

Mining District File Summary Sheet

DISTRICT	Tonopah
DIST_NO	4840 60000361
COUNTY If different from written on document	Nye and Esmeralda
TITLE If not obvious	Hughes Tool Co.; Claims offered for sale to. Hughes Tool; Sierra La Plata Mining Co
AUTHOR	L.M. Shrider; A.J. Anderson; J.M Foley; T.A. Cooke; D. Elson;
DATE OF DOC(S)	1970
MULTI_DIST Y / N?	
Additional Dist_Nos:	
QUAD_NAME	Tonopah 7E'
P_M_C_NAME (mine, claim & company names)	Hughes Tool Co.; Sierra La Plata Mining Co. COPY FROM LISTS OF CLAIMS
COMMODITY If not obvious	N/A
NOTES	Correspondence; claim lists

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(for every 1 oversized page (>11x17) with text reduce
the amount of pages by ~25)

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HUGHES TOOL CO. 81
CLAIMS OFFERD FOR SALE TO HUGHES TOOL
SIERRA LA PLATA MINING CO.

SIERRA LA PLATA MINING CO.

4840 60000361

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

To Mrs. Leila M. Shrider
Tonopah Office

From Mr. A. J. Anderson Office

February 6, 19 70

Subject Sierra LaPlata Claims In
Conflict with HTC Claims

Please check the titles in regard to the above noted claims
and determine exactly how they are registered in the
Recorder's Office before forwarding this letter to
Mr. Foley.

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A. J. Anderson

The claims are to: Hughes Tool Company; c/o Joseph M. Foley; 228 So. Fourth;
Las Vegas, Nevada 89101



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To Mr. A. J. Anderson Tonopah Office
From Leila M. Shrider Office
February 4 19 70


Subject Sierra LaPlata Mining Company

The attached list is a copy of the list Jane Logan typed for Joan Buckley regarding these claims. Mr. Bunker also has a list of these claims for his maps.

You will note that some of the claims, such as Bob Tail Lode #3861, Golden Anchor #2177, Triplet #2179, etc. are claims that we already have purchased and, according to Foley Brothers, escrow closed on them in December of 1968.

It is possible that they are selling the portion that we do not have - surface rights or mineral.

Respectfully,


Leila M. Shrider

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Attachment

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To Mr. A. J. Anderson
Tonopah Office

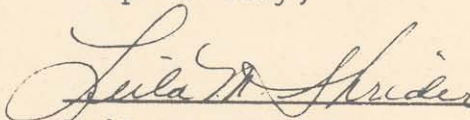
From Leila M. Shrider Office
February 5 19 70

Subject Sierra LaPlata Claims In
Conflict With HTC Claims

According to the list that I have regarding Sierra LaPlata mining claims for sale, the following listed claims are already owned by HTC, purchased under Group #16:

Black Mascot	#2178
Bobtail	#3861
Golden Anchor	#2177
Sage Brush	#2400
Triplet	#2197

Respectfully,


Leila M. Shrider

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HUGHES TOOL COMPANY

MINING OPERATIONS

P.O. BOX 1126
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A. J. ANDERSON
GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT

February 6, 1970

Mr. Joseph M. Foley
Attorney at Law
Goldfield Building
228 South 4th Street
Las Vegas, Nevada

Subject: Sierra LaPlata Claims in
conflict with HTC Claims

Dear Mr. Foley:

According to the information available in the Tonopah office, I wish to advise that the following claims offered for sale by the Sierra LaPlata Mining Company are presently owned by the Hughes Tool Company under Group 16:

Black Mascot	S.2178	(16-1-P)
Bobtail	S.3861	(16-2-P)
Golden Anchor	S.2177	(16-7-P)
Sage Brush	S.2400	(16-11-P)
Triplet	S.2179	(16-14-P)

It would be greatly appreciated if your office would confirm whether these claims are presently owned by the Hughes Tool Company or by the Sierra LaPlata Mining Company.

If this office can furnish you any additional information regarding the above, please advise.

Yours truly,


A. J. Anderson

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FOLEY BROTHERS

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AREA CODE 702

February 16, 1970

Mr. A. J. Anderson
HTC Mining Operations
P. O. Box 1126
Tonopah, Nevada 89049

Dear Swede:

Your office has been previously advised and a map has been supplied of those portions of the Black Mascot, Bobtail, Golden Anchor, Sage Brush and Triplet claims which are owned by Hughes Tool Company.

Our ownership is for portions of these claims only and it is not surprising to see that some other company, apparently Sierra LaPlatta also owns a portion of these claims.

Please refer to my letter regarding mapping. Again, we will shortly resolve these matters.

Yours very truly,

FOLEY BROTHERS


Joseph M. Foley

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cc: Mr. Dean Elson

Claims Acquired in Nye and Esmeralda Counties by Sierra La Plata
Mining Company. Bk. 111, O.R. 277. Rec'd 8-9-68

-Accidental	3167	-Mame S. Lode	4306
-Admiral Dewey Lode	2400	-Maryland Lode	2400
-Admiral Schley Lode	2400	-Merger Lode	3880
-Baby Fr. Lode	2782	-Merger Lode #1	3880
-Bass Lode	2189	-Merry Xmas Lode	2400
-Bear Lode	2484	-New Jersey Lode	2484
-Bermuda	2188	-Nilson Lode	2782
-Big Neil Fraction	4306	-North Star Lode	2400
-Black Mascot Lode	2178	-OK Fraction Lode	4397
-Bob Tail Lode	3861	-OK Lode	2130
-Brandywine Lode	2400	-ORO Lode	4607
-Broad Lode	4245	-Oro #1	4607
-Burlington Lode	2194	-Oro #2	4607
-C.B.Q. Lode	2193	-Oro #3	4607
-Cabin Lode	2131	-Oro Fraction Lode	4607
-Cabin Wedge	2400	-Panther Lode	2484
-Cash Boy Lode	2170	-Parker Fr. Lode	2877
-Cat's Paw Lode	2187	-Paymaster Lode	2190
-Clara A. Lode	2400	-Red Rock #2 Lode	2295
-Delaware Lode	2400	-Rich & Rare Lode	2782
-Deming Lode	2192	-Rost Fraction Lode	2782
-I.X.L. #2 Lode	4245	-Ruth #1	4624
-I.X.L. #4 Lode	4245	-Ruth #2	4624
-Iceberg #2 Lode	4152	-Ruth #3	4624
-Imperial Lode	2400	-Ruth #4	4624
-Isabella Lode	2400	-Ruth #5	4624
-Julie B. Lode	2400	-Ruth #6	4624
-Denver	2521	-Roulette Wheel Lode	2400
-Denver Lode	2191	-Sagebrush Lode	2400
-Doctor Lode	2400	-Salutation Lode	4153
-Dryland Sailor Lode	5384	-Short Lode	2185
-Egyptian Lode	2295	-Sky Lode	4153
-Estella Lode	2400	-Sky #2 Lode	4153
-Ferris Baby Lode	2400	-Sky #3 Lode	4152
-General Miles Lode	2400	-Stella Lode	4782
-Golden Anchor Lode	2177	-Sully Lode	4306
-Good Enough Fr. Lode	2782	-T.R.B. Lode	2400
-Georgia Lode	2484	-Tiger Lode	2484
-Grace Lode	2782	-Tony Lode (Tommy)?	2400
-Grand Trunk Lode	2129	-Triplet Lode	2179
-Hermosa Lode	4624	-Trenton Lode	2186
-Hermosa #1 Lode	4624	-Wall Street Lode	2521
-Homestead Lode	2400	-Whip Lode	4152
-I.X.L. Lode	4245	-White Swan Lode	2400
-I.X.L. #1 Lode	4245	-Z.Z.Z. Lode	2295
-Pennsylvania Lode	2782	-Z.Z.Z.Z. Lode	2295
-Pharo Lode	2484		
-Pittsburgh Fr. Lode	2878		
-Quinseck Lode	2782		
-Red Rock Lode	2295		
-Red Rock #1 Lode	2295		
-Keystone Lode	4272		
-Kotte Lode	4306		
-Limerich Lode	4153		
-Limerich #2 Lode	4153		
-Little Maud Lode	4306		
-Lottery Lode	2484		
-Lottie Y Lode	2400		
-Lucky Dog Fraction Lode	2521		

Sagebrush

Triplet

Golden Anchor

Black Mascot

Together with the following unpatented lode mining claims situated in Tonopah Mining District, Nye County, State of Nevada or in Esmeralda County, State of Nevada, or partly in one of said counties and partly in the other, viz.

Ajack
Ajack #1
Ajack #2
Ajack #3
Apex
Apex #1
Argentite
Argentite #1
Argentite #2
Argentite #3
Argentite #4
Argentite #5
Argentite #6
Argentite #7
Argentite #8
Argentite #9
Argentite #11
Far West
Far West #1
Far West #2
Far West #3
Far West #4
Florence #2
Florence #4
Florence #5
Florence #7
Florence #8
Florence #9
Frances #1
Frances #2
Frances #7
Frances
M.R.W.
Princess
Princess #1
Princess Fraction
Ruby
Silver Flat
Silver Flat #1
Silver Flat Fraction
Tonopah
Tonopah #1
Tonopah #2
Tonopah #3
Tonopah #4
Tonopah #5
Tonopah #6
Tonopah #7
Triangle Fraction
Victor Fraction

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January 20, 1970

Joseph Foley, Esq.
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228 South Fourth Street
Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

Dear Joe:

We represent the Tonopah Extension Mines, Inc. and I am writing to you because I understand that you have handled most of Howard Hughes' mining transactions in the Tonopah area.

I am sure that you are generally familiar with the fact that the Tonopah Extension was for many years one of the major producers in the Tonopah Mining District. It owned a number of patented and unpatented mining claims located generally between the Lambertucci property and Tonopah. As you come into Tonopah from the north, the huge steel headframe of the Victor Shaft still stands out as one of the outstanding landmarks of the area and is located a few hundred yards to the east of the highway.

In any case, the Company sold its properties to a man named Paul Watterson in 1962 for \$750,000 subject to a deed of trust on the property which was security for a promissory note in the amount of \$745,000. This note, however, has been in default for many years, but instead of foreclosing, the Company endeavored to give Watterson's successor in interest an opportunity to satisfy the obligation. Incidentally, the present owner of the property, who acquired it from Watterson, is the unsuccessful bidder for the Lambertucci property - Sierra LaPlata Mining Company.

Since it appeared to the Company that Sierra LaPlata was not in a position to pay the amount due on the note, the Company concluded that its only alternative was to instruct the trustee to file a notice of default. This was done and the notice was recorded in both Esmeralda and Nye counties on November 18, 1969. The amount of the principal still due and unpaid is

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\$663,949.57, together with advancements in the amount of \$46,372.39. After the expiration of the statutory three months' period, the trustee will of course have to publish the notice of sale for a three week period, so that the sale will not be held until some time after March 11th.

Judging by past performance, I seriously doubt whether Sierra LaPlata will be able to come up with the amount of money necessary to pay the obligation to Tonopah Extension.

Frankly, my purpose in writing to you is to find out whether or not the Hughes interests might be interested in acquiring this mining property. If so, we would certainly provide any and all information, data, maps, etc., that we have to you, or to your engineers and geologists for appropriate examination.

Best personal regards,

Sincerely,



Thomas A. Cooke

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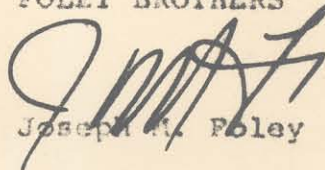
Dear Tom:

Thank you for the information concerning the
Tonopah Extension mining claims. I am circu-
lating copies of your letter to the parties
in the organization in charge of acquisition.

If there is any interest I will keep you advised.

Sincerely,

FOLEY BROTHERS


Joseph M. Foley

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bcc- Mr. Dean Elson
Mr. A. J. Anderson ✓