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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES FILE DATA

PRIMARY NAME: CORONADO

ALTERNATE NAMES:

APACHE GROUP  
APACHE GOLD  
WALL CLAIMS

PINAL COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 190

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 2 S RANGE 11 E SECTION 34 QUARTER E2  
LATITUDE: N 33DEG 12MIN 51SEC LONGITUDE: W 111DEG 12MIN 08SEC  
TOPO MAP NAME: MINERAL MTN - 7.5 MIN

CURRENT STATUS: PAST PRODUCER

COMMODITY:

COPPER OXIDE  
COPPER SULFIDE  
GOLD  
SILVER  
LEAD  
ZINC

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

ADMMR CORONADO FILE  
ADMMR FILES  
~~ADMMR APACHE GOLD FILE~~ COMBINED  
SEE: ADMMR OKLAHOMA GROUP FILE (SILVER BAR  
MINE REPORT, P. 11)

APACHE GOLD

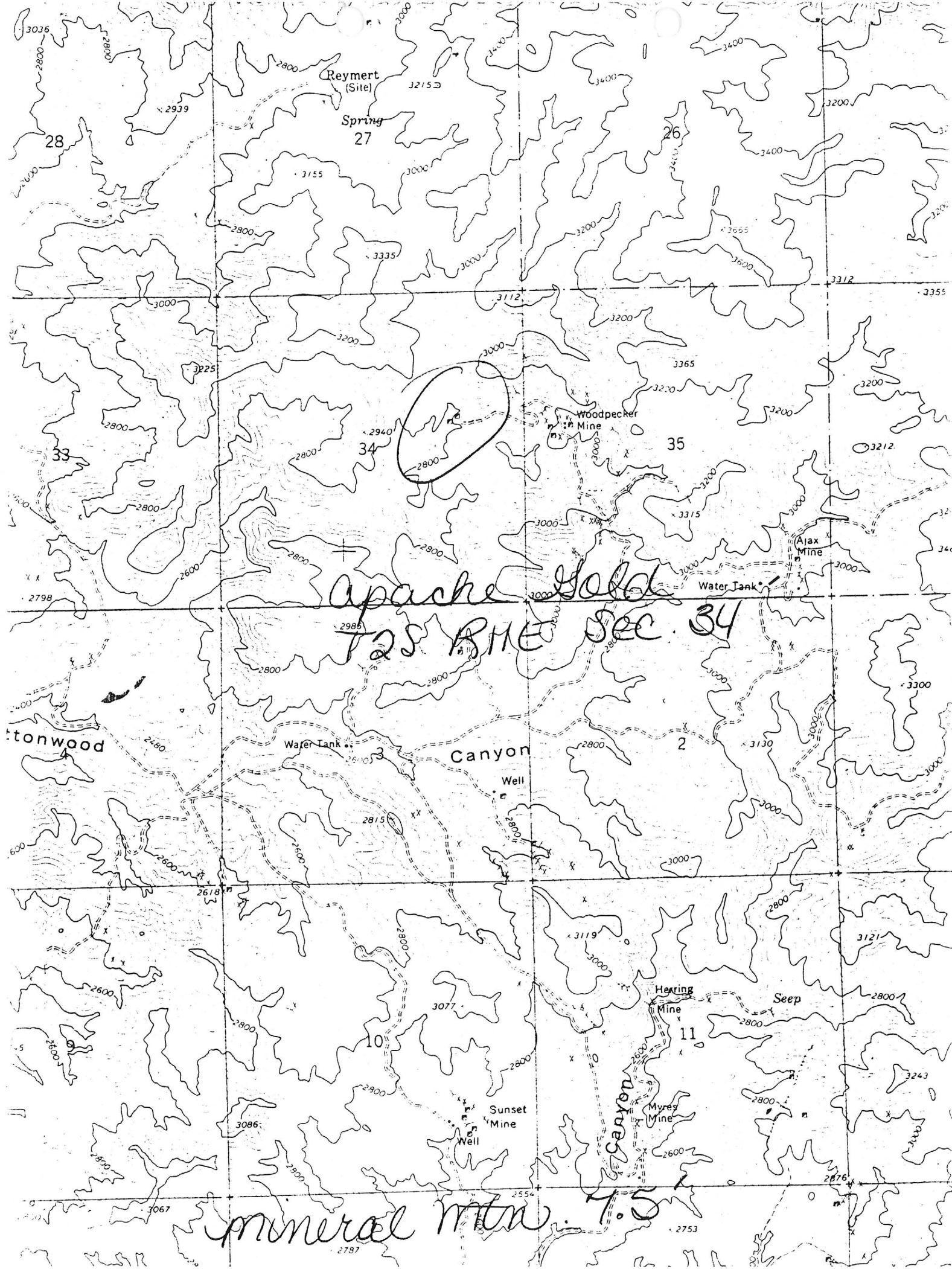
REFERENCES

PINAL COUNTY  
MINERAL HILL  
T2S R11E Sec. 34

Pinal County MILS Index #190

AKA: Apache Group, Apache Gold, Wall Claims  
Coronado (file)

Mineral Mtn. 7.5' Topo (included in file)



Apache Gold  
T2S RME Sec. 34

mineral mtn. 7.5

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

STATE OF ARIZONA  
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine     Coronado (Apache Group)     Date     February 28, 1962  
District     Mineral Hill District, Pinal County     Engineer     Lewis A. Smith  
              (due south of the Reymert Mine)  
Subject:     Interview with Lee Boyer, 1010 Lemon St., Tempe, Arizona

Owner:     Lee Boyer et al

Property:     3 claims

History:     James Herron (former Pinal Co. sheriff and James Smith, and Rover Cadelle, once owned and operated the mine (1918-1920).

Minerals     Copper-gold, some lead, silver and zinc.

Work:     The mine is developed by a 185 foot inclined shaft (52 degree dip to the west) and a 185 foot vertical shaft (higher elevation). The two are connected on the 185 foot level. A 45 foot drift was run on the vein and cut Pinal schist. The vein strikes NW-SE and dips 52 degrees west. In the upper portions of the mine the ore was composed of oxidized lead, silver and copper mineral consisting of chrysocolla, malachite, some azurite along with cerussite, anglesite and some galena. Deeper the sulphides consisted of galena (minor blebs and pods) bornite, chalcopyrite, pyrite, diableite, covellite, and free gold. The ore from the 45 foot drift assayed  $9\frac{1}{2}$  per cent copper, \$4-8 in gold (as high as 9 ounces in pockets). Lee Boyer during World War II shipped 22 tons which assayed 3.21 ounces gold and 2.8 per cent copper and minor silver. The lead minerals were more prevalent near the top than in the lower workings and Lee Boyer believes that they are later than the copper-gold minerals. Lee is planning to patent 2 claims which have been appreciably developed, the third having nothing more than assessment and location work. If the proposed Ajax mill proves out, he hopes to reopen the Apache.

CORONADO

PINAL COUNTY

NJN WR 8/6/82: Tom Baker and Michael Smith from Mesa visited. They own the Elkhorn Claim Group 4, 1-15 in T2S R11E Sec, 27, 28, 33, and 34, Pinal County. The property was held by them for gold veins. While checking one of the poorer veins with a black light recently they discovered it contained scheelite. They brought in a bucket of crude concentrate which looked like 10-20% scheelite (unless there is a high percentage just on the fractures). For milling equipment they have a jaw crusher, impactor, trommel, spiral classifier and a worn out table. When they get a new table, they are going to produce some scheelite. I supplied them with a list of possible purchasers of tungsten concentrates.

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CORONADO

PINAL COUNTY  
MINERAL HILL DIST.

Mr. Bruce T. ✓ Amos, 1205 Apache Blvd., Tempe, Ariz.  
states that he has acquired this property from  
Mr. Lee ↓ Boyer.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

News Items

Date

7-1-48

Mine

Coronado

Location

Pinal

Owner

7 claims

Address

17.50 Au Ag Co.

Operating Co.

Address

Shist.

Pres.

Vert. 1 1/2 Comp.

Genl. Mgr.

Mine Supt.

drift. some

Mill Supt.

on 100' stoping

Principal Metals

Men Employed

18' 8' 78"

Production Rate

Mill, Type & Capacity

Power, Amt. & Type

Signed

(Over)

# DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

## REPORT TO OPA ON ACTIVE MINING PROJECT

Date 11/21/44  
 Name of Mine Coronado  
 Owner or Operator D E Lutton  
 Address 812 Mill Ave Tempe Ariz  
 Mine Location Between Florence & Superior

### Filing Information

File System.....

File No.....

This chart to be used for gallons of gasoline required per month.

### PRESENT OPERATIONS: (check X)

Production.....; Development.....; Financing.....; Sale of mine.....;

Experimental (sampling).....; Owner's occasional trip.....;

Other (specify) Getting ready for production

### PRODUCTION: Past and Future.

Tons

Approx. tons last 3 months .....

Approx. present rate per 3 months .....

Anticipated rate next 3 months .....

If in distant future check (X) here X

### EQUIPMENT OPERATED:

| Type                     | Quantity or Horse Power | Miles or Hours Per Month | Gallons Required Per Month |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| Personal Cars            | .....                   | .....                    | .....                      |
| Light or Service Trucks  | <u>1</u>                | <u>600</u>               | <u>50</u>                  |
| Ore Hauling Trucks       | .....                   | .....                    | .....                      |
| Compressors              | .....                   | .....                    | .....                      |
| Other Mine or Mill Eqpt. | <u>Pump 2HP</u>         | .....                    | <u>2.5</u>                 |

### PRODUCT PRODUCED OR CONTEMPLATED: Name metals or minerals.

Gold Copper Fluo

### REMARKS:

A new operation not recommended.

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

By Chief Planning



DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

News Items

Date

4/29/40

Mine

APACITE GOLD MINE

Location

6-8 Mi. S.W. OF SUPERIOR

Owner

O. H. WALL

Address

SUPERIOR (FLORENCE)

Operating Co.

MORRIS GEGGIE

Address

SIERRA MADRE - CAL.

Pres.

PURCHASE CONTRACT BY  
E. J. BELLEAU - SIGNED 4/28

Genl. Mgr.

PLAN TO TIE-COLLAR SHAFT 8

Mine Supt.

OPEN UP MINE -

Mill Supt.

Principal Metals

AU. (Some Cu.)

Men Employed

Production Rate

Mill, Type & Capacity

WILL FILE REPORT

Power, Amt. & Type

WHEN WORK STARTS.

Signed

J. COUPAL

(Over)

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date November 19, 1940

Mine Apache Gold

District Mineral Hill Dist., Pinal County

Location

Former name Apache Gold

Owner O. H. Wall

Address P. O. Box 458, Florence, Arizona

Operator O. H. Wall

Address

President No corporation

Gen. Mgr. ( M

Mine Supt.

Mill Supt. ( i

Principal Metals Gold

Men Employed ( n N c t i v e

Production Rate Not establish

Mill: Type & Cap.

Power: Amt. & Type None

Operations: Present Idle

Operations Planned Depend on finances. Reopen vertical shaft caved at collar.  
Depth of shaft 200 feet.

Number Claims, Title, etc.

Description: Topog. & Geog.

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition

Geology & Mineralization

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings      Large dump of rock taken from sinking incline shaft.

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet      No equipment

Road Conditions, Route      Short distance over paved mountain road from highway and connecting between Florence Junction and Superior

Water Supply      Domestic only at present.

Brief History

Special Problems, Reports Filed

Remarks

If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate.      For Sale.—  
Owner asks for \$3000 cash and will make favorable deal  
contemplating unpaid balance as ore is developed and shipped.

Signed.....

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
304 HOME BUILDERS BUILDING  
PHOENIX, ARIZONA



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TO  
Writer

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~~Florence, Ariz.~~

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APACHE GOLD

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SEE: CORONADO (file)

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Florence letter

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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

By.....

Chas. H. Manning

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**DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES**  
**STATE OF ARIZONA**  
**FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT**

Mine            Coronado. Cu.

Date           June 23, 1943

District       Mineral Hill

Engineer      Earl F. Hastings

Subject:       Reconstruction Finance Corporation  
                 Mine Loan

Docket No.

Phx C-213

Date Application Received

June 17, 1943

Date of Report

June 23, 1943

1. Name and address of applicant (correspondent):  
David E. Fulton, 812 Mill Avenue, Tempe, Arizona.
2. Character of project and estimated cost thereof:  
Cu. Rehabilitate 300 foot incline shaft "dewatering, timbering and prospecting".  
\$3,980.00.
3. Location of property:  
Mineral Hill Mining District, Pinal County, Arizona.
4. Applicant's interest in or ownership of property:  
Applicant is owner by location.
5. Loan requested:  
\$5,000.00.
6. Loan recommended:  
None.
7. Comments:  
(A) A few small unrecorded shipments have been made from the property. No material production has been obtained in approximately 550 feet of development (mostly sinking).  
  
(B) Forty-five tons of ore exist on dumps at the present time, the major portion of which is of mediocre quality.  
  
(C) The above conditions intimate a lack of continuity of any ore so far encountered.  
  
Preference of downward development to such a point without laterals emphasizes the absence of mineable ore or showings worthy of lateral development and promotes the impression that depth was being depended upon to expose ore.  
  
(D) Assuming that there is the showing of chalcopryite ore as claimed in the shaft bottom, there is still no indication that such ore is of mineable quantity. In fact, the assumed habits of deposition are more unfavorable than favorable for an important showing.  
  
(E) The data is inadequate as a basis for recommendation of this loan and the filling of voids by deduction further detracts from the attractiveness of the project.

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Earl F. Hastings, Projects Engineer