is above a certain price. Please find out if any such arrangement would be possible in this case.

There is a possibility of doing something with the dumps, and I would be pleased to receive the following information:

1. Could approximately 200 gallons of water per minute be developed in the well located 1 1/4 miles down towards the flat?
2. What is the approximate difference in elevation between this well and the dumps?
3. How many different dumps are there in the 100,000 tons on the Wallstreet and Turk? What is approximate tonnage in each?
4. Is there any sulphide in the ore and approximately how much, and what mineral is it?

With regards,

Yours very truly,

HCC:AO'C



THE TONOPAH MINING COMPANY OF NEVADA

EASTERN OFFICE
570 BULLITT BUILDING, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

1402 CALIF. COMMERCIAL UNION BLDG.

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. April 8, 1924.



Mr. Charles R. Miller, President
Tonopah Mining Company of Nevada,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Mr. Miller,

Have written Mr. Forster as per inclosed copy in
regard to the Wallstreet Mine.

I have known about the Wallstreet in a general way
for some years and have just seen an engineer who has examined it.
It is a shipping mine during the periodic high prices of copper.
With 18 to 20¢ copper money could probably be made by sorting and
shipping. It is not a milling affair as carbonate ore; and also
I have yet to see the small milling-copper mine that was a complete
success.

If we could tie it up for a long period by paying
taxes or doing assessment work only, and then plan to work during
the infrequent high price periods it would be worth an examination.
The only money made on copper, outside of the large companies, seems
to be made by shipping to a smelter during these periods.

As to leaching the dumps the quantity and grade sound
rather attractive. The dumps are probably scattered and I am not
sure it could stand the pumping expense to such an elevation, but
shall know when hearing from Mr. Forster.

Yours very truly,

HCC:AO'C
Inc.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "A. C. Miller", is written over the typed name "Yours very truly,".

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THE TONOPAH MINING COMPANY OF NEVADA

PHILADELPHIA

April 3, 1924.

Mr. H. C. Carlisle,
1402 California Commercial Union Bldg.,
San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please note Mr. Cutter's letter to me of April first and Mr. Forster's letter to Mr. Cutter of March twenty-sixth, together with assay sheet and other data with respect to Wall Street Copper property located near Luning. When you are through with these enclosures I would like to have them returned to this office.

I notice in connection with this property that there is a very large amount of copper ore said to be on the dumps, and the thought has occurred to me that possibly this might be a very excellent place to try out the atmospheric leaching proposition on copper ores. I do not know the character of these ores - whether they are oxides or sulphides.

Inasmuch as Joralemon is with you there in San Francisco and it is such a short distance from San Francisco to Luning, we might make a nice little operation out of these dumps if the property itself did not interest us to look into as an operation.

What would you think of having Johnson go over and report to you on the conditions?

Very truly yours,

President.