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OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
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October 18, 1963

Mr. William R. Noack
5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California

Re: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

Dear Mr. Noack:

Enclosed herewith for your files is a copy of an Amended Report of Review dated October 7, 1963, with regards to your contract prepared by Mr. E. D. Talbert, OME, auditor.

The Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II, concurs in the facts stated in this Amended Report of Review.

Sincerely yours,

Paul V. Fillo
Acting Field Officer
OME, Region II

Enclosure

cc:
Chief, Division of Contract Administration and Audit, OME, Washington, D. C.
Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

AMENDED
REPORT OF REVIEW

OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION AND AUDIT DIVISION

AMENDED REPORT OF REVIEW

I have reviewed the Monthly Reports of:

William R. Noack
5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California

pertaining to Exploration Contract 14-23-090-2122, OME No. 6092, including Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, for January 15, 1961, to July 20, 1963, inclusive, including an amended report for December 16, 1962, to February 15, 1963, covering a copper project on the Loretto Mine Group of claims, Inyo County, California.

My review included an examination of the Monthly Vouchers (MME Forms 60) and supporting documents, comparison of the claimed costs with the contract and pertinent schedules, confirmation of work performed by reference to reports and correspondence, and a determination of the reasonableness and propriety of the costs.

This review was made in lieu of a final audit of the Operator's accounts and records for the reasons given in the attached schedule.

The findings of this review are stated in the following summary and the attached schedule:

Total cost billed by Operator		$53,407.40
Exceptions:		
Prior to this review	$ -0-	
Herewith	2,067.45	2,067.45
Acceptable cost		$51,339.95

The contract calls for a 50 percent contribution of the allowable costs by the Government. Therefore, if the project is otherwise accepted as having met the terms of the contract, payments as follows are valid and proper:

Payable on audited claim	$25,669.97
Paid to date	24,354.50
Balance due Operator	$ 1,315.47

October 7, 1963

E. D. Talbert, OME Auditor

Reasons for Report of Review in lieu of a final audit:

(a) a major portion ($40,889.00) of the acceptable costs was under a contract provision for contribution by the Government on the basis of fixed unit costs for work performed;
(b) the Monthly Reports were supported by documentary evidence of the acceptable actual costs under the contract; and
(c) the administrative cost to the Government of an audit would be excessive in relation to the estimated amount of possible exceptions.

Exceptions herewith:

The Operator claimed $4,698.40 for Stage III, whereas the maximum allowable under the contract is an average of $75.17/ft. for the 35 feet of shaft rehabilitated, or a total of $2,630.95; difference disallowed ..... $ 2,067.45

Acceptable cost:

Stage I (Fixed Unit Costs) -	
Shaft rehabilitation, 1 job	$ 8,000.00
Drifting & crosscutting, 600 ft. @ $34.00	20,400.00
Timbering, 10 ft. @ $7.00	70.00
Sample assaying, 50 ea. @ $5.00	250.00
	$28,720.00
Stage II (Actual Costs) -	
Cat. (2) Labor	$ 5,948.00
Cat. (3) Timber & shaft hanger bolts	1,139.90
Cat. (4) Equipment depreciation	380.00
Cat. (7) Payroll taxes & insurance	1,171.48
Less: Excess over contractual maximum	-819.38
	$ 7,820.00
Stage III (Actual Costs) -	
Cat. (2) Labor	$ 3,470.00
Cat. (3) Timber, shaft hanger bolts, fuel	652.77
Cat. (7) Payroll taxes & insurance	575.63
Less: Excess over contractual maximum	-2,067.45
	$ 2,630.95

Stage IV (Fixed Unit Costs) -	
Drifting & crosscutting, 350 ft. @ $34.00	$11,900.00
Timbering, 7 ft. @ $7.00	49.00
Sample assaying, 44 ea. @ $5.00	220.00
	$12,169.00
Total	$51,339.95

OCT 7 1963

Memorandum

To: Acting Field Officer, Region II

From: E. D. Talbert, Chief (Signed) E. D. Talbert
Contract Administration and Audit Division

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine Group of Claims
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

By memorandum dated September 24 you forwarded to the Department's Fiscal Section the original and two copies of an amended final MME Form 60 and attachments as submitted by the subject Operator to bill for heretofore unclaimed Stage III costs. This voucher was referred to this Division in accordance with the footnote on the August 20, 1963, Report of Review, which includes the parenthetical statement that Stage III costs would be allowed "if claimed and adequately substantiated by the Operator, approved by the Acting Field Officer, and found acceptable by this Division".

By appropriate entries and certification on the supporting MME Form 61 you have indicated your acceptance of 35 feet of Stage III shaft rehabilitation and the Operator has adequately documented costs in excess of the maximum allowable amount. Accordingly, an Amended Report of Review has been prepared and two copies thereof are attached. One copy is for your files and one copy for forwarding to the Operator.

By copy of this memorandum the referred documents are being returned to the Fiscal Section, together with the original of the Amended Report of Review, for payment of the balance of $1,315.47 found to be due the Operator.

Enclosures

EDTalbert/ama 10-7-63

cc: Docket
Director's Reading File
CA & A Division
Fiscal Section

REPORT
OF REVIEW

OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION AND AUDIT DIVISION

REPORT OF REVIEW

reviewed the Monthly Reports of:

William R. Noack
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La Canada, California

ertaining to Exploration Contract 14-23-090-2122, OME No. 6092, including Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, for January 15, 1961, to July 20, 1963, inclusive, covering a copper project on the Loretto Mine Group of claims, Inyo County, California.

My review included an examination of the Monthly Vouchers (OME Forms 60) and supporting documents, comparison of the claimed costs with the contract and pertinent schedules, confirmation of work performed by reference to reports and correspondence, and a determination of the reasonableness and propriety of the costs.

This review was made in lieu of a final audit of the Operator's accounts and records for the reasons given in the attached schedule.

The findings of this review are stated in the following summary and the attached schedule:

Total cost billed by Operator		$48,709.00
Exceptions:		
Prior to this review	$ -0-	
Herewith	-0-	-0-
Acceptable cost claimed by Operator		$48,709.00

The contract calls for a 50 percent contribution of the allowable costs by the Government. Therefore, if the project is otherwise accepted as having met the terms of the contract, payments as follows are valid and proper:

Payable on audited claim	$24,354.50
Paid to date	23,757.00
Balance due Operator	$ 597.50

August 20, 1963

E. D. Talbert, OME Auditor

Reasons for Report of Review in lieu of a final audit:

(a) a major portion ($40,889.00) of the acceptable costs claimed by the Operator was under a contract provision for contribution by the Government on the basis of fixed unit costs for work performed;
(b) the Monthly Reports were supported by documentary evidence of the acceptable actual costs under the contract;
(c) acceptable costs of $36,540.00 were covered by an Interim Report of Review dated March 5, 1963; and
(d) the administrative cost to the Government of an audit would be excessive in relation to the estimated amount of possible exceptions.

Acceptable cost claimed by Operator:

Stage I (Fixed Unit Costs) -	
Shaft rehabilitation, 1 job	$ 8,000.00
Drifting & crosscutting, 600 ft. @ $34.00	20,400.00
Timbering, 10 ft. @ $7.00	70.00
Sample assaying, 50 ea. @ $5.00	250.00
	$28,720.00
Stage II (Actual Costs) -	
Cat. (2) Labor	$ 5,948.00
Cat. (3) Timber & shaft hanger bolts	1,139.90
Cat. (4) Equipment depreciation	380.00
Cat. (7) Payroll taxes & insurance	1,171.48
Less: Excess over contractual maximum	-819.38
	$ 7,820.00
Stage IV (Fixed Unit Costs) -	
Drifting & crosscutting, 350 ft. @ $34.00	$11,900.00
Timbering, 7 ft. @ $7.00	49.00
Sample assaying, 44 ea. @ $5.00	220.00
	$12,169.00
Total	$48,709.00

Note: No Stage III costs have been claimed by Operator, although the work of that stage (i.e., rehabilitating the Loretto shaft from the 400 foot level to the 435 foot level) was performed as authorized by Amendments Nos. 2 and 5. The maximum allowable costs (if claimed and adequately substantiated by the Operator, approved by the Acting Field Officer, and found acceptable by this Division) would be 35 feet @ $75.17, or a total of $2,630.95 for such Stage III work.

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August 28, 1963

Mr. William R. Noack
5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California

Re: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

Dear Mr. Noack:

Enclosed herewith for your files is a copy of a Report of Review dated August 20, 1963, for the subject contract prepared by Mr. E. D. Talbert, OME, auditor.

The Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II, concurs in the facts stated in this Report of Review.

Sincerely yours,

PAUL V. FILLO

Paul V. Fillo
Acting Field Officer
OME, Region II

Enclosure

cc:
Contract Administration and Audit Division, OME, Washington, D. C.
Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

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Memorandum

To: Acting Field Officer, Region II

From: E. D. Talbert, Chief (Signed) E. D. Talbert
Contract Administration and Audit Division

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine Group of Claims
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

As requested by your August 16 memorandum, a Report of Review in lieu of a final audit has been prepared for the subject contract. If you concur in the facts stated therein, the enclosed original and two copies should be distributed in accordance with section 4 of OME Circular 2.

As evidence of your concurrence, a copy of your letter transmitting the Operator's copy should be furnished to this Division. If for any reason you do not concur, the original and both copies should be returned to this Division with your comments.

In connection with such concurrence your attention is invited to the note on the second page of the Report of Review. Your memo indicates acceptance of shaft rehabilitation from the 300 foot level to the 435 foot level at a total cost of $7,820.00 under Stages II and III. The contract, as amended, provides a maximum of $7,820.00 for rehabilitation to the 400 foot level under Stage II and a maximum of $75.17/foot for rehabilitation from the 400 foot to 435 foot levels under Stage III.

The copy of the Operator's final MME Forms 60 and 61, which was enclosed with your memorandum, is returned. In the future please be guided by the instructions at the top of page 2 of OME Circular 2, i.e., "The memorandum will be accompanied by the originals of any applicable unpaid forms MF-104 or MME-60, MF-104A or MME-61, and supporting documentation".

Enclosures

EDTalbert/ama
8-20-63

cc: Docket
Director's Reading File
CA & A Division
Fiscal Section

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Memorandum

To: Contract Administration and Audit Division, OME, Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

Work under the subject contract was completed July 20, 1963.

A number of units of work completed by the operator and accepted by the Acting Field Officer as conforming to contract specifications are:

Stage I (Fixed Unit Cost)

Rehabilitation of Shaft (Surface to 300 ft. level)	1 job
Drifting	495 ft.
Crosscutting	105 ft.
Timbering	10 ft.
Assays	50

Stage II and III (Actual Cost)

Rehabilitation of Shaft (300 - 435 ft. level)	$7,820.00

Stage IV (Fixed Unit Cost)

Drifting and Crosscutting	350 ft.
Timbering	7 ft.
Assays	44

An acceptable final engineering and geological report was received from the operator on August 5, 1963.

A Report of Review, in lieu of a final audit, is in order and requested. For this purpose a copy of the final (July 1963) MME-60 and MME 61, is enclosed.

Paul V. Fillo

Paul V. Fillo

Enclosures
cc:
Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

MME FORM 60
SEPT. 1959

AMENDED TO INCLUDE
STAGE III & PERIOD
12/16/62 to 2/15/63

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For ~~Month of~~ Period Ending 7/20/63

Docket No. OME (Copper)
Contract No. 14-23-090-OME 2122
Contract Amount $ 60,910.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 30,455.00
Mineral(s) Copper

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and	Stage III					
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Stage IV drifting and ~~Rehabing~~ crosscutting		11,900.00	11,900.00			
Drifting						
Stage I drifting and ~~Crosscutting~~		20,400.00	20,400.00			
Rehab. shaft to 300' ~~Drifting~~		8,000.00	8,000.00			
Timbering - Stage I		70.00	70.00			
Timbering - Stage IV		49.00	49.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Labor - Stage II ~~Outside Consultants~~		5,948.00	5,948.00			
Labor Stage III	3,470.00		3,470.00			
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber - Stage II		886.71	886.71			
Timber - Stage III ~~Explosives~~	462.40		462.40			
Pipe						
Rail						
Shaft hanger bolts-St. II		253.19	253.19			
" " " Stage III	110.77		110.77			
Fuel for generator	79.60		79.60			
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation		380.00	380.00			
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Stage II Payroll Taxes & insuran.		1171.48	1171.48			
Stage III " " " " ~~Employee's Liability Ins~~	575.63		575.63			
Assays - Stage I		250.00	250.00			
Assays - Stage IV		220.00	220.00			
Excess over con. min. St. II		(819.38)	(819.38)			
TOTALS	4,698.40	48,709.00	53,407.40	2,630.95	48,709.00	51,339.95

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date Sept. 3, 1963 *Payee William R. Noack

Per _____ Title William R. Noack Owner

* When a voucher is signed or receipted in the name of a company or corporation, the name of the person writing the company or corporate name, as well as the capacity in which he signs, must appear. For example: "John Doe Company, per John Smith, Secretary," or "Treasurer," as the case may be.

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 1315.47

Signature BHB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 10/9/63 Vou. No. 530-2

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature Paul V. Gillo Title Acting Field Officer Date Sept. 24, 1963

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME Regional

Signature Paul V. Gillo Title Acting Field Officer Date Sept. 24, 1963

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY REPORT

The Operator, under an Office of Minerals Exploration contract, is required to report monthly to the Government. The report consists of three parts.

FIRST, the Operator's Monthly Voucher on MME Form 60 listing the project costs incurred and claimed by the Operator is the voucher basis for payment of the Government's share of the cost.

SECOND, the Operator's Progress Report on MME Form 61 is a statistical report of the units and cost of of work performed under the contract.

THIRD, the Operator's Narrative Report is a concise description of the work performed, results accomplished, and any unusual situations encountered, illustrated and supported by engineering-geological maps or sketches, drill hole logs, assay reports, etc., as pertinent.

The Operator submits the original and four copies of each of the three sections of this report to the OME regional Executive Officer at the end of each month during the life of the contract.

PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

After all applicable spaces are filled in, the Operator or his agent must sign the certification in the lower left corner. Categories (2) through (7) apply to "Actual Cost" contracts only.

Under "Fixed Unit Costs" and Category (1) report, (a) the total fixed unit costs of work performed under contract provisions for contribution by the Government on a basis of "fixed unit costs"; and (b) the claimed costs of work performed on a unit-price basis by independent contractors.

Under Category (2) include the claimed costs of all payrolled and invoiced supervisory, technical, and labor personnel, except the costs for services applicable to Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (3) include the claimed costs of all project materials and supplies other than those used for work under Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (4) report claimed rentals on equipment belonging to a third party, claimed payments or obligations for payments on the Operator's purchase of equipment, and claimed depreciation for the use of Operator-owned equipment.

Under Categories (5) and (6) include all claimed costs of labor, supervision, technical services, operating materials and supplies, and all other items used in (5) the initial rehabilitation and repairs of existing buildings, fixtures, installations (exclusive of mine workings), and operating equipment; and (6) the installation or construction of new buildings, fixtures, and fixed improvements (exclusive of mine workings). Do not report these costs under Categories (2), (3), (4), and (7).

Under Category (7) include all miscellaneous claimed costs such as repairs (other than initial) and maintenance of equipment, sampling and analysis, travel, communication, accounting, office expenses, and the Operator's share of payroll taxes and insurance.

Except for amounts claimed under "fixed unit costs" provisions of the contract, all costs claimed in this voucher must be supported by documentary evidence consisting of: (a) certified copies or transcripts of payrolls which list each employee, wage rate, period of employment, gross earnings, itemized deductions, and net earnings; (b) original or certified copies of invoices, statements of accounts, or purchase orders which indicate items of materials or services, quantities, unit prices, total charges, and payment terms; and (c) certified memoranda of the Operator for such items as depreciation of Operator-owned equipment, unemployment taxes, and employee's liability insurance. The certification may be stated thus, "Certified True Copy (or Transcript)"; followed by the signature of the Operator or his agent. One copy of each document should accompany the original of this voucher.

The requirement for submitting documentary evidence of claimed costs may be waived by the OME regional Executive Officer if he determines that it is impracticable for an Operator to submit this material. In any case of waiver of this requirement an "on-site" audit by an OME auditor is mandatory prior to payment of the final Operator's Monthly Voucher.

MME FORM 60
SEPT. 1959

AMENDED TO INCLUDE
STAGE III - Period
12/16/62 to 2/15/63

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT

For ~~Month of~~ Period Ending 7/20/63

Docket No. OME (Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack

Contract No. 14-23-090-OME 2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Stage IV							
Drifting & crosscutting	350'		350'	11,900.00			11,900.00
Crosscutting Stage I							
drifting & crosscutting	600'		600'	20,400.00			20,400.00
Stage I							
Shafts Rehab. to 300'			completed	8,000.00			8,000.00
Stage II							
Winzes Rehab. to 400'			completed	7,820.00			7,820.00
Stage III							
Other Underground Rehab. to 435'		35'		4,698.40		35'	2630.95
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Stage II							
Miscellaneous Assays at $5.00	100		50	250.00			250.00
Stage IV	100		44	220.00			220.00
Timbering							
Stage I	100'		10'	70.00			70.00
Stage IV	100'		7'	49.00			49.00
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work							
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				$53,407.40			51,339.95

REMARKS Stage III was performed as authorized by Amendments #2 and #5. The maximum allowable cost by report of review dated August 20, 1963, by E. D. Talbert, O.M.E. auditor, are stated as 35 feet at $75.17 or a total of $2,630.95. Considerable additional costs were incurred in addition to what is reported. However, to simplify the claim, only items which the operator believes are unquestionable are submitted.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date Sept. 4, 1963 Operator William R. Noack

Per _____ Title Owner

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Paul V. Tillo

Title Acting Field Officer
OME Region II
Government Representative

Date Sept. 24, 1963

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

This report is the second of the three parts of the Operator's Monthly Report. Submit the original and four copies.

The cost for each operation should be the total of all claimed costs attributable to that type of work with two exceptions, namely—operating equipment purchased and analytical work which are stated separately. For example, drifting costs should be the total of all costs chargeable to drifting including supervision, technical services, timbering (if any), etc. Similarly, drilling costs should include the cost of cementing, reaming, core boxes, etc. This procedure of distribution holds whether the contract was written on an actual cost or a unit cost basis, or some combination of the two. Distribute the cost of such general items as supervision, equipment rented, etc. according to relative footages or on some other conventional basis. The item "Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs" covers all rehabilitation and/or repairs other than the rehabilitation of mine workings.

The item titled "Drilling, Non-core Percussion" includes all drilling performed with wagon, jack-hammer, stoper and mounted drills. The several items labelled "Other" are provided to take care of particular exploration operations not specified on this form.

WILLIAM R. NOACK

5173 EARL DRIVE • LA CANADA, CALIFORNIA

Sept. 4, 1963

To: Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, California

Re: OME - 6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is an Amended Final Return to include Stage III which had been omitted from the previously submitted final return awaiting a decision from Washington.

The Report of Review dated Aug. 20, 1963, authorizes this amended return.

Very truly yours,

William R. Noack

William R. Noack

WRN:He
Encls.

OME 6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Transcript of Payroll

A
Stage III

Name	Hour Rate	Period of Empl.	Total Earnings	Withholding Tax	Cal. Tax	FICA	Net Payroll
Raymond Sonke	$ 3.00	12/16/62-2/15/63	$ 1,290.00	$ 170.40	$ 12.90	$ 42.33	$ 1064.37
Augie Perez	2.50	12/16/62-2/15/63	1,010.00	81.80	10.10	31.63	886.47
Gonzalo Hernandez	2.50	12/16/62-2/15/63	1,090.00	137.[illegible]0	10.90	34.01	907.99
Albert Bostrom	2.50	12/16/62-2/15/63	80.00	[illegible]	.80	2.72	76.48
			$ 3,470.00	$ 389.30	$34.70	$ 110.69	$ 2935.31

"Certified True Copy"

William R. Noack

William R. Noack
Operator

Re: OME 6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, Calif.
Contract No. 2122

b - Stage III

Memoranda of Operator

Timber

Timber was stockpiled as evidence of paid statement from Winans Bros. attached to voucher for Stage III. For the 9 five-foot (two sets necessary to brace the floor on the 435' level), the following timber was used:

18 pieces 8" x 8" x 16'	1530 board feet	
13 pieces 8" x 8" x 14'	962 board feet	
5 pieces 6" x 8" x 14'	280 board feet	
72 pieces 2" x 12" x 16'	2304 board feet	
	5076 feet at $85. per M.	$ 431.46
70 lineal feet 4" x 4" guides	93 feet at $140. per M.	13.02
Ladder stock	84 feet at $115. per M.	9.20
		$ 453.68
	4% tax	18.14
		$ 471.82
	Less 2% cash disc.	9.42
		$ 462.40

Fuel

Diesel engine fuel to operate the generator is the only fuel charged.
For 4 weeks operation from 1/2/63 to 1/30/63
400 gallons diesel fuel @ 19.9¢ per gal. (invoice attached) $ 79.60

Shaft Hanger Bolts

From hanger bolts purchased and stockpiled from Young Iron Works, the cost per bolt is $1.9781 each. Paid statement attached to voucher for Stage II.
56 bolts @ 1.9781 each $ 110.77

Category (7) Miscellaneous

California State Insurance Policy #236271-62-63 is held for Workmen's Compensation. The rates are as follows for 1963:

1123	Mining Underground	$14.31
1124	Mining Top Men	8.03
5809	Pneumo. Surcharge	1.82

Insurance paid and allotted to Stage II was $370.99 for mining underground and $93.95 for mining top men. Total paid $ 464.94

F.I.C.A. Insurance allowable (see transcript of payroll) $ 110.69

"This is a Certified True Copy"

William R. Noack
William R. Noack, Operator

Standard Form No. 1034
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PUBLIC VOUCHER FOR PURCHASES AND SERVICES OTHER THAN PERSONAL

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VOUCHER NO. 507-1

U. S. Interior - Office of the Secretary - Accounting Unit
(Department, bureau, or establishment)

Voucher prepared at Washington, D. C. 20240 10/3/63
(Give place and date)

Payee's Account No. _____ Discount Terms _____

TO William R. Noack
(Payee)

5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California
(Address)

PAID BY

Contract No. Date Req. No. Date Invoice Rec'd.
Shipped from to Weight Govt. B/L No.

No. and Date of Order	Date of Delivery or Service	ARTICLES OR SERVICES (Enter description, item number of contract or Federal supply schedule, and other information deemed necessary)	Quantity	UNIT PRICE Cost	UNIT PRICE Per	AMOUNT *
Payment based on Audit Review, dated August 29,1963		Payment of monies withheld on previous vouchers.($250 on voucher for the period ending July 20, 1963 and $250.00 for the period ending Dec. 27, 1961) Total cost billed & Accepted costs $40,709.00 Payable on audited claim $24,354.00 Paid to date $23,854.00* Balance due Operator 500.00 *Includes payment of $97.50 made by this Office in August, 1963.				500.00
			TOTAL			500.00

PAYMENT:

- COMPLETE ☐
- PARTIAL ☐
- FINAL ☐
- PROGRESS ☐
- ADVANCE ☐

(PAYEE MUST **NOT** USE THIS SPACE)

DIFFERENCES _____

Amount verified; correct for 500.00

(Signature or initials) bhb

† Approved for _____ =$ 500.00

By _____

Title _____

Exchange rate _____ =$1.00

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this voucher is correct and proper for payment.

† _____
(Authorized Certifying Officer) (Date)

THE REVERSE OF THIS FORM MUST BE EXECUTED WHEN PURCHASES ARE MADE OR SERVICES SECURED WITHOUT WRITTEN AGREEMENT IN ANY FORM

ACCOUNTING CLASSIFICATION (Appropriation Symbol must be shown; other classification optional)

14x6875(01) $ 500.00

Paid by
Check No. _____ on Treasurer of the United States
Check No. _____ on _____
(Name of Bank)
Cash, $ _____, on _____, 19____ Payee _____

Per _____

Title _____

* When used in foreign countries, insert name of currency of country in which used.

† If the ability to certify and authority to approve are combined in one person, one signature only is necessary; otherwise the approving officer will sign on the line below "Approved for $ _____", and over his official title.

METHOD OF OR ABSENCE OF ADVERTISING

METHOD OF ADVERTISING

1. Advertising in newspapers Yes ☐ No ☐.
2. (*a*) Advertising by circular letters sent to ..... dealers.
   (*b*) And by notices posted in public places Yes ☐ No ☐.

   (If notices were not posted in addition to advertising by circular letters sent to dealers, explanation of such omission must be made below.)

ABSENCE OF ADVERTISING

3. Without advertising, under an exigency of the service which existed prior to the order and would not admit of the delay incident to advertising.
4. Without advertising in accordance with .....
5. Without advertising, it being impracticable to secure competition because of .....

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(Here state in detail the nature of the exigency or circumstances under which the securing of competition was impracticable under 3 and 4)

NOTE.—The above form "Method of or Absence of Advertising" is to be used when purchases are made or services secured under proper authority without written agreement in any form. In case of a written agreement (formal contract, proposal, and acceptance, or less formal agreement) Standard Form No. 1036 should be used for abstracting the method of or absence of advertising and award of contract. (See 7 GAO 4500 and 5000.)

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

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Docket No. OME (Copper)
Contract No. 14-23-090-OME 2122
Contract Amount $ 60,910.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 30,455.00
Mineral(s) copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of Period Ending July 20, 1963

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, Calif.

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE			FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY		
	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
~~Bulldozing~~ Stage IV						
Drifting & crosscutting	$680.00	$11,220.00	$11,900.00			
~~Crosscutting~~ Stage I						
~~Drilling~~ drifting & crosscutting		20,400.00	20,400.00			
Rehab. shaft to 300'		8,000.00	8,000.00			
Timbering-Stage I		70.00	70.00			
Timbering-Stage IV		49.00	49.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor- Stage II		5,948.00	5,948.00			
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		886.71	886.71			
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
Shaft hanger bolts		253.19	253.19			
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation		380.00	380.00			
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes & ins.		1,171.48	1,171.48			
Employee's Liability Ins.						
Samples assayed-Stage I			250.00			
Samples assayed-Stage IV	15.00	205.00	220.00			
Excess over contractual minimum		(819.38)	(819.38)			
TOTALS		48,014.00	48,709.00	695.00	48,014.00	48,709.00

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date ~~Aug. 2, 1963~~ *Payee William R. Noack

Per _____ Title William R. Noack Owner

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

347.50
- 250.00 to Expense
$ 97.50 to Contractor

Signature BHB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 8/22/63 Vou. No. 281-13

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature Paul V. Lillo Title Acting Field Officer OME Regional Date August 16, 1963

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature Paul V. Lillo Title Acting Field Officer Date August 16, 1963

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The Operator submits the original and four copies of each of the three sections of this report to the OME regional Executive Officer at the end of each month during the life of the contract.

PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

After all applicable spaces are filled in, the Operator or his agent must sign the certification in the lower left corner. Categories (2) through (7) apply to "Actual Cost" contracts only.

Under "Fixed Unit Costs" and Category (1) report, (a) the total fixed unit costs of work performed under contract provisions for contribution by the Government on a basis of "fixed unit costs"; and (b) the claimed costs of work performed on a unit-price basis by independent contractors.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

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OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT

For Month of Period Ending July 20, 1963

Docket No. OME (Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack

Contract No. 14-23-090-OME 2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Stage IV Drifting & crosscutting	350	20'	350'	$11,900.00	20'	350'	$11,900.00
Stage I drifting & crosscutting	600'		600'	20,400.00		600'	20,400.00
Shafts-Rehab. to 300'			completed	8,000.00			8,000.00
Stage II rehab. shaft to 435'			completed	7,820.00			7,820.00
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Stage I assays @ $5.00	100		50	250.00		50	250.00
Stage IV assays @ $5.00	100	3	44	220.00		44	220.00
Timbering-Stage I			10'	70.00		10'	70.00
timbering-Stage IV			7'	49.00		7'	49.00
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work							
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				$48,709.00			48,709.00

REMARKS In this final report, the expenses are broken down between Stage I and Stage IV as should have been done on previous reports, and the error not caught until this report.

In the June report, the operator reported a 5' mineralized zone was encountered. This ore apparently lay against the right wall of the shear zone and extended for a total of 25 feet, and varied from 3 to 5 feet in thickness. If the ore were mined clean without waste, it would probably average better than 2%; however, the assays averaged 1.10. The right wall of the shear zone was definitely

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date Aug. 2, 1963 Operator William R. Noack

Per _____ Title William R. Noack Owner

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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Paul V. Gillo

Title Acting Field Officer OME Region II Government Representative

Date August 16, 1963

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

found which was granite. The mineralized area ended and further exploration at this level would have been necessary to prove the downward extension of the ore found on the 300' level. As the operator did not have the necessary personal capital, the project was closed down.

At the 435' level, the object was to follow one of the enriched cross-fractures in an effort to find where the mineralization originated. Three cross-fractures were found and followed, but in each case the mineralization ended close to the main drift.

The unauthenticated map which the operator located of the 550' level showed a fault with high grade ore which either was misplotted or else did not come up to the435' level. The map was checked with patent papers and for the drifts and crosscuts, it checks out exactly with the patent survey. Therefore, it was assumed that the mineralization shown on the map was substantially correct.

It is now believed that the most economical way to determine whether or not we have a mine is to continue mucking out the shaft to the 550' level, go in the old workings and sample it. The bottom of the shaft is now 450', which means that we have 100' of mucking and timbering to do. It is too big a project for the writer to do without OME help. According to your letter of June 19, 1963, the contract as amended by Amendment #5, no more work was authorized below the 435' level.

The operator, at his own expense, by this Amendment has stood the expense of opening and retimbering the shaft from 400' to the present 450' level. As all of the

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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timber and supplies are on hand to go down to the 550' level, if the OME should reconsider and allow the operator, by an additional amendment, to continue this exploration by the completion of Stage III, which was to open the shaft from the 400' to the 550' level, and on which Stage III the operator has expended a considerable sum of money, this proposed amendment would be appreciated.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

This report is the second of the three parts of the Operator's Monthly Report. Submit the original and four copies.

The cost for each operation should be the total of all claimed costs attributable to that type of work with two exceptions, namely—operating equipment purchased and analytical work which are stated separately. For example, drifting costs should be the total of all costs chargeable to drifting including supervision, technical services, timbering (if any), etc. Similarly, drilling costs should include the cost of cementing, reaming, core boxes, etc. This procedure of distribution holds whether the contract was written on an actual cost or a unit cost basis, or some combination of the two. Distribute the cost of such general items as supervision, equipment rented, etc. according to relative footages or on some other conventional basis. The item "Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs" covers all rehabilitation and/or repairs other than the rehabilitation of mine workings.

The item titled "Drilling, Non-core Percussion" includes all drilling performed with wagon, jack-hammer, stoper and mounted drills. The several items labelled "Other" are provided to take care of particular exploration operations not specified on this form.

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William R. Kovick
[illegible] Lake Tahoe, [illegible] Canyon, Calif.
Product No.: [illegible]
Contract No.: [illegible]
Contract Amount: [illegible]
Gov. Int. [illegible] $3,155.00
Expend: [illegible]

[illegible]
July 20, 1963

To: Office of Mineral Exploration
U.S. Dept. of the Interior

The early part of July had labor and holiday problems and resumption of work did not take place until the middle of the month. The operator could find no faults or cross-fractures to give any indication of where to look for ore. The only solution seemed to be to follow the rich vein which acted as a footwall. One was found, but it also was found to pinch out after twenty-five feet. Asked badly if the vein were continued to be followed, one could not be found, because it is on the surface above this point and naturally would be deposited underground in a geology form. However, the 35 feet of work allowed had been completed and the operator had no personal funds to continue exploration on this level.

It is believed that the next step should be to open up the shaft to the 550-foot level. The cage was removed and a bucket guided by a cross-hatch was assembled and a start of a program of sinking out the shaft to the 550-foot level was approved.

It is firmly believed that the unsubstantiated reports of a rich 550-foot level are true. Therefore, it is believed that this should be further investigated before any more exploration work is done on the 435-foot level.

William R. Kovick
William R. Kovick
Owner and Operator

OPERATOR'S FINAL REPORT

1. William R. Hoack
5173 Pearl Drive, La Canada, California
Docket No.: G.E (Copper)
Contract No.: GIB 2122
Contract Amount: $60,910.00
Govt. Partic. 50% $30,455.00
Mineral: Copper
Loretto Mine, Big Pine, Inyo County, Calif.

2. The date of starting this project was January 15, 1961 and the completion date was July 20, 1963.

The work was completed in four stages. Stage I consisted of the rehabilitation of the shaft to 300 feet, and 600 feet of drifting and crosscutting on the 300-foot level. Stage II consisted of the rehabilitation of the shaft to the 400-foot level. Stage III consisted of the rehabilitation of the shaft from the 400-foot level to the 550-foot level but was amended, or deleted, so that the writer has in no way received remuneration for this stage. Stage IV, originally was for 350 feet of exploration on the 550-foot level, but was amended so that the exploration was allowed on the 435-foot level.

The total units and costs for each category are as follows:

Stage I	$ 28,720.00
Stage II	7,820.00
Stage III	-0-
Stage IV	12,169.00
	$ 48,709.00

3. This project was to explore a shear zone which shows copper mineralization on the surface of the ground, and in two adits which have been opened for inspection for many years. The shaft that at one time was reputed to have been 1800-feet deep had collapsed. In Stage I, 600 feet of drifting and crosscutting had been done on the O.M.E. contract and 200 feet additional work was done at the operator's own expense. During this work, approximately 1,000 tons of copper ore, averaging slightly over 2% copper with approximately $1.00 in gold and $1.00 in silver per ton, was stockpiled. If all of the ore on this level had been found, which is quite unlikely, it would show approximately 140 tons to a vertical foot. If the ore carried to 600 feet in depth, there would be 84,000 tons of ore by this method of projection.

In Stage IV, which consisted of 350 feet of drifting and crosscutting on the 435-foot level, approximately 700 tons of ore was stockpiled. This would indicate about 100 tons to the vertical foot for the half of the mineralized area of the mine. If this mineralization continued on this level, it is possible that we would have 200 tons to the vertical foot which is better than the 140 tons indicated at the 300-foot level. Therefore, assuming mineralization to 600 feet in depth, there could possibly be 120,000 tons of ore in the mine. The grade of ore on the 435-foot level is the same as on the 300-foot level. Primary ore, as well as secondary ore, is found on both the 300 and 435-foot levels. On the surface there is no primary ore. The primary ore on the 300-foot and 435-foot levels is found in cross-fractures and it is believed by the operator, and a number of geologists, to come into the shear zone from the East side of the shear zone. However, it will take considerable exploration to find the source of enrichment of the shear zone.

4. Considerable progress was made on this exploration project. It is now known that mineralization goes at least to the 435-foot level. It is also known that it would be difficult to keep the grade of ore above 2% in copper and $1.00 in gold and $1.00 in silver.

With this in mind, the operator made a study of the water table in the Eureka Valley with the California Water Resources Board. Their tabulation, from known wells, indicates that a well could be put down at a point four miles South of the Loretto mine and that the water table would be approximately at 450 feet. Therefore, it is entirely feasible to build a leaching plant with the possible use of jigs to recover the sulphides, gold and silver.

There is possibly 20,000 tons of copper ore on the surface of the Loretto Mine that could be mined by open pit methods. The operator also owns another copper property four miles South of the proposed mill site that may have 50,000 tons of copper ore which can be mined by open pit methods. This additional ore would average 2% copper.

Therefore, if a national emergency arose and copper was needed, or should the price of copper rise substantially, the operator feels that it would be entirely proper to build a 200-ton leaching plant, recovering the ore by either evaporation or precipitation. It would be quite sensible at this time to complete Stage III which originally was intended to open up the shaft to the 550-foot level. This decision is left in the hands of the Office of Mineral Exploration.

Very truly yours,

William R. Hoeck

William R. Hoeck

August 2, 1963

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Docket No. ~~OME (Cooper)~~
Contract No. 14-23-090-~~OMS 222~~
Contract Amount $ ~~60,720.00~~
Gov't. Participation % ~~50~~ $ ~~30,185.00~~
Mineral(s) ~~Copper~~

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of ~~June 1963~~

DATE	INITIALS	CODE

Operator's Name ~~William R. Noack~~
Address ~~5723 Bard Drive, La Canada, California~~

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing ~~Stage II~~	50!					
Drifting ~~[illegible]~~	~~3,080.00~~	~~24,990.00~~	~~28,050.00~~			
Crosscutting		~~3,570.00~~	~~3,570.00~~			
Drilling ~~Coab, short~~		~~8,000.00~~	~~8,000.00~~			
to 300!						
~~Timbering~~		~~119.00~~	~~119.00~~			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor ~~Stage II~~		~~5,240.00~~	~~5,240.00~~			
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		~~896.72~~	~~896.72~~			
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
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(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation		~~300.00~~	~~300.00~~			
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Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
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Repairs to Equipment						
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Payroll Taxes ~~[illegible]~~		~~1,227.40~~	~~1,227.40~~			
Employee's Liability Ins.						
~~Samples assayed 1C5.~~	20.00	~~435.00~~	~~455.00~~			
~~Excess over a nominal minimum~~		~~(20.20)~~	~~(20.20)~~			
TOTALS	$3,080.00	~~44,934.00~~	~~48,014.00~~	3080.00	44,934.00	48,014.00

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date ~~July 4, 1963~~ Payee William R. Noack
~~William R. Noack~~
Per _____ Title ~~Owner~~

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ $ 1540.00

Signature _____ OAS
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 8/4/63 Vou. No. _____

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature Paul O. Lillo Title Acting Field Officer Date July 17, 1963

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

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OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

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OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT

For Month of June 1963 Docket No. OR (Comp5)

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090[illegible] 2129

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Stage IV							
Drifting & crosscutting	250'	90'	330'	$ 28,050.00	90'	825'	28,050.00
Crosscutting				3,570.00		105'	3,570.00
Raising Rehab. shaft to							
Shafts 300'			Stage I compl.	8,000.00			8,000.00
Winzes Rehab. shaft to							
Other Underground 400'			Stage II compl.	7,820.00			7,820.00
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Assays 15.	100	4	21	155.00			455.00
Timbering 17. feet	100		17	119.00			119.00
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work							
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				$ 48,014.00			48,014.00

REMARKS During June 1963 drifting continued to the Northeast but the fault shown on the unauthenticated 550' level apparently is plotted incorrectly or else does not come up to the 435' level. Therefore, the drift is turned to the right to locate the footwall. A 5-foot mineralized area was cut and the drift is being turned to follow this ore. The assays have not been returned with the values.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date July 4, 1963 Operator William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Per _____ Title Owner

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Paul V. Gill
Title Petro. Field Officer
OME Region II Government Representative
Date July 17, 1963

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

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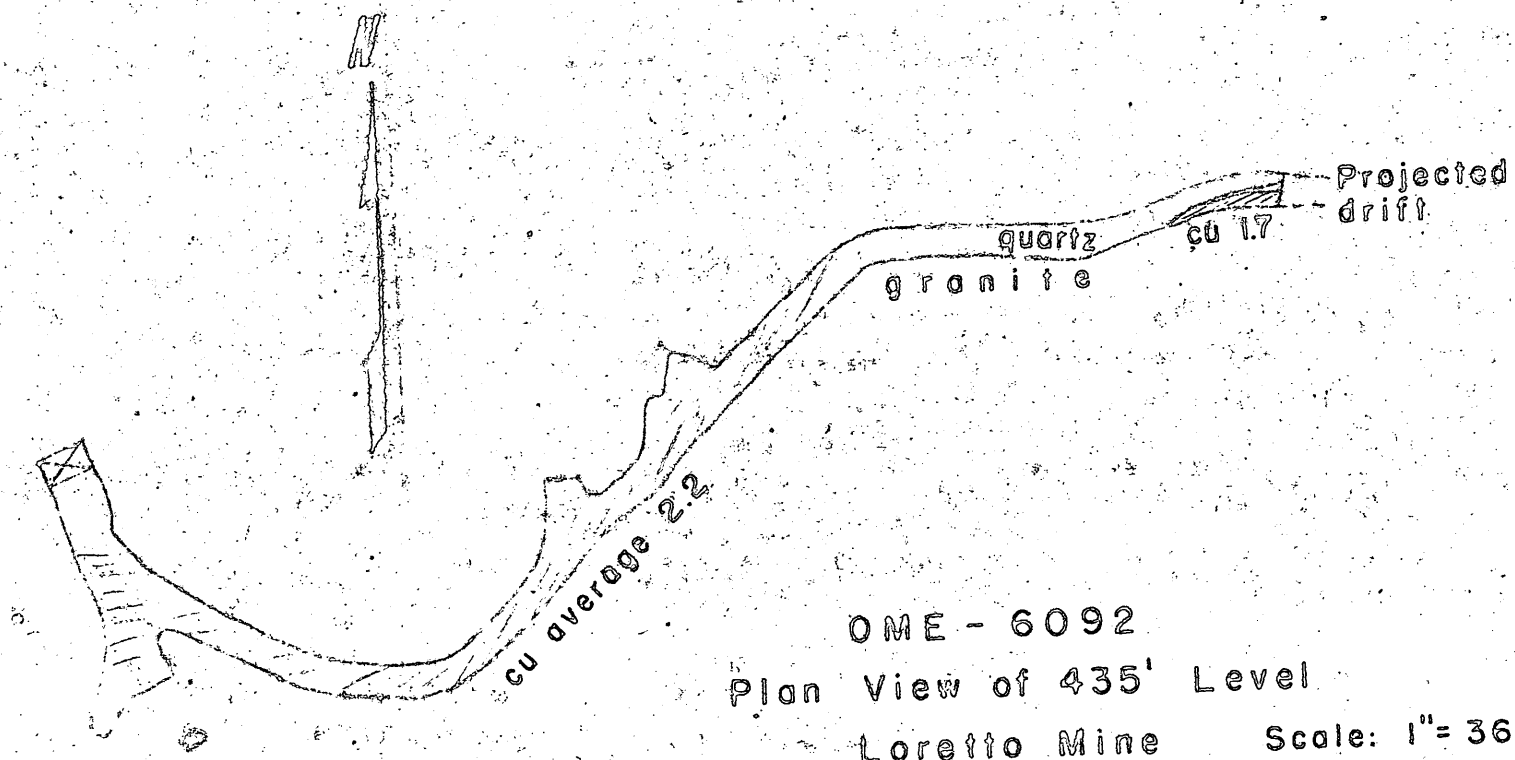
The item titled "Drilling, Non-core Percussion" includes all drilling performed with wagon, jack-hammer, stoper and mounted drills. The several items labelled "Other" are provided to take care of particular exploration operations not specified on this form.



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Plan View of 435' Level

Loretto Mine Scale: 1" = 36'

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JUL 1963
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OFFICE OF
MINERALS EXPLORATION
REGION II

William R. Noack
5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
Docket No.: OME (Copper)
Contract No.: OME 2122
Contract Amount $60,910.00
Govt. Participation 50%
$30,455.00
Mineral: Copper

NARRATIVE FOR JUNE 1963

To:
Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, Calif.

During June 1963, drifting continued to the Northeast in an effort to locate the fault with the high mineralized area shown on an unauthenticated map. This area and the fault were not located. Therefore, the drift was turned to reach the right footwall. A mineralized area was found against this footwall and during the month 20 feet of ore, averaging 1.7% copper, was found. For the completion of the contract, this mineralized zone will be followed. On the 300-foot level, this area above this mineralized zone was not explored.

The entire amount allocated to this contract is not being used due to the abandonment of Stage III, although the operator has spent more money personally on Stage III than the entire government estimate. If this money could be reimbursed to the operator, or if this money could be used for further exploration on the 435-foot level, the operator requests the O.M.E.'s decision as promptly as possible.

William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Owner and Operator

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

July 9, 1963

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Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Interim Inspection

Accompanied by the operator, this project was inspected on June 20, 1963. The mining operation consists of crosscutting and drifting on the 435-foot level in a N. 40° E. direction. The last 50 feet of drifting showed minor copper mineralization. It is the opinion of the operator that he is away from the footwall and was advised to turn east and to intersect the granite on the footwall side.

Upon intersecting the granite, the operator's plans are then to drift along the footwall in a northeasterly direction.

It is the operator's judgment the contract should be completed by the middle of July. When the contract is completed, and if he is in ore, the operator will, at his expense, continue for another 100 feet and will also sink and rehabilitate the shaft from the 435-foot level to the 550-foot level.

In examining the 435-foot level; it appears that the drifting and crosscutting were made in the center of the shear zone. In the initial crosscut on 435-foot level from the shaft, it appeared that the granite was intersected, but now the opinion is that the granite is out another 20 or 30 feet.

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For: Paul V. Fillo

CC:
Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

MME FORM 60
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

6092

Docket No. OME (Copper)
Contract No.
14-23-090-OME 2122
Contract Amount $60,910.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $30,455.00
Mineral(s) copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of May 1963

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE			FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY		
	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing Stage IV	60'					
Drifting & crosscutting	2,040.00	22,950.00	24,990.00			
Crosscutting		3,570.00	3,570.00			
Drilling Rehab. shaft						
to 300'		8,000.00	8,000.00			
Timbering		119.00	119.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor Stage II		5,948.00	5,948.00			
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		886.71	886.71			
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
Shaft hanger bolts		253.19	253.19			
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation		380.00	380.00			
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes & insurance		1,171.48	1,171.48			
Employee's Liability Ins.						
Samples assayed 12 @ $5.	60.00	375.00	435.00			
Excess over contractual minimum		(819.38)	(819.38)			
TOTALS	2,100.00	42,834.00	44,934.00	2,100.00	42,834.00	44,934.00

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date June 1, 1963 *Payee William R Noack
William R. Noack

Per _____ Title Owner

* When a voucher is signed or receipted in the name of a company or corporation, the name of the person writing the company or corporate name, as well as the capacity in which he signs, must appear. For example: "John Doe Company, per John Smith, Secretary," or "Treasurer," as the case may be.

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 1,050 00

Signature Bob B
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 6/24/63 Vou. No. 6724

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature Paul V. Lillo Title Acting Field Officer Date June 11, 1963

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature Paul V. Lillo Title Acting Field Officer Date June 11, 1963

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY REPORT

The Operator, under an Office of Minerals Exploration contract, is required to report monthly to the Government. The report consists of three parts.

FIRST, the Operator's Monthly Voucher on MME Form 60 listing the project costs incurred and claimed by the Operator is the voucher basis for payment of the Government's share of the cost.

SECOND, the Operator's Progress Report on MME Form 61 is a statistical report of the units and cost of of work performed under the contract.

THIRD, the Operator's Narrative Report is a concise description of the work performed, results accomplished, and any unusual situations encountered, illustrated and supported by engineering-geological maps or sketches, drill hole logs, assay reports, etc., as pertinent.

The Operator submits the original and four copies of each of the three sections of this report to the OME regional Executive Officer at the end of each month during the life of the contract.

PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

After all applicable spaces are filled in, the Operator or his agent must sign the certification in the lower left corner. Categories (2) through (7) apply to "Actual Cost" contracts only.

Under "Fixed Unit Costs" and Category (1) report, (a) the total fixed unit costs of work performed under contract provisions for contribution by the Government on a basis of "fixed unit costs"; and (b) the claimed costs of work performed on a unit-price basis by independent contractors.

Under Category (2) include the claimed costs of all payrolled and invoiced supervisory, technical, and labor personnel, except the costs for services applicable to Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (3) include the claimed costs of all project materials and supplies other than those used for work under Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (4) report claimed rentals on equipment belonging to a third party, claimed payments or obligations for payments on the Operator's purchase of equipment, and claimed depreciation for the use of Operator-owned equipment.

Under Categories (5) and (6) include all claimed costs of labor, supervision, technical services, operating materials and supplies, and all other items used in (5) the initial rehabilitation and repairs of existing buildings, fixtures, installations (exclusive of mine workings), and operating equipment; and (6) the installation or construction of new buildings, fixtures, and fixed improvements (exclusive of mine workings). Do not report these costs under Categories (2), (3), (4), and (7).

Under Category (7) include all miscellaneous claimed costs such as repairs (other than initial) and maintenance of equipment, sampling and analysis, travel, communication, accounting, office expenses, and the Operator's share of payroll taxes and insurance.

Except for amounts claimed under "fixed unit costs" provisions of the contract, all costs claimed in this voucher must be supported by documentary evidence consisting of: (a) certified copies or transcripts of payrolls which list each employee, wage rate, period of employment, gross earnings, itemized deductions, and net earnings; (b) original or certified copies of invoices, statements of accounts, or purchase orders which indicate items of materials or services, quantities, unit prices, total charges, and payment terms; and (c) certified memoranda of the Operator for such items as depreciation of Operator-owned equipment, unemployment taxes, and employee's liability insurance. The certification may be stated thus, "Certified True Copy (or Transcript)", followed by the signature of the Operator or his agent. One copy of each document should accompany the original of this voucher.

The requirement for submitting documentary evidence of claimed costs may be waived by the OME regional Executive Officer if he determines that it is impracticable for an Operator to submit this material. In any case of waiver of this requirement an "on-site" audit by an OME auditor is mandatory prior to payment of the final Operator's Monthly Voucher.

MME FORM 61
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

6092

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of ~~May 1963~~ Docket No. ~~GM (Copper)~~

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090-~~GMS 2122~~

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Stage IV							
Drifting B. crosscutting	~~350'~~	~~60'~~	~~$ 22,950.00~~	~~$ 24,990.00~~			
Crosscutting			~~3,570.00~~	~~3,570.00~~			
Raising Rehab. shaft to	~~300'~~		~~8,000.00~~	~~8,000.00~~			
Shaft Stage II compl. to	~~400'~~		~~7,020.00~~	~~7,020.00~~			
Winzes							
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Assays (100)	(5.)	12	375.00	435.00			
Timbering (400' @ 7.)			119.00	119.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work							
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				$ 44,934.00			

REMARKS During May progress was hampered by mechanical troubles. The distance of the mine from Big Pine, then to get parts from Reno, cost the operation over ten days lost time. Drifting continued to the N.E. with several highly mineralized cross-faults being explored but no encouragement was gotten, so the main drift to the N.E. was continued. A transit survey was made and it is believed that we are very close to the N. 20E. fault there to expect to find good mineralization.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date June 1, 1963 Operator William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Per _____ Title Owner

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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Paul V. Fillo
Title Acting Field Officer
Government Representative
OMS
Date Region IV June 11, 1963

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

Memorandum

To: Fiscal Section, Division of Administrative Services, Office of the Secretary, Department of the Interior, Washington 25, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

Enclosed are the original and two copies of the operator's monthly voucher and progress reports, narrative report, and map for the month of May 1963.

The voucher has been checked in this office and found to comply with the contract's specifications. Payment of the Government's participation is recommended.

Paul V. Fillo
For: Paul V. Fillo

Enclosures

cc:
Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

THE EISENHAUER LABORATORIES
316-322 South San Pedro Street
Los Angeles 13, California

ASSAY CERTIFICATE

PHONE MADISON 3-[illegible]

Los Angeles, Calif. May 7/63 19

I hereby Certify that the samples described below, received from

W. R. Noack assay as follows:

Owner's Mark and Sample	GOLD		SILVER		TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF		
	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON		COPPER	LEAD	ZINC
# 428-B drift-105-110'	.03	$ 1.05	.88	$ 1.12	$ 13.64	1.85		
# 429-B drift-110-115' also slab round	.06	$ 2.10	1.52	$ 1.93	$ 13.02	1.45		

GOLD @$ 35 PER OZ.
SILVER @ $ 1.27 PER OZ.
LEAD @ ____ C.
COPPER @ ____ C.

CHARGES

E. Eisenhauer
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THE EISENHAUER LABORATORIES
316-322 South San Pedro Street
Los Angeles 13, California

ASSAY CERTIFICATE

PHONE MADISON 2-0328

Los Angeles, Calif. May 8/63 19

I hereby Certify that the samples described below, received from

W. R. Noack

assay as follows:

Owner's Mark and Sample	GOLD		SILVER		TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF		
	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON		COPPER	LEAD	ZINC
#430-B drift-115 to 120' 5/6/63	.03	$ 1.05	.76	$ .96	$ 27.43	4.1		

GOLD @ $35 PER OZ.
SILVER @ $ 1.27 PER OZ.
LEAD @ ____ c.
COPPER @ 31 c

CHARGES

Edgar Eisenhauer
ASSAYER

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THE EISENHAUER LABORATORIES
316-322 South San Pedro Street
Los Angeles 13, California

ASSAY CERTIFICATE

PHONE MADISON 2-0328

Los Angeles, Calif. May 9/63 19

I hereby Certify that the samples described below, received from

W. R. Noack assay as follows:

Owner's Mark and Sample	GOLD		SILVER		TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF		
	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON		COPPER	LEAD	ZINC
#431-B drift 120-125' 23 cars-5/7/63	.03	$ 1.05	.82	$ 1.04	$21.99	3.20		

GOLD @ $35 PER OZ.
SILVER @ $1.27 PER OZ.
LEAD @ ____ c
COPPER @ 31 c

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E. Eisenhauer
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THE EISENHAUER LABORATORIES
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Los Angeles 13, California

ASSAY CERTIFICATE

PHONE MAdison 2-9328

Los Angeles, Calif. May 17/63 19

I hereby Certify that the samples described below, received from

W. Noack assay as follows:

Owner's Mark and Sample	GOLD		SILVER		TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF		
	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON		COPPER	LEAD	ZINC
Loretta -432	.07	$ 2.45	.42	$ .54	$ 8.86	.95		
Loretta -433	.05	$ 1.75	.71	$ .91	$ 10.72	1.30		
Loretta -434	.01	$ .35	.57	$ .73	$ 9.61	1.15		

GOLD @ $ 35 PER OZ.
SILVER @ $ 1.28 PER OZ.
LEAD @ 31 c.
COPPER @ ____ c.

CHARGES

Ed Eisenhauer Jr.
ASSAYER

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THE EISENHAUER LABORATORIES
316-322 South San Pedro Street
Los Angeles 13, California

ASSAY CERTIFICATE

PHONE MADISON 2-[illegible]

Los Angeles, Calif. May 21/63 19

I hereby Certify that the samples described below, received from

W. R. Noack

assay as follows:

Owner's Mark and Sample	GOLD		SILVER		TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF		
	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON		COPPER	LEAD	ZINC
# 435-B drift 130-135', 5/15/63	.02	$ .70	1.34	$ 1.72	$18.54	2.60		

GOLD @ $ 35 PER OZ.
SILVER @ $ 1.28 PER OZ.
LEAD @ ____ c.
COPPER @ 31 c.

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THE EISENHAUER LABORATORIES
318-322 South San Pedro Street
Los Angeles 13, California

ASSAY CERTIFICATE

PHONE MADISON 2-9325

Los Angeles, Calif. May 24/63 19

I hereby Certify that the samples described below, received from

V. R. Noack

assay as follows:

Owner's Mark and Sample	GOLD OZS. PER TON	GOLD VALUE PER TON	SILVER OZS. PER TON	SILVER VALUE PER TON	TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF COPPER	PERCENTAGE OF LEAD	PERCENTAGE OF ZINC
# 436-B drift-135-141' 5/17/63	.07	$ 2.45	.78	$ .99	$ 28.86	4.10		
# 437-B drift-141-146' 5/18/63	.01	$ .35	.56	$ .72	$ 21.22	3.25		
# 438-B drift-146-151' 20 cars	.01	$ .35	.46	$ .58	$ 8.37	1.20		

GOLD @ $ 35 PER OZ.
SILVER @ $ 1.28 PER OZ.
LEAD @ ____ c
COPPER @ 31 c

CHARGES _____

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THE EISENHAUER LABORATORIES
316-322 South San Pedro Street
Los Angeles 13, California

ASSAY CERTIFICATE

PHONE MADISON 2-9369

Los Angeles, Calif. May 28/63 19

I hereby Certify that the samples described below, received from

Mr. W. R. Noack assay as follows:

Owner's Mark and Sample	GOLD		SILVER		TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF		
	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON	OZS. PER TON	VALUE PER TON		COPPER	LEAD	ZINC
# 439-B drift-151-156' 5/23/63	.05	$ 1.75	1.06	$ 1.35	$ 11.16	1.3		

GOLD @ $ 35 PER OZ.
SILVER @ $ ____ PER OZ.
LEAD @ 1.28 ¢
COPPER @ 31 ¢

CHARGES

E. Eisenhauer
ASSAYER

Established 1916

5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
June 1, 1963

Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, California

OME (Copper)
$60,910.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. OME 2122

Narrative for May 1963

Progress during May was hampered by mechanical troubles, and the opening of the fishing season.

Two crosscuts were made but as the mineralization weakened, they were temporarily abandoned. Drifting, therefore, was continued to the Northeast following the footwall. Mineralization continued around 1½% copper.

A transit survey showing the strike and dips of faults on both 300' and 435' levels was made by Paul Skinner, E.M. It appears that we are within a few feet of reaching an ore zone shown on the 550' foot map, if that zone comes up to the 435' level.

Very truly yours,

William R. Noack

William R. Noack
Owner

MME FORM 60
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME (Copper)
Contract No. 14-23-090 OME 2122
Contract Amount $60,910.00
Gov't. Participation 50% $30,455.00
Mineral(s) Copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of April 1963

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing Stage IV	110'					
Drifting & Crosscutting	$3740.00	19,210.00	22,950.00			
Crosscutting		3,570.00	3,570.00			
Drilling Rehab. shaft to 300'		8,000.00	8,000.00			
Timbering		119.00	119.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor Stage II		5,948.00	5,948.00			
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		886.71	886.71			
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
Shaft hanger bolts		253.19	253.19			
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation		380.00	380.00			
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work & insurance		1,171.48	1,171.48			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
Samples assayed	25 @ $5.	250.00	375.00			
Excess over contractual minimum	$125.	(-819.38)	(-819.38)			
TOTALS	3865.00	38,969.00	42,834.00	3,865.00	38,969.00	42,834.00

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date April 30, 1963 * Payee William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Owner

Per _____ Title _____

* When a voucher is signed or receipted in the name of a company or corporation, the name of the person writing the company or corporate name, as well as the capacity in which he signs, must appear. For example: "John Doe Company, per John Smith, Secretary," or "Treasurer," as the case may be.

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 1,932.50

Signature BHB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 5/10/63 Vou. No. 5879

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature Paul V. Fillo Title Acting Field Officer Date May 3, 1963

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME Region II

Signature Paul V. Fillo Title Acting Field Officer Date May 3, 1963

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY REPORT

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FIRST, the Operator's Monthly Voucher on MME Form 60 listing the project costs incurred and claimed by the Operator is the voucher basis for payment of the Government's share of the cost.

SECOND, the Operator's Progress Report on MME Form 61 is a statistical report of the units and cost of of work performed under the contract.

THIRD, the Operator's Narrative Report is a concise description of the work performed, results accomplished, and any unusual situations encountered, illustrated and supported by engineering-geological maps or sketches, drill hole logs, assay reports, etc., as pertinent.

The Operator submits the original and four copies of each of the three sections of this report to the OME regional Executive Officer at the end of each month during the life of the contract.

PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

After all applicable spaces are filled in, the Operator or his agent must sign the certification in the lower left corner. Categories (2) through (7) apply to "Actual Cost" contracts only.

Under "Fixed Unit Costs" and Category (1) report, (a) the total fixed unit costs of work performed under contract provisions for contribution by the Government on a basis of "fixed unit costs"; and (b) the claimed costs of work performed on a unit-price basis by independent contractors.

Under Category (2) include the claimed costs of all payrolled and invoiced supervisory, technical, and labor personnel, except the costs for services applicable to Categories (5) and (6).

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Under Categories (5) and (6) include all claimed costs of labor, supervision, technical services, operating materials and supplies, and all other items used in (5) the initial rehabilitation and repairs of existing buildings, fixtures, installations (exclusive of mine workings), and operating equipment; and (6) the installation or construction of new buildings, fixtures, and fixed improvements (exclusive of mine workings). Do not report these costs under Categories (2), (3), (4), and (7).

Under Category (7) include all miscellaneous claimed costs such as repairs (other than initial) and maintenance of equipment, sampling and analysis, travel, communication, accounting, office expenses, and the Operator's share of payroll taxes and insurance.

Except for amounts claimed under "fixed unit costs" provisions of the contract, all costs claimed in this voucher must be supported by documentary evidence consisting of: (a) certified copies or transcripts of payrolls which list each employee, wage rate, period of employment, gross earnings, itemized deductions, and net earnings; (b) original or certified copies of invoices, statements of accounts, or purchase orders which indicate items of materials or services, quantities, unit prices, total charges, and payment terms; and (c) certified memoranda of the Operator for such items as depreciation of Operator-owned equipment, unemployment taxes, and employee's liability insurance. The certification may be stated thus, "Certified True Copy (or Transcript)", followed by the signature of the Operator or his agent. One copy of each document should accompany the original of this voucher.

The requirement for submitting documentary evidence of claimed costs may be waived by the OME regional Executive Officer if he determines that it is impracticable for an Operator to submit this material. In any case of waiver of this requirement an "on-site" audit by an OME auditor is mandatory prior to payment of the final Operator's Monthly Voucher.

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SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of ~~April 1963~~ Docket No. ~~GME (Copper)~~

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090-~~0 ME 2122~~

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Stage IV							
Drifting & crosscutting	~~350'~~	~~110'~~	~~$19,210.00~~	~~$22,950.00~~			
Crosscutting	~~$34.~~		~~3,570.00~~	~~3,570.00~~			
Raising Rehab. shaft to	~~300'~~		~~8,000.00~~	~~8,000.00~~			
Shafts Stage II compl. to	~~400'~~		~~7,820.00~~	~~7,820.00~~			
Winzes							
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Assays 100 @	~~$5.~~	~~25~~	~~250.00~~	~~375.00~~			
Timbering @ ~~$7.00~~	~~100'~~	~~7'~~	~~119.00~~	~~119.00~~			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work							
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				~~$42,834.00~~			

REMARKS

During April drifting continued N.E. in the shear zone against the East wall for a distance of 110'. Copper ore averaging 2.18% was encountered the entire distance. Several cross faults had carried the mineralization to this East wall with the ore from one round avering 5.25% copper. The work on this 435' level has explored an area not explored on the 300' level and commercial mineralization has been found. It is hoped that when the 350' of work on this level is completed that Stage III which had been uncompleted, can be continued to explore for ore at a lower depth.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date ~~April 30, 1963~~ Operator William R. Noack

Per _____ Title William R. Noack Owner

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Paul V. Fillo

Title Acting Field Officer OME Region II Government Representative

Date May 3, 1963

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

This report is the second of the three parts of the Operator's Monthly Report. Submit the original and four copies.

The cost for each operation should be the total of all claimed costs attributable to that type of work with two exceptions, namely—operating equipment purchased and analytical work which are stated separately. For example, drifting costs should be the total of all costs chargeable to drifting including supervision, technical services, timbering (if any), etc. Similarly, drilling costs should include the cost of cementing, reaming, core boxes, etc. This procedure of distribution holds whether the contract was written on an actual cost or a unit cost basis, or some combination of the two. Distribute the cost of such general items as supervision, equipment rented, etc. according to relative footages or on some other conventional basis. The item "Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs" covers all rehabilitation and/or repairs other than the rehabilitation of mine workings.

The item titled "Drilling, Non-core Percussion" includes all drilling performed with wagon, jack-hammer, stoper and mounted drills. The several items labelled "Other" are provided to take care of particular exploration operations not specified on this form.

5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
May 1, 1963

Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco - 11, California

OME (Copper)
$60,910.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. O.M.E. 2122

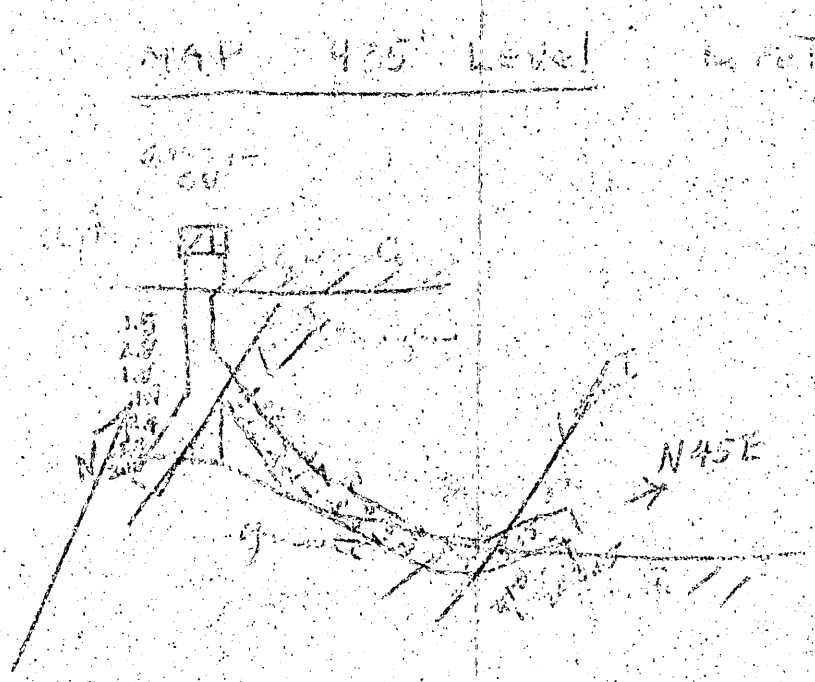
Narrative for April 1963

During April drifting was continued N.E. in the shear zone for 110', being in ore averaging 2.18% copper and small values in gold and silver. Copper sulphide has been found along several faults and the copper oxide minerals spread generally along the wall. This area explored was not explored on the 300' level by the present contract, and the operator at his own expense did make an effort to locate ore in this area but due to shortage of funds was unable to continue on the 300' level. Therefore, the work on the 435' level, as directed by Mr. Fillo, has been very fruitful. The operator believes that finding this ore on the 435' level should justify additional time to the operator and permission to complete Stage III, which was to open up the shaft to the old 550' level. From the tightness of the ground at the 435' level, it is expected that the old workings at 550' should be open.

Very truly yours,

William R Noack

William R. Noack



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REGION 11

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

April 26, 1963

Mr. William R. Noack
5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California

Re: OME 6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Dear Mr. Noack:

Due to illness the field examination scheduled tentatively for May 6 has been postponed until May 13, weather permitting.

Sincerely yours,

For: Paul V. Fillo
Acting Field Officer, OME
Region II

cc:

Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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OME (Copper)

Docket No.
Contract No. OME 2122
14-23-090- 60,920.00
Contract Amount $ 50 30,455.00
Gov't. Participation % Copper
Mineral(s)

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of March 1963

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE			FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY		
	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting Crosscutting	2,380.00	16,830.00	19,210.00	2,380.00	16,830.00	19,210.00
Crosscutting		3,570.00	3,570.00		3,570.00	3,570.00
Drilling Rehab. shaft to 300'		8,000.00	8,000.00		8,000.00	8,000.00
Tinbering	49.00	70.00	119.00	49.00	70.00	119.00
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor Stage II		5,948.00	5,948.00		5,948.00	5,948.00
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		886.71	886.71		886.71	886.71
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail Shaft hanger bolts		253.19	253.19		253.19	253.19
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation		380.00	380.00		380.00	380.00
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work & Insurance		1,171.48	1,171.48		1,171.48	1,171.48
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
samples assayed		250.00	250.00		250.00	250.00
excess over contractual minimum		(819.38)	(819.38)		(819.38)	(819.38)
TOTALS	2,429.00	36,540.00	38,969.00	2,429.00	36,540.00	38,969.00

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date April 1, 1963 *Payee William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Owner

Per _____ Title _____

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 1,214.50

Signature Bob
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 4/16/63 Vou. No. 5402

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature Paul O. Zilla Title Acting Field Officer Date April 8, 1963

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME Regional Office

Signature Paul O. Zilla Title Acting Field Officer Date April 8, 1963

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PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

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MME FORM 61
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

6092

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of March 1963 Docket No. OME (Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090-OME 2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Stage IV							
Drifting and crosscutting	350	70	16,830.00	19,210.00			
Crosscutting			3,570.00	3,570.00			
Raising Rehab. of shaft to	300'		8,000.00	8,000.00			
Shaft Rehab. of shaft to	400'		7,820.00	7,820.00			
Winzes							
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Assays	100 @ 85.		250.00	250.00			
Timbering	100'	7'	119.00	119.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work							
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				38,969.00			

REMARKS

During the last week of February and month of March, Stage IV was commenced, 70 feet of drifting and crosscutting accomplished, and 7 feet of timbering done. A mineralized fault was encountered and exploration continued toward the target area.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date April 1, 1963 Operator William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Per _____ Title Owner

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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Paul V. Fields
Title Acting Field Officer
OME Region II
Government Representative
Date April 8, 1963

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

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5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
April 1, 1963

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REGION II

Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, Calif.

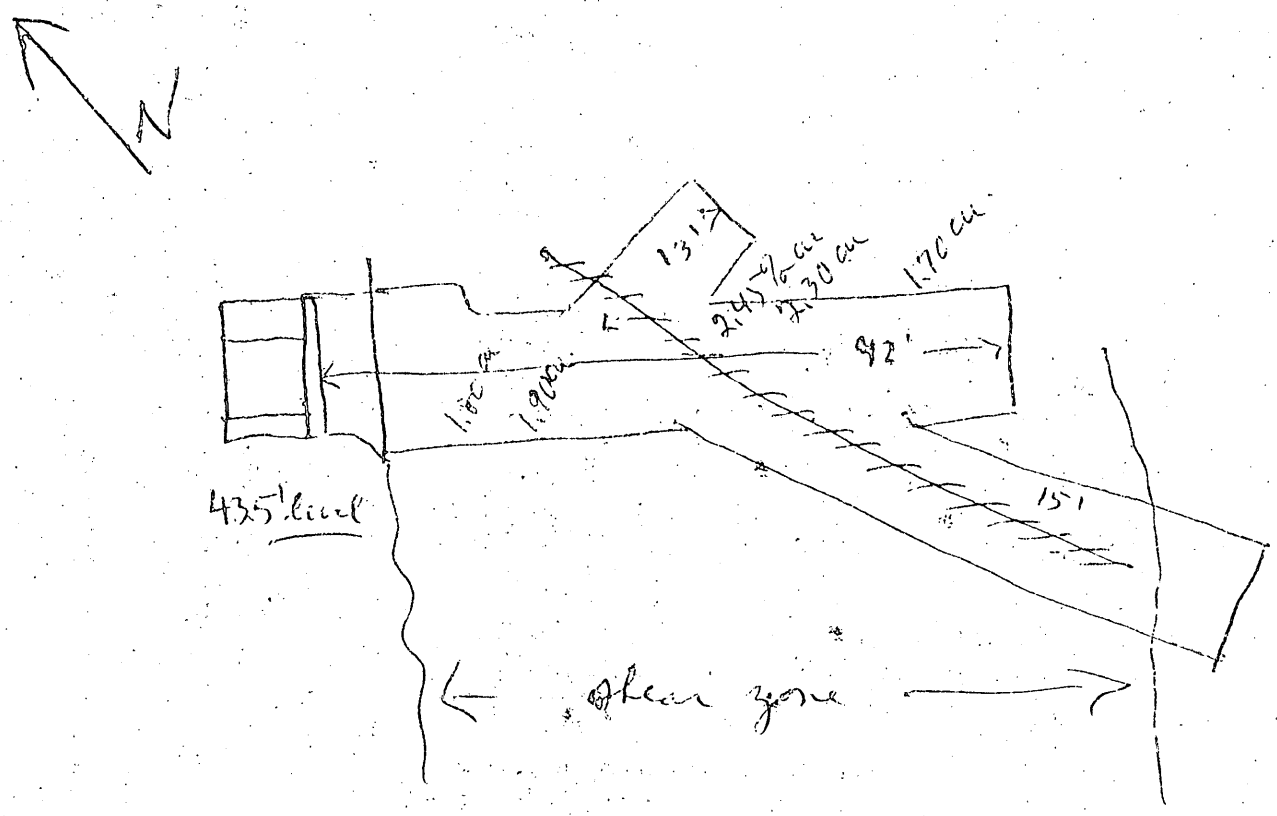
O.M.E. (Copper)
$60,910.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. O.M.E. 2122

Stage IV, was commenced the last week in February 1963 with installation of the 435-foot station. At 7 feet in from the shaft the shear zone was reached with copper mineralization of 1.5% the first 5 feet. A crosscut was continued for 42 feet. Upon the supervision of the O.M.E. representative, Mr. Fillo, a mineralized fault was followed to the south for 15 feet with a copper average of 2.5%. The mineralized zone ended as the opposite side of the shear zone was encountered.

Drifting Northeast in the shear zone was then continued for 13 feet in barren rock towards the area mineralized on the 300-foot level.

Very truly yours,

William R Noack
William R. Noack



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555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

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March 29, 1963

Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Interim Inspection

Accompanied by the operator, William Noack, this project was inspected on March 16, 1963. The 435 ft. level station is timbered and completed.

From the station level, a crosscut was advanced 41 feet on S. 35 E. bearing. Seven feet from the station the shear zone was intersected, exposing "fair" grade of oxidized copper ores. A sample was taken for copper determination.

The following 34 feet of crosscut exposed several strong mineralized fissures, along with the fair grade of oxidized copper ores that occur in the fractures and the brecciated area. A sample was taken near the face of the crosscut (41 feet from the station) on strong mineralized fissure.

A good showing of chalcopyrite and oxidized copper ores of malachite, chrysocolla, and azurite are exposed in the crosscut. It was decided to continue the crosscut through the shear zone until granite is intersected, then drift along the footwall of the shear zone in northerly direction.

In general from what was seen on 435 ft. level, the dip of the shear zone has steepened considerable from 300 ft. level showing. This accounts for the mineralized zone being closer to the shaft. The operator felt that the granite would be exposed in the crosscut within the next 20 feet.

The work on the 435 ft. level is on a fixed unit-cost basis under the Stage IV of the contract.

Paul V. Fillo

cc:
Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

INTERIM
REPORT OF REVIEW

OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION AND AUDIT DIVISION

INTERIM REPORT OF REVIEW

I have reviewed the Monthly Reports of:

William R. Noack
3173 Earl Drive
LaCanada, California

pertaining to Exploration Contract 14-23-090-2122, OME No. 6092, including Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4, for January 15, 1961, to December 14, 1962, inclusive, covering a copper project on the Loretta Mine Group of claims, Inyo County, California.

My review included an examination of the Monthly Vouchers (Forms MME-60) and supporting documents, comparison of the claimed costs with the contract and pertinent schedules, confirmation of work performed by reference to reports and correspondence, and a determination of the reasonableness and propriety of the costs.

This review was made in lieu of an audit of the Operator's accounts and records for the reasons given in the attached schedule.

The findings of this review are stated in the following summary and the attached schedule:

Total cost billed by Operator		$38,696.09
Exceptions:		
Prior to this review	$ -0-	
Herewith	$2,156.09	2,156.09
Total acceptable cost		$36,540.00

The contract calls for a 50 percent contribution of the allowable costs by the Government. Therefore, if the project is otherwise accepted as having met the terms of the contract, payments as follows are valid and proper:

Payable on audited claim	$18,270.00
Paid to date	18,270.00
Balance due Operator	$ -0-

E. D. Talbert

E. D. Talbert, OME Auditor

March 5, 1963

Reasons for Report of Review in lieu of an audit:

(1) a major portion ($28,720.00) of the acceptable costs was under a contract provision for contribution by the Government on the basis of fixed unit costs for work performed;
(2) the monthly vouchers were supported by documentary evidence of the acceptable actual costs under the contract; and
(3) the administrative cost to the Government of an audit would be excessive in relation to the estimated amount of possible further exceptions.

Exceptions by this review:

Cat. (2)	Supervision & Technical Services, not documented by copy or transcript of payroll ...	$ 960.00
Cat. (3)	Timber, sales tax of 4% not claimed	-34.10
	Pipe, not documented by invoices	96.00
	Fuel, documented by vendor's statements which do not indicate items, quantities, or unit prices	160.00
	Shaft Hanger Bolts, documented but not claimed	-61.19
Cat. (7)	Transportation of Materials, documented by vendor's statements not showing items, quantities or unit prices	216.00
Net excess over contractual maximum		819.38
		$2,156.09

Acceptable Costs:

Stage I (Fixed Unit Costs) -		
Rehabilitation of shaft	1 job	$ 8,000.00
Drifting	495 ft. @ $34.00	16,830.00
Crosscutting	105 ft. @ $34.00	3,570.00
Timbering	10 ft. @ $ 7.00	70.00
Samples assayed	50 ea. @ $ 5.00	250.00
Total Stage I		$28,720.00
Stage II (Actual Costs) -		
Cat. (2) Labor		$ 5,948.00
Cat. (3) Timber		884.71
Shaft Hanger Bolts		253.19
Cat. (4) Equipment Depreciation		380.00
Cat. (7) Payroll Taxes & Insurance		1,171.48
		8,639.38
Less: Excess Over Contractual Maximum		819.38
Total Stage II		$ 7,820.00
Total, Stages I and II		$36,540.00

MAR 6 1963

Memorandum

To: Acting Field Officer, Region II

From: E. D. Talbert, Chief (Signed) E. D. Talbert
Contract Administration and Audit Division

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Meack
Loretta Mine Group of Claims
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

By memorandum dated February 28 you submitted the original and three copies of the subject Operator's February 24 revision of his MME Forms 60 and 61 for the period ending December 14, 1962. This voucher and the documentation attached thereto have been reviewed and the findings have been set forth in an Interim Report of Review. Two copies of the Report of Review are enclosed, one for forwarding to the Operator and one for retention in your files.

The originals of the Report of Review and the MME Forms 60 and 61, together with attached documentation, are being submitted to the Department's Fiscal Section by copy of this memorandum.

For his future guidance, it is suggested that the Operator's attention be again invited to the penultimate paragraph of the instructions on the reverse of the MME Form 60. Specifically, it is to be noted that (1) only the original of the MME Form 60 need be supported by documentary evidence, and (2) copies of vendor's invoices or statements must indicate items, quantities, and unit prices, as well as total charges.

Enclosures

EDTalbert/ama 3-5-63

cc:
Docket
Director's Reading File
CA & A Division
Fiscal Section (w/Report of Review and original MME Forms 60 and 61)

MME FORM 60
SEPT. 1959

FEB. 24, 1963
AMENDED RETURN

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME (Copper) 602
Contract No. 14-23-090-OME-2122

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

Period Ending ~~For Month of~~ Dec. 14, 1962

Contract Amount $ 60,910.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 30,455.00
Mineral(s) Copper

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE			FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY		
	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting		$16,830.00	$ 16,830.00			
Crosscutting		3,570.00	3,570.00			
Rehab. of Drilling Shaft to 300'		8,000.00	8,000.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical	$ 960.00		960.00			
Outside Consultants						
Labor	5,948.00		5,948.00			
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber	852.61	70.00	922.61			
Explosives						
Pipe	96.00		96.00			
Rail						
Fuel	160.00		160.00			
Hanging bolts						
128 bolts	192.00		192.00			
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation	380.00		380.00			
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous: Assays		250.00	250.00			
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes	367.58		367.58			
Employee's Liability Ins.	803.90		803.90			
Transportation	216.00		216.00			
TOTALS	9,976.09	28,720.00	38,696.09			

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date Feb. 24, 1963 *Payee William R. Noack
William R. Noack

Per _____ Title Owner

* When a voucher is signed or receipted in the name of a company or corporation, the name of the person writing the company or corporate name, as well as the capacity in which he signs, must appear. For example: "John Doe Company, per John Smith, Secretary," or "Treasurer," as the case may be.

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ _____

Signature _____
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date _____ Vou. No. _____

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2123

Signature Paul V. Gillo Title Acting Field Officer Date March 1, 1963

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature Paul V. Gillo Title Acting Field Officer Date March 1, 1963

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY REPORT

The Operator, under an Office of Minerals Exploration contract, is required to report monthly to the Government. The report consists of three parts.

FIRST, the Operator's Monthly Voucher on MME Form 60 listing the project costs incurred and claimed by the Operator is the voucher basis for payment of the Government's share of the cost.

SECOND, the Operator's Progress Report on MME Form 61 is a statistical report of the units and cost of of work performed under the contract.

THIRD, the Operator's Narrative Report is a concise description of the work performed, results accomplished, and any unusual situations encountered, illustrated and supported by engineering-geological maps or sketches, drill hole logs, assay reports, etc., as pertinent.

The Operator submits the original and four copies of each of the three sections of this report to the OME regional Executive Officer at the end of each month during the life of the contract.

PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

After all applicable spaces are filled in, the Operator or his agent must sign the certification in the lower left corner. Categories (2) through (7) apply to "Actual Cost" contracts only.

Under "Fixed Unit Costs" and Category (1) report, (a) the total fixed unit costs of work performed under contract provisions for contribution by the Government on a basis of "fixed unit costs"; and (b) the claimed costs of work performed on a unit-price basis by independent contractors.

Under Category (2) include the claimed costs of all payrolled and invoiced supervisory, technical, and labor personnel, except the costs for services applicable to Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (3) include the claimed costs of all project materials and supplies other than those used for work under Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (4) report claimed rentals on equipment belonging to a third party, claimed payments or obligations for payments on the Operator's purchase of equipment, and claimed depreciation for the use of Operator-owned equipment.

Under Categories (5) and (6) include all claimed costs of labor, supervision, technical services, operating materials and supplies, and all other items used in (5) the initial rehabilitation and repairs of existing buildings, fixtures, installations (exclusive of mine workings), and operating equipment; and (6) the installation or construction of new buildings, fixtures, and fixed improvements (exclusive of mine workings). Do not report these costs under Categories (2), (3), (4), and (7).

Under Category (7) include all miscellaneous claimed costs such as repairs (other than initial) and maintenance of equipment, sampling and analysis, travel, communication, accounting, office expenses, and the Operator's share of payroll taxes and insurance.

Except for amounts claimed under "fixed unit costs" provisions of the contract, all costs claimed in this voucher must be supported by documentary evidence consisting of: (a) certified copies or transcripts of payrolls which list each employee, wage rate, period of employment, gross earnings, itemized deductions, and net earnings; (b) original or certified copies of invoices, statements of accounts, or purchase orders which indicate items of materials or services, quantities, unit prices, total charges, and payment terms; and (c) certified memoranda of the Operator for such items as depreciation of Operator-owned equipment, unemployment taxes, and employee's liability insurance. The certification may be stated thus, "Certified True Copy (or Transcript)", followed by the signature of the Operator or his agent. One copy of each document should accompany the original of this voucher.

The requirement for submitting documentary evidence of claimed costs may be waived by the OME regional Executive Officer if he determines that it is impracticable for an Operator to submit this material. In any case of waiver of this requirement an "on-site" audit by an OME auditor is mandatory prior to payment of the final Operator's Monthly Voucher.

MME FORM 61
SEPT. 1959

Feb 24, 1963
AMENDED RETURN

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT

For ~~Month of~~ Period Ending 12/14/62 Docket No. OME-6092(Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack

Contract No. 14-23-090-OME-2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting	600'		600'	$ 20,400.00			
Crosscutting							
Raising Rehab. Shaft	300'		300'	8,000.00			
Shafts Stage #2 Rehab.		Stage 2					
Winzes shaft to 400' level		completed		9,976.09			
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Assays			$250.00	250.00			
Timbering	100'		10'	70.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work							
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				$ 38,696.09			

REMARKS Stage #2 was commenced the last week in July 1962. The project was to sink the shaft through 80' of loose muck to the 400' level. On Sept. 16, at the 360' level, Mr. Geo. Selfridge & Paul Fillo visited the project. The following day in setting timbers, two sides caved in, and similar slides occurred almost each time we were ready to set timber, with the result that it took until Dec. 14 to complete the project to the 400' level. At 390' we had three solid walls and at 395' a number of old pipes extended into the old station. We have found the floor of the old station caved for an additional 20'.

(Continue on back)

REMARKS

(Continue on back)

The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date Feb. 24, 1963 Operator William R. Noack
William R. Noack

Per _____ Title Owner

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Paul V. Fillo

Title Acting Field Officer
OME Region II
Government Representative

Date March 1, 1963

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

This report is the second of the three parts of the Operator's Monthly Report. Submit the original and four copies.

The cost for each operation should be the total of all claimed costs attributable to that type of work with two exceptions, namely—operating equipment purchased and analytical work which are stated separately. For example, drifting costs should be the total of all costs chargeable to drifting including supervision, technical services, timbering (if any), etc. Similarly, drilling costs should include the cost of cementing, reaming, core boxes, etc. This procedure of distribution holds whether the contract was written on an actual cost or a unit cost basis, or some combination of the two. Distribute the cost of such general items as supervision, equipment rented, etc. according to relative footages or on some other conventional basis. The item "Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs" covers all rehabilitation and/or repairs other than the rehabilitation of mine workings.

The item titled "Drilling, Non-core Percussion" includes all drilling performed with wagon, jack-hammer, stoper and mounted drills. The several items labelled "Other" are provided to take care of particular exploration operations not specified on this form.

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

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DATE		CODE
February 28, 1963		800

Air Mail

Memorandum

To: E. D. Talbert, Chief, Contract Administration and Audit Division, Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

With reference to your memorandum of February 14, 1963, the enclosed documents and Operator's Monthly Voucher and Progress Report have been corrected by the subject operator to support the maximum of $7,820 allowable for Stage II work. The documentary evidence appear to be in order.

Paul V. Fillo

cc:
Chief, Div. of Field Operations, OME
Washington, D. C.

Re: OIE-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, Calif.
Contract No. 2122

TRANSCRIPT OF PAYROLL

A - Stage II

Name	Hour Rate	Period of Emp.	Total Earnings	Withholding Tax	Cal. Tax	FICA	Net Payroll
Ernest A. Traver	$ 2.50	8/1-9/19/62	$ 420.00	$ 61.50	$ 4.20	$ 13.14	$ 341.16
Raymond Harlis	2.50	8/21-9/1/62	230.00	10.50	2.30	7.25	209.95
Ross Pulaski	2.50	8/25-9/1/62	40.00	2.00	.40	1.35	36.25
Albert Bostrom	2.50	9/29-11/30/62	430.00	17.00	4.30	13.80	394.90
Gonzalo Hernandez	2.50	9/16-12/15/62	1390.00	147.30	13.90	43.65	1185.15
Augie Perez	2.50	9/16-12/15/62	1500.00	117.30	15.00	47.30	1320.40
Raymond Sonke	3.00	9/16-12/15/62	1938.00	256.50	19.38	62.65	1599.47
			$ 5948.00	$ 612.10	$ 59.48	$189.14	$5087.28

"Certified True Copy"

William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Operator

Re: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, Calif.
Contract No. 2122

b - Stage II

Timber

Timber was stockpiled as evidence of paid statement From Winans Bros. For the 16 five-foot sets, the following timber was used:

32 pieces 8"x 8"x 16'	2,780 feet		
22 pieces 8"x 8"x 14'	1,643 feet		
8 pieces 6"x 8"x 14'	448 feet		
128 pieces 2"x 12"x 16'	4,096 feet		
6 pieces 8"x 8"x 16'	512 feet		
	9,479 feet	$85. per M.	$ 805.61
160 lineal feet 4"x 4" guides	213.feet	$140. per M.	29.82
250 wedges		five cents ea.	12.50
Ladder stock	192 feet	$115. per M.	22.08
			$ 870.01
	Less 2% cash discount		17.40
			$ 852.61

Fuel

Diesel engine fuel to operate the generator and compressor, when needed, is the only fuel charged. There is no gasoline for transportation of men, or fuel, or supplies nor tire replacements which are considerable due to the rough road, Evidenced by paid statements from Jim Nikolaus.

For three months operation period 9/16/62-12/15/62
900 gallons diesel fuel @ .20¢ per gallon (180.00)
Total amount claimed by contract $ 160.00

Shaft Hanger Bolts

From hanger bolts purchased and stockpiled from Young Iron Works, the per bolt cost is $1.9781 each.

128 bolts @ $1.9781 each (253.19)
Total amount claimed by contract $ 192.00

Pipe

I certify that I have used 80 feet of each of the following pipes for the 16 sets of Stage II, for which I paid the following prices and have misplaced the invoice:

8" Vent pipe $.60 per foot
2" Air pipe $.40 per foot
1" Water pipe $.20 per foot
Totals $1.20 per foot x 80' $ 96.00

"Certified True Copy"

William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Operator

Re: GME-6092 (Coppeh)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, Calif.
Contract No. 2122

c - Stage II

Memoranda of Operator

Stage II Category (2) Personal Services and Technical Services
period 9/16/62-12/15/62

1. Supervision claimed, 3 months, maximum allowance claimed $ 960.00

2. Category (4) Operating Equipment, period 9/16/62-12/15/62

Depreciation claimed	Fair Market Value
Compressor	$ 3,500.00
Mucking Machine	1,500.00
90 K.W. Caterpillar D13000 Diesel Generator	3,750.00
Drilling equipment and steel	1,500.00
Blower and motor	500.00
Hoist, headframe, sheaves, cages, hoisting ropes	12,250.00
	$23,000.00

Depreciation, 1/60 per month for one month, rounded to $ 380.00

3. Category (7) Miscellaneous
California State Insurance policy #236271-62 is held for Workmen's Compensation. The rates are as follows:

1123	Mining underground rate	$17.44
1124	Mining topmen rate	7.01
5809	Pneumo Surcharg 1123	3.10

Period covered by policy, which is issued to operator, William R. Noack, as follows:

7/01/2-10/01/2	1123	$522.00	$17.44	$ 91.04
7/01/2-10/01/2	1124	972.00	7.01	68.14
7/01/2-10/01/2	5809	522.00	3.10	16.18
11/01/2-12/15/2	1123	2338.00	17.44	407.74
11/01/2-12/15/2	1124	2116.00	7.01	148.33
11/01/2-12/15/2	5809	2338.00	3.10	72.47
				$ 803.90

$ 803.90

FICA Insurance allowable (see transcript of payroll) $ 189.14
I certify that I have paid Calif. Dept. of Employment in excess of the allowable 3% of the $5,948.00 payroll
Amount insurance allowable $ 178.44 $ 367.58

Transportation of operating materials & Supplies
Gasoline & Tire replacements for the hauling of diesel fuel, water, made three times a week for three months on a 60-mile round trip haul is estimated at $.10 per mile for 2,160 miles ok a total of $216.00. Actual cost is considerably higher due to bad road. Evidence of cost is shown on Jim Nikolaus bill. $ 216.00

"This is a Certified True Copy" William R. Noack
William R. Noack, Operator

WILLIAM R. NOACK

5173 EARL DRIVE • LA CANADA, CALIFORNIA

Feb. 24, 1963

FEB 1963
BUREAU OF MINES
OFFICE OF
MINERALS EXPLORATION
REGION II

Mr. Paul V. Fillo
Office of Mineral Exploration
Dept. of Interior
San Francisco, California

Dear Paul;

I am submitting the amended return requested by your letter of Feb. 6. I am also returning some of your photostats, having deleted the incorrect ones.

On the Transcript of Payroll there were three typographical errors, so the new one should be acceptable. I understand that the FI CA taxes, as shown on the payroll, is allowable so I have put that in Category 7 along with an adjusted California State Department of Employment figured at 3% tax. I omitted other miscellaneous taxes as well as lots of other expenses. On the transportation, I omitted hauling the men to the job, as I can find nothing in the contract to allow for that.

One reason our labor costs may be high compared to your Mother Lode operations, is that the Union Carbide Nuclear Corporation at Bishop hires all the men they can at $2.875 per hour with allowance of approximately two hours per day travel time, to the job. Therefore, our wage must be comparable or I could not keep men.

I did not realize how insufficient my previous report was until I got your letter. I hope that most of the items are explained in my exhibits.

Reference the present status of Stage IV work, we are working on the station and started the crosscut. At six feet from the station, we encountered the shear zone, which on the 300' level was encountered 20 feet in from the shaft. The first five feet in the shear zone assayed 1.5% copper. We have blasted an additional five feet and the ore looks better but we have not assayed it, as we are timbering the station, and preparing to lower the mucking machine.

Am looking forward to seeing you at the mine so please let me know when you will be there.

Very truly yours,

William R. Noack

William R. Noack

WRN:lo
Encl.

YOUNG'S Iron Works

620 NORTH VICTORY BLVD.
BURBANK, CALIFORNIA

PHONES
THornwall 2-2491 o Victoria 9-1824

INVOICE
№ 3325

SHIPPED TO

SOLD TO

W. P. Noack
5173 Earl Drive,
La Canada, California.

OUR JOB NO.	YOUR JOB NO.	YOUR P.O. NO.	TERMS	DATE
3-20			Net	1-21-63

SHIPPER NUMBER	QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	AMOUNT
5764	85	3/4 ø x 3' 4" Thread 4" one end		$ 94.00
	75	3/4 Hex Nuts		6.00
				$100.00
		4% Sales tax		4.00
				$104.00
5770	75	3/4 ø 3'4" Thread 4" one end		94.00
	75	3/4 Hex Nuts		6.00
				$100.00
		Labor 9 3/4 Hours	8.75	85.31
				$185.31
		4% Sales tax		7.41
				$192.72
		Total		$296.72

1.996 x 92 = 183.69

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ORIGINAL INVOICE

WIMANS BROTHERS LUMBER TRUCKERS

P.O. BOX 494 REDDING, CALIFORNIA

PHONE CHestnut 1-2445
HOME PHONE CHestnut 1-3196 or CHestnut 1-3013

SHIPPER AND ADDRESS
Johnson Bros., Redding

CONSIGNEE AND ADDRESS
[illegible]

POINT OF ORIGIN (Distance from Shipper's Address)

DESTINATION (Distance from Consignee's Address)

DATE
3-2-62

SHIPPER'S ORDER NO. LOAD NO.

DATE	FREIGHT BILL NO.	DESCRIPTION OF COMMODITY	WEIGHT	RATE	COLLECT	PREPAID	TOTAL FREIGHT
2-27	10562	Misc. mining timbers					
		4 x 4 [illegible]	304'	140.			42.56
		2 x 2 [illegible]	60'	115.			69.00
		2 x 4 [illegible]	304'	115.			34.96
		8 x 12 [illegible]	300'	85.			25.50
		[illegible]	500	.05			25.00
		2 x 12 16'	2200'	85.			272.00
		8 x 8 16'	4120'	85.			349.05
		6 x 6 12'	528'	85.			44.88
							793.15
			45 Sales Tax				11.81
		Loc at 10 dist					820.96
		TOTAL					820.96

Rec'd 3-11-62

THIS BILL MUST ACCOMPANY ANY CLAIM. SUBJECT TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS CONTAINED IN THIS CARRIER'S TARIFF.
BILLS PAYABLE WITHIN 7 DAYS UPON PRESENTATION BY ORDER OF THE I.C.C. AND P.U.C. COMMISSION.

59759

VIRANS BROTHERS LUMBER TRUCKERS

P. O. BOX 921 REDDING, CALIFORNIA

PHONE CHestnut 1-3445
HOME PHONE CHestnut 1-3196 or CHestnut 2-1000

SHIPPER AND ADDRESS
Virans Brothers, Redding

POINT OF ORIGIN (If Different from Shipper's Address)

CONSIGNEE AND ADDRESS
F. A. Bonier, Lassen State, Big Pine

DESTINATION (If Different from Consignee's Address)

DATE
3-27-61

SHIPPER'S ORDER NO. LOAD NO.

DATE	FREIGHT BILL NO.	DESCRIPTION OF COMMODITY	WEIGHT	RATE	COLLECT	PREPAID	TOTAL FREIGHT
3-20	5934	8 x 8	5077'		Paid by Check #141 3/30/61		
		6 x 8	656'				
		2 x 12	10102'				
154490 82 / 3.85450			15835'	85.			1345.98
		4 poles 30' @ 75¢ lin. ft.					
		2 poles 33' @ 75¢ lin. ft.					139.50
1544.90 30.90 / 1514.00							1485.48
		Less 2% 10 day CD		4% Sales tax			59.42
		TOTAL					1544.90

THIS BILL MUST ACCOMPANY ANY CLAIM. SUBJECT TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS CONTAINED IN THIS CARRIER'S TARIFF
CHARGE PAYABLE WITHIN 7 DAYS UPON PRESENTATION BY ORDER OF THE I.C.C. AND P.U.C. COMMISSION.

WILLIAM R. NOAK

5173 EARL DRIVE • LA CANADA, CALIFORNIA

Feb. 21, 1963

WINANS BROTHERS LUMBER TRUCKERS

P. O. BOX 933 REDDING, CALIFORNIA

PHONE CHestnut 1-3445
HOME PHONE CHestnut 1-3196 or CHestnut 8-1968

SHIPPER AND ADDRESS
Winans Brothers, Redding

CONSIGNEE AND ADDRESS
F. A. Boehlke, Loretto Sawmill, Big Pine

POINT OF ORIGIN (If Different from Shipper's Address)

DESTINATION (If Different from Consignee's Address)

DATE
3-27-61

SHIPPER'S ORDER NO. LOAD NO.

DATE	FREIGHT BILL NO.	DESCRIPTION OF COMMODITY	WEIGHT	RATE	COLLECT	PREPAID	TOTAL FREIGHT
3-20	5934	6 x 6	5077#		Paid by Check #141 3/30/61		
		6 x 8	6330#				
		2 x 12	10602#				
15446.90 / 3089.56			15035#	85.			1245.95
		1 Pallet 30' @ 75¢ 14.0 ft.					
		2 Pallet 33' @ 75¢ 14.0 ft.					199.50
15446.90 / 3089.56 / 18536.46							1445.45
		2000 BD 10 @ 7 BD		45 Pallet Bds			54.45
		TOTAL					[illegible]

THIS BILL MUST ACCOMPANY AND CLAIM, SUBJECT TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS CONTAINED IN THIS SHIPPING CONTRACT.
BILLS PAYABLE UPON A PAID FREIGHT PRESENTATION ON ORDER OF THE I.C.C. AND P.U.C. COMMISSION.

STANDARD COPYING CO. • PACIFIC DIVISION

STATEMENT

JIM NIKOLAUS—Glacier Service

Big Pine, Calif. Sept 1, 1962

M. R. Nowak
573 Earl Dr.
El Cerrito, Cal.

TERMS: Cash, 1 per cent charge for balance due over 30 days.

"S&H" Green Stamps will be given on this account only if PAID IN FULL by the 10th of the month following purchase.

DATE		ITEMS	CHARGED		CREDITS		BALANCE	
		Bal. Fwd.					176	16
	1	Pd on Ac			176	16	—	—
	1	Credit on Battery			4	00		
	1		5	70			1	70
	16	6.60 4.50	11	10			12	80
	18		13	46			26	26
	20		4	40			30	66
	24		4	97			35	63
	22		15	32			50	95
	25	14.17 4.62	18	80			69	15
	28	14.52 4.25	18	77			87	92
	29	Accs.			2	01	85	91
	29	4.55 4.06	8	41			94	32

STATEMENT

CHEVRON

JIM NIKOLAUS—Glacier Service

Big Pine, Calif. Oct. 1962

Wm. Hoch
5123 East Dr.
La Canada Calif.

TERMS: Cash. 1 per cent charge for balance due over 30 days.

S&H Green Stamps will be given on this account only if PAID IN FULL by the 10th of the month following purchase.

DATE		ITEMS	CHARGES	CREDITS	BALANCE
		Bal. Forward			332 82
	30	Pay on Ac		325 87	6 95
	30	" " "		7 00	(.05)
	30	5 24 50 22 2 57	58 73		58 71
	31	4 55 6 41	10 96		69 67

STATEMENT

CHEVRON

JIM NIKOLAUS—Glacier Service

Big Pine, Calif. Oct. 1962

W. R. Mack
5173 Earl Dr.
Los Angeles, Calif.

TERMS: Cash. 1 per cent charge for balance due over 30 days.

"S&H" Green Stamps will be given on this account only if PAID IN FULL by the 10th of the month following purchase.

DATE		ITEMS	CHARGES		CREDITS		BALANCE	
		Bal. Fwd.					94	32
	2	Re on a/c			94	32	—	—
	3	2.41 9.25 14.17	26	33			26	33
	4	4.25 4.12	8	53			34	86
	6	4.34 14.72	19	07			53	93
	10	4.95 4.60 1.96	11	51			65	44
	11	4.20 17.31	21	51			86	95
	12	55.41 5.36 15.22	79	02			165	97
	14	15.68 27.48 1.26 6.70	56	19			222	16
	17	5.72 5.52 2.40	13	62			235	78
	18	4.48 9.36 14.83	28	87			264	61
	20	4.85 15.40 5.00	25	27			290	88
	24	4.51 6.70	10	21			301	09
	25	7.77 14.70 5.26	28	02			329	11
	27		4	67			332	82
		[illegible] allowed			7.00		325	82

STATEMENT

CHEVRON

JIM NIKOLAUS—Glacier Service

Big Pine, Calif. Nov 1962

Wm Meek,
5175 Earle Dr.
La Canada, Cal.

TERMS: Cash. 1 per cent charge for balance due over 30 days.

"S&H" Green Stamps will be given on this account only if PAID IN FULL by the 10th of the month following purchase.

DATE	ITEMS	CHARGES	CREDITS	BALANCE
	Bal Fwd			69 57
3	4.25 5.31	9 96		79 53
5	4.88 13.99	18 97		98 50
6	4.52 5.12	9 64		108 14
8	14.95 5.92	20 87		129 01
10	5.88 4.35	9 91		138 82
15	Pd on a/c		69 57	69 25
13	5.40 5.17 4.55	14 67		83 92
16	6.00 15.40 4.59	25 99		109 91
19	5.46 5.05	10 51		120 42
20	5.20 16.16	21 36		141 78
23		6 30		148 08
24	5.06 13.88	18 94		167 02
27	18.29 5.00 16.62	39 85		206 87
29	7.05 5.37	12 42		219 29
30	Discount	6.63		212.66

Pd 1st Nat

STATEM

CHEVRON

JIM NIKOLAUS—Glacier Service

Big Pine, Calif. Dec. 1962

Wm Mark
3173 Earl Dr.
Gardenhark

TERMS; Cash. 1 per cent charge for balance due over 30 days.

"S&H" Green Stamps will be given on this account only if PAID IN FULL by the 10th of the month following purchase.

DATE		ITEMS	CHARGES	CREDITS	BALANCE
		Bal. Fwd.			212 66
	1	12.82 9.24 2.58	32 64		245 30
	3	Pa. on a/c		212 66	32 64
	4	37.64 4.30 4.97	46 91		79 55
	6	5.12 37.11	44 23		123 83
	8	14.25 2.45	20 23		144 06
	12	13.16 62.77 15.24	93 15		237 24
	13	6.17 11.90 6.48	23 92		261 16
	14	5.31 13.85 2.09	21 35	Pa. 8	282 51
	19	6.66 5.18	11 78		294 29
	20	4.25 6.99 4.25	16 44		310 73
	22	4.50 15.24 16.45	36 46		347 19
	26	5.99 1.32 6.29 15.81 2.20	37 06		384 25
	29	4.48 4.81	9 84		394 09
	31	Credit on Disc. allowed		7 54	386 55

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FEB 14 1963

Memorandum

To: Acting Field Officer, Region II

From: E. D. Talbert, Chief (Signed) E. D. Talbert
Contract Administration and Audit Division

Subject: OMK-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretta Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

By memorandum dated January 9 the Chief, Division of Field Operations, suggested that you request the subject Operator to appropriately document the actual costs of Stage II work, which were erroneously claimed by the Operator and approved by you on a "fixed unit cost" basis. By memorandum dated February 8 you have submitted for audit review and forwarding to the Department's Fiscal Section the original and two copies of an "Amended Return" (MMK Forms 60 and 61) together with what you state is "appropriate" documentation.

I regret to advise you that the documentation submitted is not sufficient evidence of the claimed actual costs of $10,690.33, not even to the extent of the $7,820.00 contractual maximum. Accordingly, the entire submission is returned for revision by the Operator. The documentation requirements are stated in the penultimate paragraph of the instructions on the reverse of MMK Form 60. To further assist in this matter two thermofax copies of a brief entitled "Documentary Support of MMK Form 60" are enclosed. Also, in the following paragraphs the deficiencies in the documentation of this claim are commented upon.

The "Transcript of Payroll" is in the proper form, but the total earnings less deductions do not equal the net payroll. Not knowing in which column a transcribing error has been made, this document cannot be accepted as evidence of either the labor charge of $5,948.00 or the F.I.C.A. taxes indicated as aggregating $189.14.

The "Memorandum of Operator" is in insufficient detail to support the items of supervision, depreciation, payroll taxes, and employee's liability insurance. As the Operator performed his own supervisory and technical services, it is probably impossible to submit evidence

of payment to himself; however, this appears immaterial on the premise that his total costs were far in excess of the $7,820.00 contractual maximum, which is all that need be proven by documentation.

Claims for depreciation must list the items, the months of use, and the depreciation (at the rates shown on the Operator's accounts or in the contract estimate, whichever is lower).

Employer's liability insurance has been claimed on the basis of paid and accrued premiums. Claims should identify the insurer and policy or account number, give the rate or rates, and be computed on the basis of payroll charged to the project costs (in this case, Stage II only).

Payroll taxes have been claimed as "employee" contribution of $190.33 and F.U.C. of $47.88, total $238.21, plus an additional $41.88 for F.U.C. shown only on the MMK Form 60. Taxes allowable are the "employer's" matching contribution to the F.I.C.A. taxes shown on the transcript of the payroll plus applicable unemployment compensation taxes (not in excess of 3% of the <u>taxable portion</u> of the Stage II payroll).

The September, October, November, and December statements of Jim Nikolaus, Chevron Dealer, have been charged 50-50 to fuel under category (3) and transportation under category (7). These statements do not indicate the items of materials or services, quantities, or unit prices. Furthermore, it appears that possibly a large portion of the individual daily purchases were for automotive fuel. The category (7) estimate was not for day-to-day personal transportation but for haulage of Stage II materials and supplies.

The claim of $1,008.00 for timber used in the last four months of 1962 is supported by a March 27, 1961 invoice of Winans Brothers Lumber Truckers in the amount of $1,544.90, less 2% cash discount. Of course, the timber covered by the invoice may have been stockpiled and used in part on the Stage II work. If that is the case, the invoice should be supported by a statement to that effect and indication of the quantities of each item used.

The claim of $192.00 for hanging bolts (96 @ $2.00/ea.) is supported by Young Iron Works invoice for $296.72 covering 150 each of bolts and nuts. Presumably, only 96 were used on Stage II work. If this is the case, the correct charge is $189.90 (at an average of $1.9781/ea.).

No documentation has been presented for the $112.00 claimed for pipe under category (3).

It is hoped that the Operator will submit promptly sufficient documentary evidence to support the maximum of $7,820.00 allowable for Stage II work. To do so will alleviate the need for a demand for refund of the $3,910.00 contributed by the Government.

Enclosures

EDTalbert/ama 2-13-63

cc:
Docket
Director's Reading File
CA & A Division
Fiscal Section
Mr. Talbert

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

February 8, 1963

Memorandum

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DATE	INITIALS	CODE
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To: E. D. Talbert, Chief, Contract Administration and Audit Division, OME, Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Enclosed are the original and two copies of the Operator's Monthly Voucher and Progress Report with appropriate documentation for the month of December, 1962, for audit.

Upon completing your audit, kindly forward the MME Forms 60 and 61 with documentation to the Department's Fiscal Section.

Paul V. Fillo

Paul V. Fillo

Enclosures

cc:
Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

Memorandum

To: Acting Field Officer, Region II

From: Chief, Division of Field Operations

Subject: [redacted]-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

By a [redacted] Form 60 for the period ending December 14, 1962, the subject Operator claimed $7,820.00 as a "fixed unit cost" for the Stage II work of rehabilitation of the Loretto shaft to the 400-foot level. Your December 27 memorandum, which submitted this voucher to the Department's Fiscal Section, states that "The voucher has been checked in this office and found to be correct; payment of the Government participation is recommended". The Department's Fiscal Section authorized payment of the Government's 50% contribution of $3,910.00 on January 2.

Amendment No. 2 to the contract limits the allowable Stage II costs to which the Government may contribute to the necessary, reasonable, and direct "actual costs" as estimated by categories in Exhibit A. The Exhibit A, as amended, provides estimates under Categories (2), (3), (4), and (7). All elements of the estimates for supervision and technical services under Category (2) and depreciation under Category (4), as well as an average cost of $97.75 a foot of shaft rehabilitation and the total of $7,820.00 for all Stage II costs, are maximums beyond which any excesses are for the Operator's own account.

As set forth in the instructions on the reverse of [redacted] Form 60, costs claimed under "actual cost" provisions of a contract should be entered on the appropriate category and item lines of the form. Furthermore, as provided in the penultimate paragraph of the instructions, all amounts claimed must be supported by documentary evidence such as certified transcripts or copies of payrolls, invoices, statements of account, etc., or, in certain instances, certified memoranda.

In order to avoid an audit disallowance of the costs claimed for Stage II work and a demand upon the Operator for refund of the

Government's contribution, it is suggested that you call the Operator's attention to these requirements and request the prompt submission of appropriate documentation. Upon receipt of such documentation, please forward it to the Contract Administration and Audit Division for audit and re-forwarding to the Department's Fiscal Section.

It is to be noted that Stage III work also is on an "actual cost" basis. Accordingly, the Operator's claim for costs of such work should not be submitted to the Department's Fiscal Section for payment unless properly prepared and documented.

EDTalbert/ama 1-8-63

George C. Selfridge

cc:
Docket
Director's Reading File
CA & A Division
Review Committee
Fiscal Section

MME FORM 60
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME-6092
Contract No. 14-23-090-2122
Contract Amount $60,910.00
Gov't. Participation 50 $30,455.00
Mineral(s) Copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

Period Ending
For ~~Month of~~ December 14, 1962

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE			FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY		
	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting		16,830.00	16,830.00		16,830.00	16,830.00
Crosscutting		3,570.00	3,570.00		3,570.00	3,570.00
Drilling						
Rehab. of shaft to 300'		8,000.00	8,000.00		8,000.00	8,000.00
Rehab. of shaft to 400'	7820.00		7,820.00	7,820.00	—	7,820.00
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		70.00	70.00		70.00	70.00
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
Assays $5.00 ea.		250.00	250.00			
TOTALS	7820.00	28,720.00	36,540.00	7820.00	28,720.00	36,540.00

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.
Date Dec. 20, 1962 *Payee William R. Noack
Per _____ Title William R. Noack

* When a voucher is signed or receipted in the name of a company or corporation, the name of the person writing the company or corporate name, as well as the capacity in which he signs, must appear. For example: "John Doe Company, per John Smith, Secretary," or "Treasurer," as the case may be.

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 3,910.00

Signature BHB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 1/2/63 Vou. No. 3460

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature Paul V. Gillo Title Acting Field Officer Date Dec. 27, 1962

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME Region II

Signature Paul V. Gillo Title Acting Field Officer Date Dec. 27, 1962

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY REPORT

The Operator, under an Office of Minerals Exploration contract, is required to report monthly to the Government. The report consists of three parts.

FIRST, the Operator's Monthly Voucher on MME Form 60 listing the project costs incurred and claimed by the Operator is the voucher basis for payment of the Government's share of the cost.

SECOND, the Operator's Progress Report on MME Form 61 is a statistical report of the units and cost of of work performed under the contract.

THIRD, the Operator's Narrative Report is a concise description of the work performed, results accomplished, and any unusual situations encountered, illustrated and supported by engineering-geological maps or sketches, drill hole logs, assay reports, etc., as pertinent.

The Operator submits the original and four copies of each of the three sections of this report to the OME regional Executive Officer at the end of each month during the life of the contract.

PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

After all applicable spaces are filled in, the Operator or his agent must sign the certification in the lower left corner. Categories (2) through (7) apply to "Actual Cost" contracts only.

Under "Fixed Unit Costs" and Category (1) report, (a) the total fixed unit costs of work performed under contract provisions for contribution by the Government on a basis of "fixed unit costs"; and (b) the claimed costs of work performed on a unit-price basis by independent contractors.

Under Category (2) include the claimed costs of all payrolled and invoiced supervisory, technical, and labor personnel, except the costs for services applicable to Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (3) include the claimed costs of all project materials and supplies other than those used for work under Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (4) report claimed rentals on equipment belonging to a third party, claimed payments or obligations for payments on the Operator's purchase of equipment, and claimed depreciation for the use of Operator-owned equipment.

Under Categories (5) and (6) include all claimed costs of labor, supervision, technical services, operating materials and supplies, and all other items used in (5) the initial rehabilitation and repairs of existing buildings, fixtures, installations (exclusive of mine workings), and operating equipment; and (6) the installation or construction of new buildings, fixtures, and fixed improvements (exclusive of mine workings). Do not report these costs under Categories (2), (3), (4), and (7).

Under Category (7) include all miscellaneous claimed costs such as repairs (other than initial) and maintenance of equipment, sampling and analysis, travel, communication, accounting, office expenses, and the Operator's share of payroll taxes and insurance.

Except for amounts claimed under "fixed unit costs" provisions of the contract, all costs claimed in this voucher must be supported by documentary evidence consisting of: (a) certified copies or transcripts of payrolls which list each employee, wage rate, period of employment, gross earnings, itemized deductions, and net earnings; (b) original or certified copies of invoices, statements of accounts, or purchase orders which indicate items of materials or services, quantities, unit prices, total charges, and payment terms; and (c) certified memoranda of the Operator for such items as depreciation of Operator-owned equipment, unemployment taxes, and employee's liability insurance. The certification may be stated thus, "Certified True Copy (or Transcript)", followed by the signature of the Operator or his agent. One copy of each document should accompany the original of this voucher.

The requirement for submitting documentary evidence of claimed costs may be waived by the OME regional Executive Officer if he determines that it is impracticable for an Operator to submit this material. In any case of waiver of this requirement an "on-site" audit by an OME auditor is mandatory prior to payment of the final Operator's Monthly Voucher.

MME FORM 61
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For ~~Month of~~ Period Ending December 14, 1962 Docket No. OME-6092(Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090- OME-2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting	600'		600'	20,400.00			
Crosscutting							
Raising							
Shafts Stage #2-Rehab. shaft to 400' level			Stage #2 completed	7,820.00			
Winzes							
Other Underground Rehab. shaft	300'		300'	8,000.00			
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous							
Timbering	100'		10'	70.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work 50 assays $5.00 ea.				~~250.00~~			
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				36,540.00			

REMARKS Stage #2 was commenced the last week in July 1962. The object of this stage was to sink the shaft through 80 feet of muck to the 400' level. On Sept. 16, at the 360' level, Mr. George Selfridge and Paul Fillo visited the project. The following day in setting timbers two sides caved in, and similar slides occurred almost each time we were ready to set timber, with the result that it took until Dec. 14 to complete the project to 400'. At 390' we have 3 solid walls, and at 395' a number of pipes extended out into the old station&it appears the floor of the old station has caved. We are now working on Stage #3.

(Continue on back)

REMARKS

(Continue on back)

The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date Dec. 15, 1962 Operator William R Noack

Per William R. Noack Title Owner

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Paul V. Fillo

Title Acting Field Office

Government Representative

Date OME Region II Dec. 27, 1962

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

This report is the second of the three parts of the Operator's Monthly Report. Submit the original and four copies.

The cost for each operation should be the total of all claimed costs attributable to that type of work with two exceptions, namely—operating equipment purchased and analytical work which are stated separately. For example, drifting costs should be the total of all costs chargeable to drifting including supervision, technical services, timbering (if any), etc. Similarly, drilling costs should include the cost of cementing, reaming, core boxes, etc. This procedure of distribution holds whether the contract was written on an actual cost or a unit cost basis, or some combination of the two. Distribute the cost of such general items as supervision, equipment rented, etc. according to relative footages or on some other conventional basis. The item "Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs" covers all rehabilitation and/or repairs other than the rehabilitation of mine workings.

The item titled "Drilling, Non-core Percussion" includes all drilling performed with wagon, jack-hammer, stoper and mounted drills. The several items labelled "Other" are provided to take care of particular exploration operations not specified on this form.

5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
December 15, 1962

NARRATIVE FOR PERIOD ENDING December 14, 1962
WITH COMPLETION OF STAGE #2

Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, Calif.

OME 6092 (Copper)
$60,910.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, Calif.
Contract No. OME 2122

Stage #2 was started in July 1962 with the apparent simple operation of removing muck and dropping a shaft in sets of 5'. A pile hammer was purchased and spiling made of 2'x12'x6' was driven on four sides to prevent the muck from sliding into the excavation while the next set was being prepared. This progress, very slow, was continued to the 360' level where the ground looked solidly packed. However, serious slides continued to develop, a minor hole in a wall would act like a chute and many tons of loose rock would come through before it could be stopped. At 370', a maze of timbers lay criss-cross for 7' or 8' in thickness. They had to be cut piece by piece which took approximately ten days, as pipes had to be sawed as well as the lumber thoroughly covered by muck.

Bearing sets were installed at 350', 370', 380', and 400'. At 390' three solid walls had closed in to the proper shaft size. It was plain that the 4th side was the old station as a number of long pipes and timbers projected to that side and into it. At 402', two feet below the lowest set, it appears that the bottom of the station has possibly collapsed, but the operator will submit a report at the end of this month telling of conditions found when we are down further, with an estimate of the time required to complete Stage #3 and Stage #4.

The cost incurred by the operator on Stage #2 is considerably in excess of the estimate. Approximately $2,000.00 more in labor alone was spent. The time spent was between four and four and one-half months, while one month was allowed in the contract. The operator notes the time allowed for Stage #3 in the contract is one and one-half months. The depth of Stage #3 is 150', or thirty 5' sets, and if we were fortunate enough to put in one set per day, in an open shaft, it would take one and one-half months. However, at 402', the shaft is full of muck and it takes two and one-half days to muck out five feet. Unless we find that the shaft is open very shortly, it will probably take at least five months to complete Stage #3, and with the contract expiring in three months it is obvious that the operator must request an extension. There is also Stage #4, which consists of 350' of drifting which should take three months to complete. Therefore, the operator requests consideration of an extension in time, and if possible the payment to the operator of Stage #3 in units, monthly, rather than waiting for the completion of Stage #3 for the final payment. A formal request will be submitted within a few weeks as soon as we are further down the shaft and we will know whether the shaft will be open or whether the shaft will continue to be blocked.

Very truly yours,

William R. Noack

William R. Noack

Memorandum

To: Acting Field Officer, Region II

From: Chief, Division of Field Operations

Subject: OMK-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretta Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

The second paragraph of your October 19 letter to the subject Operator states that the Stage II work is on a "unit completed job" and that contribution by the Government may not be made until the shaft is rehabilitated to the 400-foot level. This is not precisely correct.

Amendment No. 2 provides for contribution to a maximum of $97.75 a foot and a total of $7,820.00 for the necessary, reasonable, and direct actual costs of rehabilitating of the Loretta shaft to the 400-foot level. Accordingly, contribution within the average limitation of $97.75 a foot may be approved to such depth as the work is satisfactorily completed at the end of a reporting period.

In the last paragraph of your letter the submission of September OMK Forms 60 and 61 is requested. Submission of these forms ordinarily is not required for months in which the Operator makes no claim for contribution to costs. In such cases only the submission of the narrative portion of the monthly report is required. A copy of the Operator's September narrative was forwarded to this office by your October 18 memorandum.

EDTalbert/ama 10-23-62

cc:
Docket
Director's Reading File
CA & A Division
Review Committee

Not sure; Mr. Kilpridge says "intent" was to withhold payment until rehabilitation of shaft (of Stages II + III) is completed

EW 10/25/62

5175 Bark Drive
La Canada, California
October 10, 1962

MARRAGETTE FOR MONTH ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1962

Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

[illegible] (Copper)
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible], California
[illegible]

During the month of September work continued [illegible] the 250-foot level where a bearing [illegible] was encountered [illegible] below, [illegible] with the walls [illegible] but in working out the third set [illegible] being excessive [illegible] showed up the [illegible] was gotten through the last [illegible] of the north and in [illegible] the next set steel [illegible], pipe, and more timber was being taken out.

Very truly yours,

W. R. [illegible]

WRN:ino

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

July 19, 1962

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Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME
Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Enclosed is a copy of a letter from the subject operator, for your information.

PAUL V. FILLO

Paul V. Fillo

Enclosure

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William R. Noack

5173 Earl Dr., La Canada, Calif.
July 18, 1962

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Office of Mineral Exploration

Att Paul Fillo

Dear Paul

I purchased yesterday a Caterpillar D 13,000 90 KW Diesel Electric generator.

It will be delivered to Big Pine Monday July 23 and I will start setting it up on the Loretta on Tuesday July 24th and start work promptly.

This new set will cost slightly over $4,000.00 set up so I think that figure is O.K. I sold the 50 KW because it was not big enough.

Yours very truly

Best regards

W. R. Noack

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

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July 17, 1969

Mr. William R. Noack
5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California

Dear Mr. Noack:

I have been advised from our Washington Office that amendment No. 3 is being prepared in eliminating depreciation on the Mancha trommel with five cars and the 37.5 K.W. generator and adding depreciation on a 50 K.W. generator.

In line with our phone conversation of last week, would you kindly confirm by letter the size generator you will be using. Your earliest reply will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

PAUL FILLO

Paul V. Fillo
Acting Field Officer, OME
Region II

cc:
Chief, Division of Field Operations OME, Washington, D. C.

P. S. Mr. Noack called last week and said that he would not be able to obtain the 50 K.W. generator he had [illegible]ed, and he is keeping the original 37.5 K.W. generator.

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MME FORM 60
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME (Copper)
Contract No. 14-23-090-OME-2122
Contract Amount $ 29,600.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 14,800.00
Mineral(s) Copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month ~~of~~ Ending Dec. 27, 1961

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE			FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY		
	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting 85 ft.	2,890.00	13,940.00	16,830.00			
Crosscutting 25 ft.	850.00	2,720.00	3,570.00			
Drilling						
Rehab. of shaft		8,000.00	8,000.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		70.00	70.00			
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
17 assays @ $5. each	85.00	165.00	250.00			
TOTALS	3,825.00	24,895.00	28,720.00	3825.00	24,895.00	28,720.00

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date Jan. 6, 1962 *Payee William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Per _____ Title Owner

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of: 1912.50 { 1662.50 to Operator, 250.00 to Suspense }
$ _____

Signature _____ aas
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 1/24/62 Vou. No. 3383

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature [signature] Title For Acting Field Officer OME, Region II Date January 12, 1962

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature [signature] Title For: Acting Field Officer Date January 12, 1962

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THIRD, the Operator's Narrative Report is a concise description of the work performed, results accomplished, and any unusual situations encountered, illustrated and supported by engineering-geological maps or sketches, drill hole logs, assay reports, etc., as pertinent.

The Operator submits the original and four copies of each of the three sections of this report to the OME regional Executive Officer at the end of each month during the life of the contract.

PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

After all applicable spaces are filled in, the Operator or his agent must sign the certification in the lower left corner. Categories (2) through (7) apply to "Actual Cost" contracts only.

Under "Fixed Unit Costs" and Category (1) report, (a) the total fixed unit costs of work performed under contract provisions for contribution by the Government on a basis of "fixed unit costs"; and (b) the claimed costs of work performed on a unit-price basis by independent contractors.

Under Category (2) include the claimed costs of all payrolled and invoiced supervisory, technical, and labor personnel, except the costs for services applicable to Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (3) include the claimed costs of all project materials and supplies other than those used for work under Categories (5) and (6).

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Under Categories (5) and (6) include all claimed costs of labor, supervision, technical services, operating materials and supplies, and all other items used in (5) the initial rehabilitation and repairs of existing buildings, fixtures, installations (exclusive of mine workings), and operating equipment; and (6) the installation or construction of new buildings, fixtures, and fixed improvements (exclusive of mine workings). Do not report these costs under Categories (2), (3), (4), and (7).

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Except for amounts claimed under "fixed unit costs" provisions of the contract, all costs claimed in this voucher must be supported by documentary evidence consisting of: (a) certified copies or transcripts of payrolls which list each employee, wage rate, period of employment, gross earnings, itemized deductions, and net earnings; (b) original or certified copies of invoices, statements of accounts, or purchase orders which indicate items of materials or services, quantities, unit prices, total charges, and payment terms; and (c) certified memoranda of the Operator for such items as depreciation of Operator-owned equipment, unemployment taxes, and employee's liability insurance. The certification may be stated thus, "Certified True Copy (or Transcript)", followed by the signature of the Operator or his agent. One copy of each document should accompany the original of this voucher.

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MME FORM 61
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month ~~of~~ Ending Dec. 27, 1961 Docket No. OME-6092 (Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090- OME 2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting	600'	110'	600'	20,400.00			
Crosscutting							
Raising							
Shafts Rehab. of shaft	300'		300'	8,000.00			
Winzes							
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous							
Timbering	100'		10'	70.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work 50 assays @ $5. each, cost to date				250.00			
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				28,720.00			

REMARKS

For the final period of the contract, ending Dec. 27, 1961, the drift along the east wall was continued and was largely in ore. Some high grade specimens running up to 26.9% were encountered, although the average for approximately 5 feet against this east wall which at this level acts as a foot wall accumulating descending solutions only averaged about 2½% copper. The operator feels that much more exploration should be done (over)

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date Jan. 6, 1962 Operator William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Per _____ Title Owner

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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature [illegible]
For: Acting Field Officer, OME
Title Region II
Government Representative
Date January 12, 1962

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

and the opinion of several experienced geologists is that there is possibly a parellel and blind vein which has through several ore shoots mineralized the shear zone in which we have been drifting and crosscutting. There is to the west of this shear zone approximately 100 feet west and parallel to our west wall, a rich streak of primary copper which were exposed averages between eight and twelve inches in thickness. The operator thinks that it would be proper to drive a crosscut to the granite and then either continue the crosscut or put out a ray of holes with a diamond drill in the granite where it could be drilled without constant cementing. I believe it quite possible that the mineralization in the shear zone could come from this source at a greater depth. This small enriched vein is so tight that I believe it obvious that the west to east faults which transverse the shear zone would be a natural route for the mineralization to have taken place.

It takes considerable finance to do this work. If the OME agrees that it would be prudent to explore this property further, the assistance would be very much appreciated.

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

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The cost for each operation should be the total of all claimed costs attributable to that type of work with two exceptions, namely—operating equipment purchased and analytical work which are stated separately. For example, drifting costs should be the total of all costs chargeable to drifting including supervision, technical services, timbering (if any), etc. Similarly, drilling costs should include the cost of cementing, reaming, core boxes, etc. This procedure of distribution holds whether the contract was written on an actual cost or a unit cost basis, or some combination of the two. Distribute the cost of such general items as supervision, equipment rented, etc. according to relative footages or on some other conventional basis. The item "Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs" covers all rehabilitation and/or repairs other than the rehabilitation of mine workings.

The item titled "Drilling, Non-core Percussion" includes all drilling performed with wagon, jack-hammer, stoper and mounted drills. The several items labelled "Other" are provided to take care of particular exploration operations not specified on this form.

WILLIAM R. NOACK

5173 EARL DRIVE • LA CANADA, CALIFORNIA

JAN 26 1962
O.M.E.

January 6, 1962

NARRATIVE FOR MONTH ENDING DECEMBER 27, 1961

Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, California

OME 6092 (Copper)
$29,600.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. OME 2122

The contract was completed on December 27, 1961, and an additional 110 feet of drifting and crosscutting completed.

The east drift on the right wall of the shear zone was in ore averaging 5 feet against this wall for 100 feet and averaged approximately $2.40 in gold and silver and 2½% in copper. Several winzes were started to find if the ore continued in depth, however two prominent engineers were taken to the property, Mr. Carmozy, general manager of U. S. Milling, and Mr. Ralph Godfrey, consultant for Wah Chang and Banner Copper of Arizona, and both advised me that the cheapest and only practical way to explore in depth would be to muck out the shaft and retimber to the old 550 foot level where according to patent papers over 800 feet of drifting exists.

Mr. Godfrey knew one miner who worked on the Loretto and told him that the 550 foot level was very rich. On this information Mr. Godfrey believes we can assume that the ore goes down in depth and that we have approximately 150,000 tons of probable ore averaging $2.00 in gold and silver and 2½% copper. Mr. Carmozy estimates 168,000 tons of copper with gold and silver totaling $2.40.

Certainly the structural control of this property has not been solved and much more exploration must be done to develop enough ore to attract capital to operate this property. The ground is so shattered it would be difficult to drill and the cleaning out of the next 250 feet of shaft and retimbering would be costly.

If the OME would assist further one way or another, the writer could put up half the cost and continue development of this mine of a strategic mineral, which would then be ready for operation should necessity call for it.

The operator is grateful for assistance both financial and for the engineering assistance and advice of Mr. Glenn Gantry during the period of this contract now completed.

Very truly yours,

William R. Noack

William R. Noack

MME FORM 60
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JAN 2 1962
O.M.E.

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME (Copper)
Contract No. OME 2122
14-23-090-
Contract Amount $ ~~29,600.00~~
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ ~~14,800.00~~
Mineral(s) Copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of Nov. 1961

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE			FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY		
	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing 50 ft.	1700.00	12,240.00	13,940.00			
Drifting 60 ft.	2040.00	680.00	2,720.00			
Crosscutting						
Rehab. of shaft		8,000.00	8,000.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:		70.00	70.00			
Timber						
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes						
Employer's Liability Ins.						
5 assays @ 5.00	25.00	140.00	165.00			
TOTALS	3,765.00	21,130.00	24,895.00	3765.00	21,130.00	24,895.00

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date Dec. 12, 1961 *Payee William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Owner

Per _____ Title _____

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 1882.50

Signature DAS
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 1/2/62 Vou. No. 3009

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date Dec. 18, 1961

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME, Region 4

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date Dec. 18, 1961

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SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of Nov. 1961 Docket No. OME-6092(Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090-OME 2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting	600'	110'	490'	16,660.00			
Crosscutting							
Raising							
Shafts Rehab. of shaft	300'			8,[illegible]00.00			
Winzes							
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Timbering	100'		10'	70.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work 33 Assays @ 5. each, cost to date				165.00			
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				24,895.00			

REMARKS

For month of November 1961, a crosscut was run to the right wall and a body of secondary ore encountered. The ore apparently pitched to the south and appeared better on the floor than above. A small stringer of ore ran along this wall to the north and was followed approximately 50 feet where it widened to about four feet. The weather has become very cold; however, no difficulty is anticipated in finishing the contract on time.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date Dec. 12, 1961 Operator William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Per _____ Title Owner

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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Sergio A. Salazar Jr.

Title Acting Field Officer OME, Region 8
Government Representative

Date Dec. 18, 1961

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

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WILLIAM R. NOACK

5173 EARL DRIVE • LA CANADA, CALIFORNIA

December 12, 1961

Narrative for November 1961

Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco-11, California

OME 6092 (Copper)
$29,600.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. OME 2122

During November, as the west wall continued barren, a crosscut was made to the east or right wall, and from five to eight feet of ore averaging slightly over 3% copper and $3.00 in gold and silver was encountered. This ore is under Adit #2. Drifting on both directions showed a total length of this vein at this 300 foot level was about 30 feet. Drifting was then continued on a North 65° East direction to get under Adit #3.

Very truly yours,

William R. Noack

William R. Noack

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MME FORM 60
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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OTE (Copper)
Contract No. 14-23-090-OTE-2122
Contract Amount $29,500.00
Gov't. Participation 50% $14,800.00
Mineral(s) Copper

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For Month of October 1961

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Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting 40 ft.	1,360.00	10,880.00	12,240.00			
Crosscutting 20 ft.	680.00		680.00			
Drilling						
Rehab. of shaft		8,000.00	8,000.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		70.00	70.00			
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
28 assays to date @ $5.00 each		140.00	140.00			
TOTALS	2,040.00	19,090.00	21,130.00	2040.00	19,090.00	21,130.00

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I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date Nov. 2, 1961 *Payee William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Owner

Per _____ Title _____

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 1020.00

Signature OAS
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 11/21/61 Vou. No. 2457

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date Nov. 6, 1961

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME Region II

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date Nov. 6, 1961

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PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of October 1961 Docket No. OME-6092 (Copper

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090[illegible]-2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting	600'	60'	380'	12,920.00			
Crosscutting							
Raising							
Shafts Rehab. of shaft	300'			8,000.00			
Winzes							
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Timbering	100'		10'	70.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work 28 Assays @ $5.00 each, cost to date				140.00			
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				21,130.00			

REMARKS

For month of October, 1961, drifting continued generally on a North 65° East course. Several small pockets of ore were gone through and orestringer led due East so the drift was turned and an other ore showed up on the right, a crosscut to the right was started. Operations were slowed at the start of the month due to the replacing of the hoist motor and installing a larger generator.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date Nov. 2, 1961 Operator William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Per _____ Title Owner

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature [illegible]
Title Acting Field Officer
OME-Region 2
Government Representative
Date Nov. 6-1961

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

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The cost for each operation should be the total of all claimed costs attributable to that type of work with two exceptions, namely—operating equipment purchased and analytical work which are stated separately. For example, drifting costs should be the total of all costs chargeable to drifting including supervision, technical services, timbering (if any), etc. Similarly, drilling costs should include the cost of cementing, reaming, core boxes, etc. This procedure of distribution holds whether the contract was written on an actual cost or a unit cost basis, or some combination of the two. Distribute the cost of such general items as supervision, equipment rented, etc. according to relative footages or on some other conventional basis. The item "Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs" covers all rehabilitation and/or repairs other than the rehabilitation of mine workings.

The item titled "Drilling, Non-core Percussion" includes all drilling performed with wagon, jack-hammer, stoper and mounted drills. The several items labelled "Other" are provided to take care of particular exploration operations not specified on this form.

WILLIAM R. NOACK

~~P. O. BOX 530 RENO, NEVADA FAIRVIEW 2-6623~~

5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
November 2, 1961

NARRATIVE FOR OCTOBER 1961

Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept/ of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, California

OME 6092 (Copper)
$29,600.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, Calif.
Contract No. OME 2122

During October a new hoist motor and a larger generator were acquired, which stopped operation during the first part of the month.

The main drift was continued 40 feet and a small stringer of ore encountered going east, so a crosscut was started and continued 20 feet, however the ore narrowed to a streak.

It is believed the right wall of the fault zone lies about 30 feet ahead of the face of the crosscut.

Very truly yours,

William R. Noack

William R. Noack

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. 6092 OME (Copper)
Contract No.
14-23-090- OMF-2122
Contract Amount $ 29,600.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $14,800.00
Mineral(s) Copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of September 1961

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting 70 feet	$2,380.00	$ 8,500.00	$ 10,880.00			
Crosscutting						
Drilling						
Rehab. of shaft		8,000.00	8,000.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		70.00	70.00			
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
28 Assays to date @ $5.00 each		140.00	140.00			
TOTALS	$2,380.00	$16,710.00	$ 19,090.00	2380.00	16,710.00	19,090.00

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I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date Oct. 8, 1961 *Payee William R. Noack
William R. Noack

Per _____ Title Owner

* When a voucher is signed or receipted in the name of a company or corporation, the name of the person writing the company or corporate name, as well as the capacity in which he signs, must appear. For example: "John Doe Company, per John Smith, Secretary," or "Treasurer," as the case may be.

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 1190.00

Signature _____ (Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 10/17/61 Vou. No. 1823

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Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date 10-9-61

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME-Region II

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date 10-9-61

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY REPORT

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SECOND, the Operator's Progress Report on MME Form 61 is a statistical report of the units and cost of of work performed under the contract.

THIRD, the Operator's Narrative Report is a concise description of the work performed, results accomplished, and any unusual situations encountered, illustrated and supported by engineering-geological maps or sketches, drill hole logs, assay reports, etc., as pertinent.

The Operator submits the original and four copies of each of the three sections of this report to the OME regional Executive Officer at the end of each month during the life of the contract.

PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

After all applicable spaces are filled in, the Operator or his agent must sign the certification in the lower left corner. Categories (2) through (7) apply to "Actual Cost" contracts only.

Under "Fixed Unit Costs" and Category (1) report, (a) the total fixed unit costs of work performed under contract provisions for contribution by the Government on a basis of "fixed unit costs"; and (b) the claimed costs of work performed on a unit-price basis by independent contractors.

Under Category (2) include the claimed costs of all payrolled and invoiced supervisory, technical, and labor personnel, except the costs for services applicable to Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (3) include the claimed costs of all project materials and supplies other than those used for work under Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (4) report claimed rentals on equipment belonging to a third party, claimed payments or obligations for payments on the Operator's purchase of equipment, and claimed depreciation for the use of Operator-owned equipment.

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SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of September 1961 Docket No. OME-6092(Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090- OME-2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting	600'	70'	320'	$ 10,880.00			
Crosscutting							
Raising							
Shafts Rehabilitation							
~~Winzes~~ complete job	300'		300'	8,000.00			
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Timbering	100'		10'	70.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work 28 Assays @ $5. each, cost to date				140.00			
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				$ 19,090.00			

REMARKS

For month of September drifting continued generally on a North 65° East course. Only a small pocket of low grade ore was encountered in the beginning of the month, then considerable quartz was drifted through with only small traces of ore.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date Oct. 8, 1961 Operator William R. Noack
William R. Noack

Per _____ Title Owner

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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature [illegible]

Title Acting Field Officer
Government Representative
OME-Region II

Date 10-9-61

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

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WILLIAM R. NOACK

5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
October 8, 1961

NARRATIVE FOR SEPTEMBER 1961

Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, California

OME 6092 (Copper)
$29,600.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, Calif.
Contract No. OME-2122

During September, drifting on the main drift continued and it is believed that the main orebody is to the right of the drift.

A careful survey shows an outcrop on the surface paralleling the drift which is on a North 65° East course.

The last week in September the hoist motor burned out and a week was lost in getting back into operation.

In the last one hundred feet of the drift, very little indication of ore has been encountered.

Yours very truly,

William R Noack
William R. Noack

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OIE (Copper)
Contract No.
14-23-090- OMS-2122
Contract Amount $ 29,600.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $14,800.00
Mineral(s) Copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of August 1961

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE			FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY		
	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting 30 feet	$1,020.00	$7,480.00	$ 8,500.00			
Crosscutting						
Drilling						
Rehab. of shaft		8,000.00	8,000.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		70.00	70.00			
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
5 Assays @ $5.00	25.00	115.00	140.00			
TOTALS	$1,045.00	$15,665.00	$ 16,710.00			

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date Sept 12, 1961 *Payee William R. Noack

Per _____ Title owner

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 522.50

Signature OAS
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 9/28/61 Vou. No. 1473

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Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date 9-19-61

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME-Region II

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date 9-19-61

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY REPORT

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PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of August 1961 Docket No. OME-6092 (Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090-OME-2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting	600'	30'	250'	$ 8,500.00			
Crosscutting							
Raising							
Shafts Rehabilitation							
~~Winzes~~ complete job	300'		300'	8,000.00			
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Timbering	100'		10'	70.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work 28 Assays costs to date @5.00 ea.				140.00			
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				$16,710.00			

REMARKS

For month of August drifting continued generally on a North 65° East course which followed close to a fault wall believed to be the foot wall ofthe vein. Considerable exploratory work was done at the owner's expense during the month.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date Sept 12, 1961 Operator William R Noack

Per _____ Title Owner

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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature [illegible]

Title Acting Field Officer OME-Reg. 2 Government Representative

Date 9-19-61

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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WILLIAM R. NOACK
~~350 South Fuller Avenue~~
~~Los Angeles 36, California~~

5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
September 12, 1961

NARRATIVE FOR AUGUST 1961

Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Dept. of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, Calif.

OME 6092 (Copper)
$29,600.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, Calif.
Contract No. OME-2122

During August considerable exploration work outside the contract cut down on the footage on the main drift and only 30 lineal feet were driven.

However during September ore was encountered in the main drift and it is believed we are now entering the main ore body of the mine.

William R. Noack

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME-6092 (Copper)
Contract No.
14-23-090-OME-2122
Contract Amount $29,600.00
Gov't. Participation 50% 14,800.00
Mineral(s) Copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of July 1961

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE			FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY		
	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting 100 ft.	3,400.00	4,080.00	7,480.00			
Crosscutting						
Drilling						
Rehabilitation of shaft-completed		8,000.00	8,000.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber		70.00	70.00			
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work 14 assays	70.00	45.00	115.00			
Payroll Taxes @ 5.00						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	3,470.00	12,195.00	15,665.00	3470.00	12,195.00	15,665.00

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I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date Aug. 4, 1961 *Payee William R. Noack
William R. Noack
Per _____ Title Owner

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 1735.00

Signature OAS
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 8/23/61 Vou. No. 914

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Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date 8/8/61

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME-Regional

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date 8/8/61

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The Operator submits the original and four copies of each of the three sections of this report to the OME regional Executive Officer at the end of each month during the life of the contract.

PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

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MME FORM 61
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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of July 1961 Docket No. ~~OME-6092~~ (Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090- ~~OME-2122~~

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting	600'	100'	220'	7,480.00			
Crosscutting							
Raising							
Shafts Rehabilitation							
~~Winzes~~ complete job	300'		300'	8,000.00			
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Timbering	100'		10'	70.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work 23 ASSAYS COSTS TO DATE @5.00 each				~~115.00~~			
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				15,665.00			

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REMARKS For month of July drifting continued generally on a North 65° East course which followed close to a fault wall believed to be the foot wall of the vein. About half of the distance driven was on ore, as shown by the additional 14 samples assayed.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date Aug. 4, 1961 Operator William R. Noack

Per _____ Title William R. Noack ~~Owner~~

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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature [illegible]

Title Acting Field Officer, OME Region II
Government Representative

Date 8/3/61

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

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WILLIAM R. NOACK

P.O. BOX 1502 RENO, NEVADA CRESTVIEW 2-6625

5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
August 4, 1961

MONTHLY REPORT JULY 1961

Office of Mineral Exploration
U.S. Department of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, California

OME-6092 (Copper)
$29,600.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. OMP-2122

The operation during July duplicated the month of June in that four miners were employed six days per week and the contractor was on the job personally.

Mr. Glenn Gentry inspected the operation, mapped the property, and sampled it.

One hundred feet of drifting was accomplished and it was found that values diminished as we progressed.

There were no other unusual incidents to report.

Very truly yours,

William R. Noack
William R. Noack

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MME FORM 60
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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME-6092
Contract No.
14-23-090- Idm-E 2122
Contract Amount $ 29,600.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 14,800.00
Mineral(s) Copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of June 1961

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE			FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY		
	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting	3,400.00	680.00	4,080.00			
Crosscutting						
Drilling						
Rehabilitation of						
scaft-completed		8,000.00	8,000.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber	70.00	----	70.00			
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work 5 assays	25.00	20.00	45.00			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	3,495.00	8,700.00	12,195.00	3,495.00	8,700.00	12,195.00

I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date July 9, 1961 *Payee William R. Noack

Per _____ Title Owner

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 1,747.50

Signature OAS
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 7/29/61 Vou. No. 522

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Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date July 24, 1961

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME-Region II

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date July 24, 1961

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MME FORM 61
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of June 1961 Docket No. OME-6092

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090- Idm-E 2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting	600'	100'	120 ft.	4,080.00			
Crosscutting							
Raising							
Shafts Rehabilitation							
~~Winzes~~ complete job	300'		300 ft.	8,000.00			
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous							
Timbering	100'	10'	10 ft.	70.00			
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases				45.00			
Analytical Work (5) samples @ $5.00 each				25.00			
				12,195.00			12,195.00
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				12,175.00			

REMARKS

For the month of June drifting continued generally on a North 65° East course which followed close to a fault wall believed to be the foot wall of the vein. About half of the distance driven was on ore, as shown by the five assays taken.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date July 9, 1961 Operator William R. Noack

Per _____ Title Owner

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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature [illegible]

Title Acting Field Officer ME Region II
Government Representative

Date July 24, 1961

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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WILLIAM R. NOACK
~~250 South Fuller Avenue~~
~~Los Angeles 36, California~~

5173 Ford Drive
La Canada, California

July 9, 1961

NARRATIVE FOR JUNE 1961

Office of Mineral Exploration
U.S. Department of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, California

OME-5092 (Copper)
$29,600.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. OME-2122

During the month of June 1961, four miners were employed six days per week and the contractor worked personally on the job continually.

Good progress was made, a round a day made, however some were only four feet due to the shattered ground preventing proper loading of the explosives.

Approximately one-half of the drifting covered was in ore and all samplings were made by grabs from mine cars which were stockpiled. These averaged slightly less than 3% in copper. The other half of the muck was thrown in the waste pile and is valueless.

There were no accidents nor other unusual incidents to report.

Very truly yours,

William R. Noack
William R. Noack

WRN:lc

MME FORM 60
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

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Docket No. 6092
Contract No. 14-23-090-2122
Contract Amount $29,600.00
Gov't. Participation 50 $14,800.00
Mineral(s) Copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of May - 1961

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting	680.00		680.00	680.00	—	680.00
Crosscutting						
Drilling						
Rehabilitation of shaft - completed		8,000.00	8,000.00		8,000.00	8,000.00
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber						
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
Assays @ 5.00 per sample	20.00 wm		20.00 wm	20.00	—	20.00
TOTALS	700.00 wm	8,000.00	8,700.00 wm	700.00	8,000.00	8,700.00

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I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date June 19, 1961 *Payee William R. Noack

Per Owner Title Owner

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(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 350.00

Signature OAS
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 7/17/61 Vou. No. 293

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Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date 6/26/61

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate: OME-Region II

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer Date 6/26/61

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MME FORM 61
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of May - 1961 Docket No. OME-6092 (Copper)

Operator's Name William R. Noack Contract No. 14-23-090-OME-2122

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting / Crosscutting	600	20	20	680.00			
Raising							
Shafts Rehabilitation	300 ft.	-	300 ft.	8,000.00			
Winzes							
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous							
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work 4 samples @ $5.00 each				20.00 wrn.			
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				8,700.00 wrn. 8700.00			

REMARKS For the month of May, considerable expense was caused by faulty ground which continually caved. It was necessary to support the floor of the station from a cave-in on the old 400 foot level. Drifting was started on N 65° E and 20 feet accomplished by the end of May.

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REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date June 19, 1961 Operator William R. Noack

Per Owner Title Owner

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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature [illegible]

Title Acting Field Office OME Government Representative Region 4

Date 6/26/61

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT, MME FORM 61

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WILLIAM R. NOACK

5173 EARL DRIVE • LA CANADA, CALIFORNIA

June 9, 1961

Narrative for May 1961

Mr. Glenn Gentry
Office of Mineral Exploration
U. S. Department of the Interior
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, California

O.M.E.-6092 (Copper)
$29,600.00
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, Calif.
Contract No. OME-2122

Dear Mr. Gentry:

During the month of May 1961, four miners were employed six days per week and the writer was personally on the job continually.

Considerable difficulty was encountered in establishing a station due to the fact that a fault zone stands between the shaft and the vein. All of the fault material had to be spaded out by hand with no blasting.

As soon as the vein was entered, and solid material entered, a turn to North 65° East was made and by the end of May, 20 feet of the drift accomplished. The drift is partly in and out of the footwall and the material assays an average of 3% copper with only a trace of gold and silver.

Yours very truly,

William R. Noack

W. R. Noack

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OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME-6092
Contract No.
14-23-090- OME-2122
Contract Amount $ 29,600.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 14,800.00
Mineral(s) Copper

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of Jan. 15-Apr. 30, 1961

Operator's Name William R. Noack
Address 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California

COST CATEGORIES	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ONLY: MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Rehabilitation Loretto shaft surface to 300 level	8,000.00	0.00	8,000.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber						
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
(4) Operating Equipment:						
Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
(5) Initial Rehab. & Repairs:						
Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work						
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	8,000.00	0.00	8,000.00	8000.00	—	8,000.00

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I certify that the above bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

Date May 13, 1961 *Payee William R Noack

Per William R Noack Title Owner William R.

* When a voucher is signed or receipted in the name of a company or corporation, the name of the person writing the company or corporate name, as well as the capacity in which he signs, must appear. For example: "John Doe Company, per John Smith, Secretary," or "Treasurer," as the case may be.

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

Pursuant to authority vested in me, I certify that this account is correct and proper for payment in the amount of:

$ 4000.00

Signature [illegible]
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 5/18/61 Vou. No. 4663

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Certification by Government Representative:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the contractor submitting this voucher is operating an exploration project in accordance with the terms of Contract No. 2122

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II Date 5/16/61

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer, OME Date 5/16/61

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY REPORT

The Operator, under an Office of Minerals Exploration contract, is required to report monthly to the Government. The report consists of three parts.

FIRST, the Operator's Monthly Voucher on MME Form 60 listing the project costs incurred and claimed by the Operator is the voucher basis for payment of the Government's share of the cost.

SECOND, the Operator's Progress Report on MME Form 61 is a statistical report of the units and cost of of work performed under the contract.

THIRD, the Operator's Narrative Report is a concise description of the work performed, results accomplished, and any unusual situations encountered, illustrated and supported by engineering-geological maps or sketches, drill hole logs, assay reports, etc., as pertinent.

The Operator submits the original and four copies of each of the three sections of this report to the OME regional Executive Officer at the end of each month during the life of the contract.

PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

After all applicable spaces are filled in, the Operator or his agent must sign the certification in the lower left corner. Categories (2) through (7) apply to "Actual Cost" contracts only.

Under "Fixed Unit Costs" and Category (1) report, (a) the total fixed unit costs of work performed under contract provisions for contribution by the Government on a basis of "fixed unit costs"; and (b) the claimed costs of work performed on a unit-price basis by independent contractors.

Under Category (2) include the claimed costs of all payrolled and invoiced supervisory, technical, and labor personnel, except the costs for services applicable to Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (3) include the claimed costs of all project materials and supplies other than those used for work under Categories (5) and (6).

Under Category (4) report claimed rentals on equipment belonging to a third party, claimed payments or obligations for payments on the Operator's purchase of equipment, and claimed depreciation for the use of Operator-owned equipment.

Under Categories (5) and (6) include all claimed costs of labor, supervision, technical services, operating materials and supplies, and all other items used in (5) the initial rehabilitation and repairs of existing buildings, fixtures, installations (exclusive of mine workings), and operating equipment; and (6) the installation or construction of new buildings, fixtures, and fixed improvements (exclusive of mine workings). Do not report these costs under Categories (2), (3), (4), and (7).

Under Category (7) include all miscellaneous claimed costs such as repairs (other than initial) and maintenance of equipment, sampling and analysis, travel, communication, accounting, office expenses, and the Operator's share of payroll taxes and insurance.

Except for amounts claimed under "fixed unit costs" provisions of the contract, all costs claimed in this voucher must be supported by documentary evidence consisting of: (a) certified copies or transcripts of payrolls which list each employee, wage rate, period of employment, gross earnings, itemized deductions, and net earnings; (b) original or certified copies of invoices, statements of accounts, or purchase orders which indicate items of materials or services, quantities, unit prices, total charges, and payment terms; and (c) certified memoranda of the Operator for such items as depreciation of Operator-owned equipment, unemployment taxes, and employee's liability insurance. The certification may be stated thus, "Certified True Copy (or Transcript)", followed by the signature of the Operator or his agent. One copy of each document should accompany the original of this voucher.

The requirement for submitting documentary evidence of claimed costs may be waived by the OME regional Executive Officer if he determines that it is impracticable for an Operator to submit this material. In any case of waiver of this requirement an "on-site" audit by an OME auditor is mandatory prior to payment of the final Operator's Monthly Voucher.

MME FORM 61
SEPT. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of Jan. 15-Apr. 30, 1961 Docket No. OME-6092 (Copper)

Operator's Name ~~William R. Noack~~ Contract No. 14-23-090- ~~OME-2122~~

OPERATION	UNITS	FOR OPERATOR'S USE: UNITS THIS MONTH	UNITS TO DATE	COSTS TO DATE	FOR GOVERNMENT USE: APPROVED UNITS THIS MONTH	APPROVED UNITS TO DATE	APPROVED COSTS TO DATE
Drifting							
Crosscutting							
Raising							
Shafts Rehabilitation							
Winzes complete job	300ft.	300 ft	300 ft.	8,000.00			
Other Underground							
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous							
Roads and Trails							
Stripping							
Trenching							
Test Pitting							
Other Surface Work							
Initial Rehabilitation and Repairs							
Rehabilitation of Mine Workings							
New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.							
Operating Equipment Purchases							
Analytical Work							
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				8,000.00			

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REMARKS

During the period ending April 30, 1961 the rotted timbering in the shaft removed, replaced to 320 feet, a complete set of used mining equipment purchased, and rebuilt, a cage is now being installed for handling men, the 300 feet station almost completed, a cross cut on the vein will be started immediately, then a drift on the vein as per contract will commence.

(Continue on back)

REMARKS

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The undersigned company, and the official executing this certification on its behalf, hereby certify that the information contained in this report is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Date May 13, 1961 Operator William R. Noack.

Per William R Noack Title owner

A willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction is a criminal offense. (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001.)

I certify that the information above is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature [illegible]

Title Acting Field Office Supervisor, Region II Government Representative

Date 5/16/61

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
April 30, 1961

Reference: Docket No. OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. OME-2122

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY NARRATIVE FOR APRIL 1961

per Article 5 (b) (3) of Contract

Five men were employed continually for six days per week during the month of April.

Timbering was completed on the shaft to a depth of 320 feet, with a station cut at 300 feet. It was found that the walls of the shaft were in a fault zone from 280 feet down and that at a depth of 340 feet the walls had collapsed so badly that it would be very costly to re-open the shaft below the 300 foot level. The caved portion from 320 feet down is being filled with muck to prevent a collapse of the 300 foot station.

The monthly progress report and voucher are being submitted this month.

Very truly yours,

William R. Noack

William R. Noack

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In addition to the costs approved by the contract item of shaft rehabilitation, the operator expended $19,876.65 for which no reimbursement is claimed:

Supervision and Technical	$1,200.00
Labor	4,470.00
Timber	4,276.25
Pipe	200.00
Hanging Bolts	949.86
Gasoline	691.42
Rental of equipment	115.00
Purchase of equipment	12,247.33
Buildings	470.00
Operating equipment	2,356.79
Payroll taxes (est.)	200.00
Employee's liability ins. (est.)	700.00
	$ 27,876.65
Less shaft rehabilitation	8,000.00
	$ 19,876.65

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555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

April 6, 1961

Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME
Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME - 6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Reference is made to your letter of March 29, 1961 relative to progress of the subject contract.

Beginning prior to November 14, 1960 the operator had started necessary repair work on the mine access road in order to render it passable for large trucks to deliver lumber and machinery for use in timbering the shaft.

Severe winter weather conditions during December, 1960 and January, 1961 delayed work during portions of that period.

On March 22, 1961 the operator advised me by telephone that the shaft had been retimbered to a depth of 180 feet and rehabilitation should be completed about the first of May.

Mr. W. T. Benson, Mining Engineer of the U. S. B. M., Reno, Nevada is now engaged in other work near Big Pine, California and will make an interim inspection of the Loretto Mine contract work and prepare a report for this office. I have requested Mr. Benson to make the inspection because he is in the vicinity of the mine and therefore considerable saving of expenditures can be made.

The operator was actually preparing access roads to the mine shaft area and delivering timbers, etc. as well as cleaning the ground site adjacent to the collar of the shaft prior to and on and after November 14, 1960. Therefore, I believe he was acting in good faith. The work was at the expense of the operator and I recommend it be accepted and the time allowed as a necessary preparation before timbering of the shaft could begin.

GLENN G. GENTRY

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OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

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January 17, 1961

Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: Monthly Report From Operator of
Docket No. OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. OME-2122

Enclosed herewith are copies of the Operator's Narrative and letter, both dated January 14, 1961, relative to the subject contract.

GLENN G. GENTRY

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Enclosure

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WILLIAM R. NOACK

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January 14, 1961

U. S. Department of the Interior
Office of Minerals Exploration
555 Battery Street
San Francisco, 11, California

Attention: Mr. Glenn G. Gentry

Reference: Docket No. OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. OME-2122

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith please find my copy of the Operator's Monthly Narrative for December 1960 per Art. 5 (b) (3) of contract.

Inasmuch as no progress has been made to date which requires expenditures of government money, I am not enclosing the operator's monthly report of progress or have no operator's monthly voucher to submit at this time.

Sincerely,

William R. Noack

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5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California
January 14, 1961

Reference: Docket No. OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. OME-2122

Operator's Monthly Narrative for December 1960
per Article 5 (b) (3) of contract

Material continued to be assembled during December 1960 and a crew of experienced miners were organized under supervision of Fred Bachich of Big Pine, California. Mr. Bachich is the operator of the neighboring talc mine, approximately two miles south of road of the Loretto property.

Due to Christmas holidays and incliment weather, little progress was made in December but as of the present date, January 11, 1961, rapid progress is being made.

Very truly yours,

William R Noack

William R. Noack

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REGION II

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
CERTIFICATION OF POSSIBLE PRODUCTION
UNDER AN EXPLORATION CONTRACT

Mr. William R. Noack
5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California

Re: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine Group of Claims
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

Pursuant to Article 6 of the contract, as amended, referred to above, the Government hereby certifies that mineral or metal production may be possible as a result of the exploration work.

Therefore, royalties shall be paid to the Government as provided in the contract on all production from the land described in the contract from September 27, 1960, to September 27, 1975 or until the sum contributed by the Government is fully repaid with interest, at the rate of 5-3/4 percent per annum, whichever occurs first. * The payment of royalties is secured by a lien upon the land and upon any production therefrom.

Royalty payments should be made in favor of the Office of Minerals Exploration, and should be mailed or delivered to the Field Officer, Office of Minerals Exploration, Region II, 113 Custom House, 555 Battery Street, San Francisco, California. Each payment should be accompanied by two copies of settlement sheets or other suitable sales evidence showing the name of the purchaser, the quantity and grade of the production sold, the price per unit, and the gross proceeds and allowable deductions therefrom. The purchaser should be notified of the Government's royalty on production and directed to pay the royalty, computed as provided in the contract, directly to the Government.

The Field Officer should be promptly notified upon the commencement of any production, and upon any extended cessation thereof.

* The Government's contribution under the terms of the contract amounted to $25,669.97.

Production unsold or unused six months after extraction from the ground should be reported promptly to the Field Officer.

Attention is specifically invited to the provisions of Article 2(c) of the contract referring to the preservation of the Government's royalty rights. Two true copies of any instrument transferring, surrendering, or encumbering any of said rights shall be furnished to the Field Officer.

Dated this 21st day of November, 1963

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

George Turnbull

Acting Director, Office of Minerals Exploration

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cc: C. W and Marjorie R. Rodecker, 1404 North Central Ave., Glendale, California
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Review Committee
Region II
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March 1961

No. 233

Contract No. Idm-E) 14-23) 2122

Docket No. DMEA) MME) 6092

Date of Action October 9, 1963
Reobligation

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OBLIGATION DOCUMENT

To: Chief, Fiscal Section, Office of the Secretary

From: Chief, Division of Administrative Management

Please enter the amounts shown below on the accounts of the Office of Minerals Exploration.

Name and Address of Contractor:

Noack, Wm. R.
5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California

Date of Contract	Region	State	Commodity
September 27, 1960	II	California	Copper

	Reserve	Obligation
Prior Amount	0	$24,354.50
Increase	0	1,315.47
Decrease	0	0
Revised Amount	0	$25,669.97

Remarks:

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March 1961

No. 222

Contract No. Idm-E) 14-23) 2222

Docket No. DMEA) MME) 6002

Date of Action August 21, 1963
Terminated contract

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OBLIGATION DOCUMENT

To: Chief, Fiscal Section, Office of the Secretary

From: Chief, Division of Administrative Management

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Name and Address of Contractor:
Roach, Wm. R.
9175 Earl Drive
La Canada, California

Date of Contract	Region	State	Commodity
September 27, 1960	II	California	Copper

	Reserve	Obligation
Prior Amount	0	$30,459.00
Increase	0	0
Decrease	0	6,100.00
Revised Amount	0	$24,359.00

Remarks:

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EXPLORATION CONTRACT
WILLIAM R. MOOCK
OMR-6092

AMENDMENT NO. 6

It is agreed this 15th day of July, 1963, between the United States of America, acting through the Department of the Interior, Office of Minerals Exploration, hereinafter called the "Government," and William R. Moock, hereinafter called the "Operator," that Exploration Contract No. [illegible] (OMR-6092), dated September 27, 1960, as amended, is further amended, effective June 24, 1963, as follows:

1. Paragraph 1 of Amendment No. 5 (dated February 15, 1963) to the contract is amended to extend the period for completion of the work from 33 to 34 months from the date of the contract.

This amendment shall not be construed to increase the fixed unit cost of any item of work, the estimated total cost of the contract, or the aggregate total amount which the Government may be required to contribute.

Executed in quintuplicate the day and year first above written.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By George Turnbull
Director, Office of Minerals Exploration

William R. Moock
William R. Moock

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
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Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Enclosed is a copy of a letter from the subject operator, requesting an amendment to extend the completion date of his contract.

It is recommended that an amendment be prepared as requested.

PAUL V. FILLO

Paul V. Fillo

Enclosure

cc:
Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

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Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

Enclosed is a copy of a letter from the subject operator. It appears the operator is confused on the completion date of his contract and the interpretation of Amendment No. 5 with regards to the shaft rehabilitation to 550 ft. level.

The amendment is very clear and an answer to the fourth paragraph of his accompanied letter would be, "no more work is authorized below the 435 ft. level and upon completing the allowable footage of drifting and crosscutting as shown in the contract with the amendments, the contract project would be considered completed."

Please advise the correct date of completion for the contract and any helpful suggestions for the operator's second inquiry with regards to Amendment No. 5.

PAUL V. FILLO

Paul V. Fillo

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cc:
Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

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EXPLORATION CONTRACT
WILLIAM R. ROACK
OME-6092

AMENDMENT NO. 5

It is agreed this 15th day of February, 1963, between the United States of America, acting through the Department of the Interior, Office of Minerals Exploration, hereinafter called the "Government," and William R. Roack, hereinafter called the "Operator," that Exploration Contract No. 2122 (OME-6092), dated September 27, 1960, as amended, is further amended, effective January 23, 1963, as follows:

1. Paragraph 1 of Amendment No. 2 (dated June 14, 1962) to the contract is amended to extend the period for completion of the work from 30 to 33 months from the date of the contract.

2. Paragraphs 5 and 6 of Amendment No. 2 are amended to delete the term "550-foot level" wherever it appears in said paragraphs and by substituting in lieu thereof the term "435-foot level." It is understood that such description is only approximate and that the precise level position shall be as approved by the Government.

This amendment shall not be construed to increase the fixed unit cost of any item of work, the estimated total cost of the contract, or the aggregate total amount which the Government may be required to contribute.

Executed in quintuplicate the day and year first above written.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By George Turnich
Director, Office of Minerals Exploration

William R. Roack
William R. Roack

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EXPLORATION CONTRACT
WILLIAM R. NOACK
OME-6092

AMENDMENT NO. 4

It is agreed this 12th day of September, 1962, between the United States of America, acting through the Department of the Interior, Office of Minerals Exploration, hereinafter called the "Government," and William R. Noack, hereinafter called the "Operator," that Exploration Contract No. 2122 (OME-6092), dated September 27, 1960, as amended, is further amended, effective December 25, 1961, as follows:

1. Paragraph 1 of Amendment No. 3 (dated July 19, 1962) to the contract, is revised and amended by deleting the item "50 K.W. International Diesel Generator, $3,750.00," and substituting in lieu thereof "99 K.W. Caterpillar D13,000 Diesel Generator, $3,750.00."

2. Article 10, Nondiscrimination, of the Contract, as amended by Paragraph 3 of Amendment No. 2, dated June 14, 1962, and Article 14, of the Contract, as provided for in said Paragraph 3 of Amendment No. 2, are deleted and the following is substituted in lieu thereof as Article 10.

"Article 10. Nondiscrimination. The provisions governing performance of work under Government contracts, as set out in Section 301 of the Executive Order 10925, dated March 6, 1961 (a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit B and by reference hereby incorporated and made a part of this contract), shall be applicable to this contract.

"In compliance with the Rules and Regulations (41 CFR, Section 60-1.3(a)) issued under Executive Order 10925 of March 6, 1961, the Operator is hereby bound and agrees to include in each subcontract which it shall make with a subcontractor or supplier paragraphs (1) through (7) of Section 301 of said Executive Order, unless exempted pursuant to the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity.

"The Operator shall require each of its subcontractors (first tier) to include in every subcontract with each of its subcontractors (second tier) the following clause: The (here identify the second-tier subcontractor by name) shall incorporate by reference in each subcontract or purchase order with a subcontractor or supplier paragraphs (1) through (6) of Section 301 of Executive Order 10925 of March 6, 1961, unless exempted pursuant to the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity."

This amendment shall not be construed to increase the fixed unit cost of any item of work, the estimated total cost of the contract, or the aggregate total amount which the Government may be required to contribute.

Executed in quintuplicate the day and year first above written.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By Frank E. Johnson
Director, Office of Minerals Exploration

William R. Noack
William R. Noack

Presidential Documents

Title 3—THE PRESIDENT

Executive Order 10925

ESTABLISHING THE PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE ON EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

WHEREAS discrimination because of race, creed, color, or national origin is contrary to the Constitutional principles and policies of the United States; and

WHEREAS it is the plain and positive obligation of the United States Government to promote and ensure equal opportunity for all qualified persons, without regard to race, creed, color, or national origin, employed or seeking employment with the Federal Government and on government contracts; and

WHEREAS it is the policy of the executive branch of the Government to encourage by positive measures equal opportunity for all qualified persons within the Government; and

WHEREAS it is in the general interest and welfare of the United States to promote its economy, security, and national defense through the most efficient and effective utilization of all available manpower; and

WHEREAS a review and analysis of existing Executive orders, practices, and government agency procedures relating to government employment and compliance with existing non-discrimination contract provisions reveal an urgent need for expansion and strengthening of efforts to promote full equality of employment opportunity; and

WHEREAS a single governmental committee should be charged with responsibility for accomplishing these objectives:

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as President of the United States by the Constitution and statutes of the United States, it is ordered as follows:

PART I—ESTABLISHMENT OF THE PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE ON EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

SECTION 101. There is hereby established the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity.

SEC. 102. The Committee shall be composed as follows:

(a) The Vice President of the United States, who is hereby designated Chairman of the Committee and who shall preside at meetings of the Committee.

(b) The Secretary of Labor, who is hereby designated Vice Chairman of the Committee and who shall act as Chairman in the absence of the Chairman. The Vice Chairman shall have general supervision and direction of the work of the Committee and of the execution and implementation of the policies and purposes of this order.

(c) The Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, the Secretary of Commerce, the Attorney General, the Secretary of Defense, the Secretaries of the Army, Navy and Air Force, the Administrator of General Services, the Chairman of the Civil Service Commission, and the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Each such member may designate an alternate to represent him in his absence.

(d) Such other members as the President may from time to time appoint.

(e) An Executive Vice Chairman, designated by the President, who shall be *ex officio* a member of the Committee. The Executive Vice Chairman shall assist the Chairman, the Vice Chairman and the Committee. Between meetings of the Committee he shall be primarily responsible for carrying out the functions of the Committee and may act for the Committee pursuant to its rules, delegations, and other directives. Final action in individual cases or classes of cases may be taken and final orders may be entered on behalf of the Committee by the Executive Vice Chairman when the Committee so authorizes.

SEC. 103. The Committee shall meet upon the call of the Chairman and at such other times as may be provided by its rules and regulations. It shall (a) consider and adopt rules and regulations to govern its proceedings; (b) provide generally for the procedures and policies to implement this order; (c) consider reports as to progress under this order; (d) consider and act, where necessary or appropriate, upon matters which may be presented to it by any of its members; and (e) make such reports to the President as he may require or the Committee shall deem appropriate. Such reports shall be made at least once annually and shall include specific references to the actions taken and results achieved by each department and agency. The Chairman may appoint sub-committees to make special studies on a continuing basis.

PART II—NONDISCRIMINATION IN GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT

SECTION 201. The President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity established by this order is directed immediately to scrutinize and study employment practices of the Government of the United States, and to consider and recommend additional affirmative steps which should be taken by executive departments and agencies to realize more fully the national policy of nondiscrimination within the executive branch of the Government.

SEC. 202. All executive departments and agencies are directed to initiate forthwith studies of current government employment practices within their responsibility. The studies shall be in such form as the Committee may prescribe and shall include statistics on current employment patterns, a review of current procedures, and the recommendation of positive measures for the elimination of any discrimination, direct or indirect, which now exists. Reports and recommendations shall be submitted to the Executive Vice Chairman of the Committee no later than sixty days from the effective date of this order, and the Committee, after considering such reports and recommedations, shall report to the President on the current situation and recommend positive measures to accomplish the objectives of this order.

SEC. 203. The policy expressed in Executive Order No. 10590 of January 18, 1955 (20 F.R. 409), with respect to the exclusion and prohibition of discrimination against any employee or applicant for employment in the Federal Government because of race, color, religion, or national origin is hereby reaffirmed.

SEC. 204. The President's Committee on Government Employment Policy, established by Executive Order No. 10590 of January 18, 1955 (20 F.R. 409), as amended by Executive Order No. 10722 of August 5, 1957 (22 F.R. 6287), is hereby abolished, and the powers, functions, and duties of that Committee are hereby transferred to, and henceforth shall be vested in, and exercised by, the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity in addition to the powers conferred by this order.

PART III—OBLIGATIONS OF GOVERNMENT CONTRACTORS AND SUBCONTRACTORS

SUBPART A—CONTRACTORS' AGREEMENTS

SECTION 301. Except in contracts exempted in accordance with section 303 of this order, all government contracting agencies shall include in every government contract hereafter entered into the following provisions:

"In connection with the performance of work under this contract, the contractor agrees as follows:

"(1) The contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, or national origin. The contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, creed, color, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the contracting officer setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.

"(2) The contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor,

state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, creed, color, or national origin.

"(3) The contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice, to be provided by the agency contracting officer, advising the said labor union or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under this section, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

"(4) The contractor will comply with all provisions of Executive Order No. 10925 of March 6, 1961, and of the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity created thereby.

"(5) The contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order No. 10925 of March 6, 1961, and by the rules, regulations, and orders of the said Committee, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the contracting agency and the Committee for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.

"(6) In the event of the contractor's non-compliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this contract or with any of the said rules, regulations, or orders, this contract may be cancelled in whole or in part and the contractor may be declared ineligible for further government contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order No. 10925 of March 6, 1961, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in the said Executive order or by rule, regulation, or order of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity, or as otherwise provided by law.

"(7) The contractor will include the provisions of the foregoing paragraphs (1) through (6) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity issued pursuant to section 303 of Executive Order No. 10925 of March 6, 1961, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the contracting agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for non-compliance: *Provided, however,* that in the event the contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the contracting agency, the contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States."

SEC. 302. (a) Each contractor having a contract containing the provisions prescribed in section 301 shall file, and shall cause each of its subcontractors to file, Compliance Reports with the contracting agency, which will be subject to review by the Committee upon its request. Compliance Reports shall be filed within such times and shall contain such information as to the practices, policies, programs, and employment statistics of the contractor and each subcontractor, and shall be in such form, as the Committee may prescribe.

(b) Bidders or prospective contractors or subcontractors may be required to state whether they have participated in any previous contract subject to the provisions of this order, and in that event to submit, on behalf of themselves and their proposed subcontractors, Compliance Reports prior to or as an initial part of their bid or negotiation of a contract.

(c) Whenever the contractor or subcontractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding with a labor union or other representative of workers, the Compliance Report shall include such information as to the labor union's or other representative's practices and policies affecting compliance as the Committee may prescribe: *Provided,* that to the extent such information is within the exclusive possession of a labor union or other workers' representative and the labor union or representative shall refuse to furnish such information to the contractor, the contractor shall so certify to the contracting agency as part of its Compliance Report and shall set forth what efforts he has made to obtain such information.

(d) The Committee may direct that any bidder or prospective contractor or subcontractor shall submit, as part of his Compliance Report, a statement in writing, signed by an authorized officer or agent of any labor union or other workers' representative with which the bidder or prospective contractor deals, together with supporting information, to the effect that the said labor union's or representative's practices and policies do not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, creed, or national origin, and that the labor union or representative either will affirmatively cooperate, within the limits of his legal and contractual authority, in the implementation of the policy and provisions of this order or that it consents and agrees that recruitment, employment, and the terms and conditions of employment under the proposed contract shall be in accordance with the purposes and provisions of the order. In the event that the union or representative shall refuse to execute such a statement, the Compliance Report shall so certify and set forth what efforts have been made to secure such a statement.

SEC. 303. The Committee may, when it deems that special circumstances in the national interest so require, exempt a contracting agency from the requirement of including the provisions of section 301 of this order in any specific contract, subcontract, or purchase order. The Committee may, by rule or regulation, also exempt certain classes of contracts, subcontracts, or purchase orders (a) where work is to be or has been performed outside the United States and no recruitment of workers within the limits of the United States is involved; (b) for standard commercial supplies or raw materials; or (c) involving less than specified amounts of money or specified numbers of workers.

SUBPART B—LABOR UNIONS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF WORKERS

SEC. 304. The Committee shall use its best efforts, directly and through contracting agencies, contractors, state and local officials and public and private agencies, and all other available instrumentalities, to cause any labor union, recruiting agency or other representative of workers who is or may be engaged in work under government contracts to cooperate with, and to comply in the implementation of, the purposes of this order.

SEC. 305. The Committee may, to effectuate the purposes of section 304 of this order, hold hearings, public or private, with respect to the practices and policies of any such labor organization. It shall from time to time submit special reports to the President concerning discriminatory practices and policies of any such labor organization, and may recommend remedial action if, in its judgment, such action is necessary or appropriate. It may also notify any Federal, state, or local agency of its conclusions and recommendations with respect to any such labor organization which in its judgment has failed to cooperate with the Committee, contracting agencies, contractors, or subcontractors in carrying out the purposes of this order.

SUBPART C—POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE ON EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY AND OF CONTRACTING AGENCIES

SEC. 306. The Committee shall adopt such rules and regulations and issue such orders as it deems necessary and appropriate to achieve the purposes of this order, including the purposes of Part II hereof relating to discrimination in government employment.

SEC. 307. Each contracting agency shall be primarily responsible for obtaining compliance with the rules, regulations, and orders of the Committee with respect to contracts entered into by such agency or its contractors, or affecting its own employment practices. All contracting agencies shall comply with the Committee's rules in discharging their primary responsibility for securing compliance with the provisions of contracts and otherwise with the terms of this Executive order and of the rules, regulations, and orders of the Committee pursuant hereto. They are directed to cooperate with the Committee, and to furnish the Committee such information and assistance as it may require in the performance of its functions under this order. They are further directed to appoint or designate, from among the agency's personnel, compliance officers. It shall be the duty of such officers to seek compliance with the objectives of this order by conference, conciliation, mediation, or persuasion.

SEC. 308. The Committee is authorized to delegate to any officer, agency, or employee in the executive branch of the

Government any function of the Committee under this order, except the authority to promulgate rules and regulations of a general nature.

SEC. 309. (a) The Committee may itself investigate the employment practices of any government contractor or subcontractor, or initiate such investigation by the appropriate contracting agency or through the Secretary of Labor, to determine whether or not the contractual provisions specified in section 301 of this order have been violated. Such investigation shall be conducted in accordance with the procedures established by the Commitee, and the investigating agency shall report to the Committee any action taken or recommended.

(b) The Committee may receive and cause to be investigated complaints by employees or prospective employees of a government contractor or subcontractor which allege discrimination contrary to the contractual provisions specified in section 301 of this Order. The appropriate contracting agency or the Secretary of Labor, as the case may be, shall report to the Committee what action has been taken or is recommended with regard to such complaints.

SEC. 310. (a) The Committee, or any agency or officer of the United States designated by rule, regulation, or order of the Committee, may hold such hearings, public or private, as the Committee may deem advisable for compliance, enforcement, or educational purposes.

(b) The Committee may hold, or cause to be held, hearings in accordance with subsection (a) of this section prior to imposing, ordering, or recommending the imposition of penalties and sanctions under this order, except that no order for debarment of any contractor from further government contracts shall be made without a hearing.

SEC. 311. The Committee shall encourage the furtherance of an educational program by employer, labor, civic, educational, religious, and other nongovernmental groups in order to eliminate or reduce the basic causes of discrimination in employment on the ground of race, creed, color, or national origin.

SUBPART D—SANCTIONS AND PENALTIES

SEC. 312. In accordance with such rules, regulations or orders as the Committee may issue or adopt, the Committee or the appropriate contracting agency may:

(a) Publish, or cause to be published, the names of contractors or unions which it has concluded have complied or have failed to comply with the provisions of this order or of the rules, regulations, and orders of the Committee.

(b) Recommend to the Department of Justice that, in cases where there is substantial or material violation or the threat of substantial or material violation of the contractual provisions set forth in section 301 of this order, appropriate proceedings be brought to enforce those provisions, including the enjoining, within the limitations of applicable law, of organizations, individuals or groups who prevent directly or indirectly, or seek to prevent directly or indirectly, compliance with the aforesaid provisions.

(c) Recommend to the Department of Justice that criminal proceedings be brought for the furnishing of false information to any contracting agency or to the Committee as the case may be.

(d) Terminate, or cause to be terminated, any contract, or any portion or portions thereof, for failure of the contractor or subcontractor to comply with the nondiscrimination provisions of the contract. Contracts may be terminated absolutely or continuance of contracts may be conditioned upon a program for future compliance approved by the contracting agency.

(e) Provide that any contracting agency shall refrain from entering into further contracts, or extensions or other modifications of existing contracts, with any non-complying contractor, until such contractor has satisfied the Committee that he has established and will carry out personnel and employment policies in compliance with the provisions of this order.

(f) Under rules and regulations prescribed by the committee, each contracting agency shall make reasonable efforts within a reasonable time limitation to secure compliance with the contract provisions of this order by methods of conference, conciliation, mediation, and persuasion before proceedings shall be instituted under paragraph (b) of this section, or before a contract shall be terminated in whole or in part under paragraph (d) of this section for failure of a contractor or subcontractor to comply with the contract provisions of this order.

SEC. 313. Any contracting agency taking any action authorized by this section, whether on its own motion, or as directed by the Committee, or under the Committee's rules and regulations, shall promptly notify the Committee of such action or reasons for not acting. Where the Committee itself makes a determination under this section, it shall promptly notify the appropriate contracting agency of the action recommended. The agency shall take such action and shall report the results thereof to the Committee within such time as the Committee shall provide.

SEC. 314. If the Committee shall so direct, contracting agencies shall not enter into contracts with any bidder or prospective contractor unless the bidder or prospective contractor has satisfactorily complied with the provisions of this order or submits a program for compliance acceptable to the Committee or, if the Committee so authorizes, to the contracting agency.

SEC. 315. Whenever a contracting agency terminates a contract, or whenever a contractor has been debarred from further government contracts, because of noncompliance with the contractor provisions with regard to nondiscrimination, the Committee, or the contracting agency involved, shall promptly notify the Comptroller General of the United States.

SUBPART E—CERTIFICATES OF MERIT

SEC. 316. The Committee may provide for issuance of a United States Government Certificate of Merit to employers or employee organizations which are or may hereafter be engaged in work under government contracts, if the Committee is satisfied that the personnel and employment practices of the employer, or that the personnel, training, apprenticeship, membership, grievance and representation, upgrading and other practices and policies of the employee organization, conform to the purposes and provisions of this order.

SEC. 317. Any Certificate of Merit may at any time be suspended or revoked by the Committee if the holder thereof, in the judgment of the Committee, has failed to comply with the provisions of this order.

SEC. 318. The Committee may provide for the exemption of any employer or employee organization from any requirement for furnishing information as to compliance if such employer or employee organization has been awarded a Certificate of Merit which has not been suspended or revoked.

PART IV—MISCELLANEOUS

SECTION 401. Each contracting agency (except the Department of Justice) shall defray such necessary expenses of the Committee as may be authorized by law, including section 214 of the Act of May 3, 1945, 59 Stat. 134 (31 U.S.C. 691): *Provided*, that no agency shall supply more than fifty per cent of the funds necessary to carry out the purposes of this order. The Department of Labor shall provide necessary space and facilities for the Committee. In the case of the Department of Justice, the contribution shall be limited to furnishing legal services.

SEC. 402. This order shall become effective thirty days after its execution. The General Services Administration shall take appropriate action to revise the standard Government contract forms to accord with the provisions of this order and of the rules and regulations of the Committee.

SEC. 403. Executive Order No. 10479 of August 13, 1953 (18 F.R. 4899), together with Executive Orders Nos. 10482 of August 15, 1953 (18 F.R. 4944), and 10733 of October 10, 1957 (22 F.R. 8135), amending that order, and Executive Order No. 10557 of September 3, 1954 (19 F.R. 5655), are hereby revoked, and the Government Contract Committee established by Executive Order No. 10479 is abolished. All records and property of or in the custody of the said Committee are hereby transferred to the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity, which shall wind up the outstanding affairs of the Government Contract Committee.

JOHN F. KENNEDY

THE WHITE HOUSE,
March 6, 1961.

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EXPLORATION CONTRACT
WILLIAM R. NOACK
OME-6092

AMENDMENT NO. 3

It is agreed this 19th day of July, 1962, between the United States of America, acting through the Department of the Interior, Office of Minerals Exploration, hereinafter called the "Government," and William R. Noack, hereinafter called the "Operator," that Exploration Contract No. 2122 (OME-6092), dated September 27, 1960, as amended, is further amended, effective December 27, 1961, as follows:

1. Paragraph 6 of Amendment No. 2 (dated June 14, 1962) to the contract, under Exhibit A, Estimated Costs, as to both Stages II and III, Category (4)(c), Operating Equipment, Depreciation, at pages 6 and 7 of Amendment 2, is revised and amended by deleting the items "Mancha trammer with 5 cars, $2,250.00" and "37½ K.W. Generator, $1,500.00" and substituting in lieu thereof "50 K.W. International Diesel Generator, $3,750.00."

This amendment shall not be construed to increase the fixed unit cost of any item of work, the estimated total cost of the contract, or the aggregate total amount which the Government may be required to contribute.

Executed in quintuplicate, the day and year first above written.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By George Turnbull

William R Noack
William R. Noack

MME Form 14
March 1961

No. 153

Contract No. Idm-E) 14-23) 2122

Docket No. DMEA) MME) 6092

Date of Action June 25, 1962
Executed amendment

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OBLIGATION DOCUMENT

To: Chief, Fiscal Section, Office of the Secretary

From: Chief, Division of Administrative Management

Please enter the amounts shown below on the accounts of the Office of Minerals Exploration.

Name and Address of Contractor:

William R. Roack
5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California

Date of Contract	Region	State	Commodity
September 27, 1960	II	California	Copper

	Reserve	Obligation
Prior Amount	$15,655.00	$14,800.00
Increase	0	15,655.00
Decrease	$15,655.00	0
Revised Amount	0	$30,455.00

Remarks:

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

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June 21, 1962

Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME, Washington, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Enclosed are the original and two copies of Amendment No. 2 to the subject contract properly executed by the operator. The remaining copies have been distributed in the usual manner. Also enclosed is a copy of a letter from the operator stating a change in some of the equipment at the mine.

PAUL V. FILLO

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EXPLORATION CONTRACT
WILLIAM R. NOACK
OME-6092

AMENDMENT NO. 2

It is agreed this 14th day of June between the United States of America, acting through the Departm the Interior, Office of Minerals Exploration, hereinafter called "Government," and William R. Noack, hereinafter called the "Operat that Exploration Contract No. 2122 (OME-6092), dated September 27, as amended, hereinafter called the "Contract" is further amended, ef December 27, 1961, as follows:

1. In Article 1 of the Contract, as amended, the period for completion of the work is changed from 15 months from the date of the Contract to 30 months from the date of the Contract. Article 1 (b) of the Contract, as amended, is deleted and the following is substituted therefor:

"(b) The total allowable cost of the work set forth in Exhibit A is $60,910.00. The Government will contribute 50 percent of the allowable costs as they are incurred, in a total sum not in excess of $30,455.00 in accordance with the provisions of Articles 3, 4, 5, and 15. 'Costs incurred' means costs that have been paid or have become due and payable, or that the Government determines have become obligations."

2. In Article 6(b)(2) of the Contract, as amended, the maximum period for royalty payments and the lien to secure the payment thereof is changed from eleven (11) years from the date of the Contract to fifteen (15) years from the date of the Contract.

3. Article 10 of the Contract is deleted and the following is substituted therefor as a new provision of Article 14:

"The provisions governing performance of work under Government contracts, as set out in Section 301 of the Executive Order 10925, dated March 6, 1961 (a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit B and by reference hereby incorporated and made a part of this contract), shall be applicable to this contract, and shall be included in all contracts executed by the Operator for the performance of work contemplated by this contract, and for that purpose the term 'contract' shall be deemed to refer to this instrument and to contracts awarded by the Operator and the term 'contractor' shall be deemed to refer to the Operator and to contractors awarded contracts by the Operator."

4. For the purpose of computing allowable costs of work added by this amendment as Stages II, III and IV, the following is added as a new Article 15 of the Contract.

"ARTICLE 15. Costs.--(a) Allowable costs.--The allowable costs of the work to which the Government will contribute are limited to:

"(1) the necessary, reasonable, and direct actual costs that are estimated in Exhibit A by categories as specified in this article; and

"(2) fixed costs for units of work to be performed (per foot, per hour, etc.) agreed upon in lieu of actual costs and set forth in Exhibit A.

"The Government will not contribute to costs under any category or subcategory omitted from the estimate of costs in Exhibit A. Any excess over any estimate which is indicated as the maximum of any category, subcategory, or item, either as to requirement or related cost; any excess over a fixed unit cost; and any excess over the total allowable cost of the work are not allowable. The Operator shall incur such excesses for his own account without contribution by the Government, but the Operator is not obligated to incur more than his agreed percentage of the total allowable cost of the work.

"Any category or subcategory or element thereof not designated as a maximum in this article or in Exhibit A may be exceeded, provided that the total allowable cost of the work, which is a maximum, is not exceeded.

"CATEGORY (1)--INDEPENDENT CONTRACTS.--The total of this category and the average unit cost estimated for each type of work to be performed under an independent contract are maximums.

"CATEGORY (2)--PERSONAL SERVICES.

"Subcategory (a)-- Supervision and Technical Services--All elements of this subcategory (number of supervisors, technicians, outside consultants, periods of employment, rates of pay, and total) are maximums.

"Subcategory (b)--Labor.

"CATEGORY (3)--OPERATING MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES.--Includes such items as drill bits and steel, explosives, fuel, pipe, power, timber, rail, and small tools costing less than $50 each.

"CATEGORY (4)--OPERATING EQUIPMENT.

"Subcategory (a)--Rental.--The number of each rented item [6 mine cars, 1 truck], the rate of rental [$100 per month, $5 per hour], and the total of this subcategory are maximums.

"Subcategory (b)--Purchases.--The total of this subcategory is a maximum.

"Subcategory (c)--Depreciation.-- All elements of this subcategory (time periods, rate of depreciation, and subcategory total) are maximums.

"CATEGORY (5)--INITIAL REHABILITATION AND REPAIRS.--Costs of items listed under this category include all requirements, such as labor, materials and supplies, and supervision at a rate not higher than provided for in Category (2), and shall not be duplicated under any other category. The total of this category is a maximum.

"Subcategory (a)--Initial rehabilitation and repairs of existing buildings, fixtures, and installations (exclusive of mine workings). -- The total of this subcategory is a maximum.

"Subcategory (b)--Initial rehabilitation and repairs of operating equipment.--The total of this subcategory is a maximum.

"CATEGORY (6)--NEW BUILDINGS, FIXTURES, AND INSTALLATIONS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINE WORKINGS).--Costs of items listed under this category include all requirements, such as labor, materials and supplies, and supervision at a rate not higher than provided for in Category (2), and shall not be duplicated under any other category. The total of this category is a maximum.

"CATEGORY (7)--MISCELLANEOUS.--Includes requirements and costs that do not fall within any of the first six categories, such as repairs other than initial and maintenance of operating equipment, analytical work, prints and other reproductions, accounting, Operator's share of payroll taxes, liability insurance covering employment, travel, and communications.

"(b) Nonallowable costs.--The Government will not contribute to the following costs:

"(1) Costs of the land, such as rental, depreciation, depletion, or other costs of acquiring, owning, or holding possession;

"(2) Indirect costs, such as general overhead, corporate management, interest, taxes (other than payroll and sales taxes) insurance (other than liability insurance covering employment), damages to persons, damages to property (other than necessary repairs or replacements of equipment or other property used in the work);

"(3) Previous work performed or costs incurred before the date of this contract; and

"(4) Deferred payments.--Any costs incurred by the Operator under any rental-purchase agreement, installment-purchase agreement, or any agreement for the purchase of goods under the provisions of which payment of the full purchase price is deferred more than 90 days from the delivery of the goods, unless the purchase agreement is approved by the Government in writing.

"(c) Reductions in costs.-- The Operator shall account for and give the Government credit for any incidental benefits, credits, or money received in the ordinary course of business in prosecuting the work (as by salvage or sale of materials or equipment, furnishing of room or board, furnishing of power or services to third persons, rebates or discounts on purchases, etc.), in the same ratio in which the Government contributes to costs; and such amounts shall be treated as a reduction in costs incurred so that they are available for use within the limit of the original total cost. This provision does not apply to receipts from production which are subject to the Government's royalty under the provisions of Article 6."

5. In Exhibit A, delete the words of the second full paragraph which reads: "followed by drifting and crosscutting on the 300-foot level of the Loretto Mine", and substitute the following therefor: "to the 300-foot, 400-foot, and 550-foot levels of the Loretto Mine, followed by drifting and crosscutting on the 300-foot and 550-foot levels." Also in Exhibit A, Description of the Work, add a subtitle "Stage I" before the paragraph beginning "Rehabilitate the Loretto shaft from the surface . . .", and following said paragraph add:

"Stage II

Rehabilitate the Loretto shaft to the 400-foot level, including removal of loose material, repair or replacement of timber if any, and whatever work is necessary to complete the job.

"Stage III

Rehabilitate the Loretto shaft from the 400-foot level to the 550-foot level, including removal of loose material, repair or replacement of timber, and whatever work is necessary to complete the job.

"Stage IV

Drift and crosscut on the 550-foot level of the Loretto mine not to exceed an aggregate total of 350 feet to explore for the possible downward continuations of ore zones encountered on the 300-foot level. Drifts and crosscuts shall be not less than 5 feet by 7 feet in cross section in the clear of timber and shall be timbered as necessary, using standard drift sets of not less than 8" by 8" timber, or equivalent round timber. Locations, directions, and lengths of drifts and crosscuts shall be subject to the prior approval of the Government, and work under Stage IV shall not be undertaken without such approval. The Government will contribute to the cost of not more than 350 feet of drifting and crosscutting, 100 feet of timbering of drifts and crosscuts, and 100 manays under this stage."

6. In Exhibit A, Estimated Costs, insert a subtitle "Stage I" before the line reading "Fixed Unit Costs", delete the lines reading "Estimated Total Cost of Project $29,600.00" and "Government Participation @ 50% $14,800.00" and substitute a line reading "Estimated Total Cost of Stage I (as of December 27, 1961; not a total of above items) $28,720.00", and add the following:

"Stage II

Actual Costs

Category (2) Personal Services		
(a) Supervision and technical services, not to exceed $960.00/month for 1 month	$ 960.00	
(b) Labor, including timber framing	4,080.00	$5,040.00
Category (3) Operating Materials and Supplies		
Timber	$1,008.00	
Fuel	160.00	
Shaft hanger bolts	192.00	
Pipe	112.00	$1,472.00

Category (4) Operating Equipment

(c) Depreciation

	Fair Market Value	
Compressor	$ 3,500.00	
Macking machine	1,500.00	
Mancha tramper with 5 cars,	2,250.00	
37½ K.W. Generator	1,500.00	
Drilling equipment and steel	1,500.00	
Blower and motor	500.00	
Hoist, headframe, sheaves, cages, hoisting ropes	12,250.00	
	$23,000.00	
Depreciation, 1/60 per month for 1 month, rounded to		$380.00

Category (7) Miscellaneous

Payroll taxes and insurance	$ 640.00	
Transportation of operating materials and supplies	288.00	928.00
Total Stage II		$ 7,820.00*

Stage III

Actual Costs

Category (2) Personal Services

(a) Supervision and technical services, not to exceed $960.00/month for 1½ months	$1,200.00	
(b) Labor, including timber framing	5,400.00	$6,600.00

Category (3) Operating Materials and Supplies

Timber	$1,890.00	
Fuel	300.00	
Shaft hanger bolts	360.00	
Pipe	210.00	$2,760.00

Category (4) Operating Equipment

(e) Depreciation

	Fair Market Value
Compressor	$ 3,500.00
Mucking machine	1,500.00
Mancha trammer with 5 cars	2,250.00
37½ K.W. Generator	1,500.00
Drilling equipment and steel	1,500.00
Blower and motor	500.00
Hoist, headframe, sheaves, cages, hoisting ropes	12,250.00
	$23,000.00

Depreciation, 1/60 per month for ½ month, rounded to $ 475.00

Category (7) Miscellaneous

Payroll taxes and insurance	$ 900.00	
Transportation of operating materials and supplies	540.00	$1,440.00

Total Stage III $11,275.00*

Stage IV

Fixed Unit Costs

Drive drifts and/or crosscuts on 550-foot level, 350 feet @ $34.00/ft.	$11,900.00

Timber drifts and/or crosscuts, 100 feet @ $7.00/ft.	$ 700.00	
Assay 100 samples for copper, gold, and silver, @ $5.00/sample	500.00	
Total Stage IV		$13,100.00

SUMMARY

Estimated Cost of Stage I (subject to audit)	$28,720.00
Estimated Total Cost of Stage II	7,820.00
Estimated Total Cost of Stage III	11,275.00
Estimated Total Cost of Stage IV	13,100.00
Estimated Total Cost of the Project (rounded to)	$60,910.00
Government Participation @ 50%	$30,455.00

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* The Government's contribution will be limited to a maximum of $97.75/ft. averaged over the entire footage of shaft rehabilitated acceptably under Stage II, and to $75.17/ft. averaged over the entire footage of shaft rehabilitated acceptably under Stage III."

Executed in quintuplicate the day and year first above written.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By George Turnicliff
Director, Office of Minerals Exploration

WILLIAM R. NOACK

William R. Noack

MME Form 14
March 1961

No. 147

Contract No. Idm-E) 14-23) 2122

Docket No. DMEA) MME) 6092

Date of Action June 15, 1962
Approved amendment

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OBLIGATION DOCUMENT

To: Chief, Fiscal Section, Office of the Secretary

From: Chief, Division of Administrative Management

Please enter the amounts shown below on the accounts of the Office of Minerals Exploration.

Name and Address of Contractor:

William R. Hoeck
5173 Earl Drive
La Canada, California

Date of Contract	Region	State	Commodity
September 27, 1960	II	California	Copper

	Reserve	Obligation
Prior Amount	0	$14,800.00
Increase	$15,655.00	0
Decrease	0	0
Revised Amount	$15,655.00	$14,800.00

Remarks:

cc: 110
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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

November 6, 1961

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Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME
Washington 25, D. C.

From: Glenn G. Gentry, Acting Field Officer, OME
Region 11

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract 2122

Reference is made to your letter of October 23, 1961 relative to proposed long-hole drilling in the subject exploration project.

Long-hole drilling has been discussed in detail with the operator during each on site inspection and during each of several visits to this office and during several conferences via telephone.

The operator concludes that such exploration would result in insufficient and erroneous information because of the fissureing characteristic of the deposit. In my opinion, exploration by following principal mineralized fissures and cross fractures should be continued. The N 65°E course should intersect the geological target which was the primary reason for recommending a contract. I believe the operator is finally convinced of this and will adhere to the contract specifications.

When the major contact fissure is reached it should be followed either right or left, as the case may be, from the main drift.

GLENN G. GENTRY

Glenn G. Gentry

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
555 Battery Street
San Francisco 11, California

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April 27, 1961

Memorandum

To: Chief, Division of Field Operations, OME
Washington 25, D. C.

From: Acting Field Officer, OME, Region II

Subject: OME-6092 (Copper)
William R. Noack
Loretto Mine
Inyo County, California
Contract No. 2122

Enclosed are the original and two copies of Amendment No. 1 to the subject contract, properly executed by the operator. The remaining copies have been distributed in the usual manner.

Via telephone today Mr. Noack informed us the rehabilitation of the shaft had been completed to the 300 ft. level and excavation for the station had started. He expects to begin drifting within the next few days.

GLENN G. GENTRY

Attachments

Copy to: OME File

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EXPLORATION CONTRACT
WILLIAM R. NOACK
OME-6092

AMENDMENT NO. 1

It is agreed this 21st day of April, 1961, between the United States of America, acting through the Department of the Interior, Office of Minerals Exploration, hereinafter called the "Government," and William R. Noack, hereinafter called the "Operator," that Exploration Contract No. 2122 (Docket No. OME-6092), dated September 27, 1960, is amended as follows:

1. Under Article 1 of the contract, the date of November 14, 1960, for beginning the work is deleted and the date January 15, 1961, is substituted. Likewise, the period for completion of the work is changed from 9 months from the date of the contract to 15 months from such date.

2. Under Article 6(b)(2) of the contract, the maximum period for royalty payments and the lien to secure the payment thereof is increased from ten (10) to eleven (11) years from the date of the contract.

This amendment shall not be construed to increase the estimated total cost of the project, the aggregate amount which the Government may be required to contribute, nor the fixed unit cost of any item of work.

Executed in quintuplicate the day and year first above written.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By Frank E. Johnson
Acting Director, Office of
Minerals Exploration

WILLIAM R. NOACK

William R Noack

MME Form 14
Sept. 1958

No. 52

Contract No. Idm-E) 14-23) 2122

Docket No. DMEA) MME) 6092

Date of Action September 27, 1960
Executed Contract

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OBLIGATION DOCUMENT

To: Chief, Accounts Section, Finance Branch, Bureau of Mines

From: Director, Division of Operations Control and Statistics

Please enter the amounts shown below on the accounts of the Office of Minerals Exploration.

Name and Address of Contractor:

William R. Noack
5173 Earl Drive,
La Canada, California

Date of Contract	Region	State	Commodity
September 27, 1960	II	California	Copper

	Reserve	Obligation
Prior Amount	0	$ 0
Increase	0	$14,800.00
Decrease	0	0
Revised Amount	0	$14,800.00

Remarks:

Interest 5 3/4%

cc: 800
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MME Form 51
Feb. 1959

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

EXPLORATION CONTRACT
(Short Form)

Docket No.	Commodity	Contract No.	County	State
OME - 6092	Copper	14-23-090- 2122	Inyo	California

It is agreed 27 SEP 1960 (Date), between the United States of America, acting through the Department of the Interior, Office of Minerals Exploration, hereinafter called the "Government," and

William R. Noack,

whose mailing address is 5173 Earl Drive, La Canada, California, hereinafter called the "Operator," as follows:

ARTICLE I. Authority and scope.--(a) This contract, entered into under the authority of Public Law 701, 85th Cong., 2d sess. (72 Stat. 700; 30 U.S.C. § 641 - 646), consists of this form, the attached Annex I (land description), Exhibit A (work and costs), and the maps and documents listed. The work is a search for new or unexplored deposits of the commodity designated above. The Operator shall begin the work on or before November 14, 1960 (Date) and, subject to the provisions of Article 7 and Exhibit A, shall complete the work within 9 months from the date of the contract.

(b) The description of the work and the fixed cost for each unit of work to be performed (per foot of drilling, per foot of drifting, per hour of operations, etc.) are hereby agreed upon as specified in Exhibit A. The estimated total cost of the work is $29,600.00 The Government will contribute 50 percent of the total fixed unit costs of the work performed, not in excess of $14,800.00 in accordance with the provisions of Articles 4 and 5.

(c) Interest computation.--Simple interest computed annually at the rate of 5-¾ percent shall accrue from the dates Federal funds are made available until the period specified for payment of royalty expires, or until the amount of Federal funds contributed is fully repaid with interest.

(d) The Operator shall not transfer or assign this contract or any right or obligation thereunder without the written consent of the Government.

ARTICLE 2. Operator's rights in land.--(a) The Operator represents and undertakes that Annex I correctly describes the land which is the subject of this contract and the nature of the Operator's right of property and possession therein (whether as owner, lessee, or otherwise), and that such right, title, or interest is subject only to the following claims, liens, or encumbrances:

Mortgage of C. W. Rodecker

(b) The Subordination Agreement of the holder of any claim, lien, or encumbrance listed above and (if the Operator does not hold the legal title) the Lien Agreement of any holder of the legal title of the land (lessor, seller, optionor, etc.) are attached as follows:

Lien and Subordination Agreements signed by William R. and Elisabeth Helene Noack, and C. W. and Marjorie H. Rodecker

(c) The Operator shall preserve and maintain his right, title, or interest in the land and his right to the possession thereof for the purposes of this contract, and shall devote the land and all existing improvements, facilities, buildings, installations, and appurtenances to the purposes of this contract. The Operator shall neither transfer, convey, nor surrender the land nor any right, title, or interest therein, nor permit nor suffer any claim, lien, or encumbrance thereon, without expressly referring to and providing in the instrument of conveyance, lien, or encumbrance for the preservation of the Government's right to a royalty on production and liens for the payment thereof. Two true copies of such instrument shall be furnished to the Government. If the Government's rights to royalty as provided in Article 6 have been terminated, the provisions of this paragraph (c) shall become inapplicable.

ARTICLE 3. Performance of the work.--(a) Operator's responsibility.--The work shall be performed diligently, efficiently, in a workmanlike manner in accordance with good mining standards, and in compliance with State laws governing health, safety, and liability insurance covering employment. The Operator shall provide suitable and adequate equipment, facilities, materials, supplies, and labor to complete the work as specified in Article 1(a).

(b) Government may inspect.--The Operator shall consult with and inform the Government on all phases of the work as it progresses. The Government may enter at all reasonable times to inspect the work under the contract and production operations during the period that royalty is payable to the Government. The Operator shall provide the Government with all reasonable means of access for such inspections.

ARTICLE 4. Contribution by the Government.--The Government will make its contribution on the basis of the monthly vouchers referred to in Article 5(b), but all payments by the Government are provisional only, subject to audit. Until the account between the Operator and the Government is finally audited and settled and the Operator's final report has been received, the Government may withhold such sums as are necessary to protect its interests. To the extent that amounts in excess of fixed unit costs or in excess of the estimated total cost may be necessary for the performance of the work, the Operator shall incur and pay such amounts for his own account without contribution by the Government. The Government will not contribute to the cost of any work performed prior to the date of this contract. The Government may make payments for the account of the Operator directly to independent contractors and suppliers rather than to the Operator.

ARTICLE 5. Reports, accounts, audits.--(a) Operator's records.--The Operator shall keep suitable records and accounts of the units of work performed and of any production in which the Government may have an interest; and shall preserve those with respect to work performed for at least three years after final payment by the Government, and those with respect to production for at least three years after any obligation to pay royalties to the Government has terminated. The Government may inspect and audit said records and accounts at any time, either by itself or by a certified public accountant. The Comptroller General of the United States or his representative, until the expiration of said three-year periods, shall have access to and the right to examine all pertinent books, documents, papers, and records of the Operator.

(b) Monthly reports.--The Operator shall provide the Government with five copies of monthly reports in three sections as follows:

(1) Operator's Monthly Voucher claiming costs for work performed;

(2) Operator's Progress Report showing the number of units of the various types of work performed; and

(3) a narrative report of the work performed during the reporting period, including adequate engineering-geological maps or sketches, drill hole logs and locations, and assay reports on samples taken concurrently with advance in mineralized ground.

(Forms for reporting under (1) and (2) above will be provided by the Government.)

(c) Final report.--Upon completion of the work or termination of the Government's obligation to contribute to costs, the Operator shall furnish the Government with five copies of a final report (in addition to the final monthly report). This final report shall include a geological and engineering evaluation of the results of the work performed under the contract with an estimate of the ore reserves resulting from such work, complete assay data, adequate geological and engineering maps or sketches, and a summary of the work performed and the unit costs thereof.

(d) Report of sales.--The Operator shall provide the Government with suitable accounting and documentary evidence covering all production to which the Government's royalty relates, such as copies of smelter or concentrator settlement sheets and certified accounts of production and sale or other disposition of production.

(e) Compliance with requirements.--If the Government determines that any of the Operator's reports, records, or accounts are insufficient or incomplete, or if the Operator fails to make them, the Government may procure the preparation or completion of same with suitable attachments as an expense of the work to which the Operator shall contribute. The Government may withhold approval and payment of any vouchers relating to insufficient or incomplete reports, records, or accounts.

ARTICLE 6. Repayment by Operator.--(a) Certification.--If the Government considers that mineral or metal production from the land covered by the contract may be possible as a result of the exploration work, it shall so certify in writing to the Operator at any time not later than six months after a sufficient final report and final accounting (see Article 5) have been furnished.

(b) Royalty on production.--The Operator, whether or not the producer (for example, if the Operator either transfers or does not retain his interest in the land), shall pay to the Government a royalty on all minerals and metals mined or produced from the land as follows:

(1) irrespective of any certification of possible production--from the date of the contract until the lapse of the time within which the Government may issue such certification or until the total net amount contributed by the Government is fully repaid with interest, whichever occurs first; or

(2) if the Government issues a certification of possible production--for a period of ten years from the date of the contract or until the total net amount contributed by the Government is fully repaid with interest, whichever occurs first.

(c) Payment of royalty.--(1) The Government's royalty shall be five percent of the [redacted] gross proceeds (including any bonuses, premiums, allowances, or other benefits) from the production sold, in the form sold (ore, concentrate, metal, or equivalent), at the point of delivery (the f.o.b. point); except, that charges of the buyer arising in the regular course of business and shown as deductions on the buyer's settlement sheets (such as treatment processes performed by the buyer, sampling and assaying to determine the value of the production sold, and freight payable by the buyer to a carrier (not the Operator)), shall be allowed as deductions in arriving at the "gross proceeds" as that term is used herein. No costs of the Operator are deductible in arriving at the "gross proceeds" as that term is here used.

The term "treatment processes" means those processes (such as milling, concentrating, smelting, refining, or equivalent, but excluding fabricating or manufacturing) applied to the crude ore or other production after it is extracted from the ground to put it into a commercially marketable form.

(2) The Government's royalty shall be computed and paid currently upon each lot sold, held, or used in integrated operations, as the case may be.

(d) Unsold production.--If any production (ore, concentrate, metal, or equivalent), after the lapse of six months from the date the ore was extracted from the ground, remains neither sold nor used by the Operator in integrated manufacturing or fabricating operations (for instance if it is stockpiled), the Government, at its option, as long as it so remains, may require the computation and payment of its royalty on the value of such production in the form (ore, concentrate, metal, or equivalent) it is in when the Government elects to require computation and payment. If any production is used by the Operator in integrated manufacturing or fabricating operations before the Government makes its election, the Government's royalty on such production shall be computed on the value thereof in the form in which and at the time it is so used. "Value" as here used means what is or would be gross income from mining operations for percentage depletion purposes in Federal income tax determination, or the market value, whichever is greater.

(e) Lien for payment.--To secure the payment of royalty (see Article 6(b)), the Operator hereby grants to the Government a lien upon his interest in the land and upon any production of minerals and metals therefrom until the royalty claim is extinguished by lapse of time or is fully paid.

(f) Notice to purchasers.--The Operator shall give notice of the Government's claim for royalty to any purchaser of the production, and shall authorize and direct such purchaser to pay the royalty directly to the Government and to furnish the Government with copies of the settlement sheets. If the records of any production and sales or other disposition of production, whether the production is by the Operator or by others, are not made available to the Government, the amount of the royalty may be estimated by the Government, and this estimate shall be final and binding upon the Operator.

(g) No obligation to produce.--Nothing in this contract shall be construed as imposing any obligation on the Operator or the Operator's successor in interest to engage in any production operations.

(h) Government not obligated to buy.--Nothing in this contract shall be construed as imposing any obligation on the Government to purchase any minerals and metals mined or produced from the land.

ARTICLE 7. Termination of the Government's Obligations.--(a) If the Government determines that operations at any time have failed to achieve anticipated results and further work is not justified, the Government may give the Operator written notice thereof, and thereupon:

(1) the Government shall be free of all obligation to pay on account of units of work not then performed; and

(2) the Operator shall be free of all obligation to prosecute the work other than such as may be necessary and incidental to final accounting and reporting.

(b) If the Government determines that the Operator is in default under the terms of the contract, the Government may give the Operator written notice of such default with a specification of reasonable time within which the default must be cured; and if the Operator fails to cure such default as required, thereupon:

(1) the Government shall be relieved of all obligation to pay on account of units of work not performed when the notice was given, and

(2) the Operator shall be free of all obligation to prosecute the work other than such as may be necessary and incidental to final accounting and reporting.

The Government may also avail itself of any other remedy the law may provide for breach of contract, including the right to rescind the contract and to demand repayment of all moneys contributed by the Government under the contract.

(c) The giving of any notice by the Government under the provisions of this Article 7 shall not affect the Government's rights as provided for in the contract with respect to royalty and liens to secure the payment thereof, and such rights shall be fully preserved.

(d) The determinations of the Government are subject to appeal under Article 11.

ARTICLE 8. Notices to be given by the Government may be delivered to the Operator or may be sent by certified mail addressed to the Operator at his mailing address stated in this contract. If mailed, notices are deemed to have been delivered five days after the date of mailing.

ARTICLE 9. Officials not to benefit.--No member of or delegate to Congress or resident commissioner shall be admitted to any share or part of this contract or to any benefit that may arise therefrom; but this provision shall not be construed to extend to this contract if made with a corporation for its general benefit.

ARTICLE 10. Nondiscrimination.--In connection with the performance of work under this contract, the Operator agrees not to discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, or national origin. The aforesaid provision shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Operator agrees to post hereafter in conspicuous places, available for employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the Government setting forth the provisions of the nondiscrimination clause.

The Operator further agrees to insert the foregoing provision in all subcontracts hereunder, except subcontracts for standard commercial supplies or raw materials.

ARTICLE 11. Disputes.--Any dispute arising under this contract which is not disposed of by agreement shall be decided by the Director, Office of Minerals Exploration, who shall reduce his decision to writing and mail or otherwise furnish a copy thereof to the Operator. The decision of the Director, Office of Minerals Exploration, shall be final and conclusive unless, within 30 days from the date of receipt of such copy, the Operator mails or otherwise furnishes to the Director, Office of Minerals Exploration, a written appeal addressed to the Secretary. The decision of the Secretary or his duly authorized representative for the determination of such appeals shall be final and conclusive unless determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to have been fraudulent, or capricious, or arbitrary, or so grossly erroneous as necessarily to imply bad faith, or not supported by substantial evidence.

The term "Director, Office of Minerals Exploration," as used herein includes his duly authorized representative.

ARTICLE 12. Eight-Hour Law of 1912--Overtime compensation.--This contract, to the extent that it is of a character specified in the Eight-Hour Law of 1912, as amended (40 U. S. Code 324—326) and is not covered by the Walsh-Healey Public Contracts Act (41 U. S. Code 35—45), is subject to the following provisions and exceptions of said Eight-Hour Law of 1912, as amended, and to all other provisions and exceptions of said Law:

No laborer or mechanic doing any part of the work contemplated by this contract, in the employ of the Operator or any independent contractor contracting for any part of said work contemplated, shall be required or permitted to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day upon such work, except upon the condition that compensation is paid to such laborer or mechanic in accordance with the provisions of this clause. The wages of every laborer and mechanic employed by the Operator or any independent contractor engaged in the performance of this contract shall be computed on a basic day rate of eight hours per day; and work in excess of eight hours per day is permitted only upon the condition that every such laborer and mechanic shall be compensated for all hours worked in excess of eight hours per day at not less than one and one-half times the basic rate of pay. For each violation of the requirements of this clause a penalty of five dollars shall be imposed for each laborer or mechanic for every calendar day in which such employee is required or permitted to labor more than eight hours upon said work without receiving compensation computed in accordance with this clause, and all penalties thus imposed shall be withheld for the use and benefit of the Government.

ARTICLE 13. Copeland (Anti-Kickback) Act--Nonrebate of wages.--The regulations of the Secretary of Labor applicable to contractors and subcontractors (29 CFR, Part 3), made pursuant to the Copeland Act, as amended (40 U. S. C. 276c) and to aid in the enforcement of the Anti-Kickback Act (18 U. S. C. 874) are made a part of this contract by reference. The Operator will comply with these regulations and any amendments or modifications thereof and will be responsible for the submission of affidavits required of independent contractors thereunder. The foregoing shall apply except as the Secretary of Labor may specifically provide for reasonable limitations, variations, tolerances, and exemptions.

ARTICLE 14. Changes and added provisions.--

Executed in quintuplicate the day and year first above written.

William R. Noack
(Operator)

By William R Noack

Title Owner

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By Frank E. Johnson

Acting Director, Office of Minerals Exploration

I, William R Noack, certify that I am the
(Name)

secretary of the corporation named as Operator herein; that

, who signed this contract on behalf of the Operator, was then
(Name)

of said corporation; that said contract was duly signed for
(Title)

and in behalf of said corporation by authority of its governing body, and is within the scope of its corporate powers.

[CORPORATE SEAL]

INT.-DUP. SEC., WASH., D.C. 52375

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Jan. 1959

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Operator
Docket No. OME –
Contract No. 14-23-090 –
Contract Date

LIEN AND SUBORDINATION AGREEMENT[1]

To the United States of America:

That certain land in the County of Inyo, State of California described as follows:[2] Those certain lode mining claims known as NEPTUNE, NEPTUNE NO. 1, NEPTUNE NO. 5, MAHLBOROUGH and MAHLBOROUGH NO. 1 Lode Mining Claims, [illegible] by the Surveyor General as Survey No. 5553, embracing a portion of [illegible] in Township 8 South, Range 37 East of the Mount Diablo [illegible] the Big Pine Mining District, Inyo County, California, as described in patents [illegible] Book 37, Page 165, Official Records, Also all of Section 16, Township 8 [illegible] shown described five patented mining claims,

hereinafter called the "land", is the subject of a proposed exploration contract, hereinafter called the "Contract", between the United States of America, hereinafter called the "Government" and

WILLIAM R. MOACK

hereinafter called the "Operator". In consideration for and as an inducement to the Government executing the Contract, the undersigned:

1. (a) Being the owner of an interest in the land, hereby grants to the Government a lien upon all of his right, title, and interest in the land and in any production of minerals therefrom to secure the payment to the Government of the royalty on production provided for by the Contract, and agrees if the Operator's interest should be surrendered or terminated at any time prior to the expiration of the rights of the United States under said Contract to pay royalty to the Government according to the terms of said Contract; or

(b) [illegible] the holder of a claim, lien, or encumbrance against the land, hereby subordinates his claim, lien, or encumbrance in or against the land and in any production therefrom to the rights of the Government under the Contract with respect to royalty on production and liens to secure same.

2. [illegible] and agrees that property in which the Government may acquire an interest [illegible] may be dismantled, severed from the land, and removed as may be provided in the Contract, but the Government's interest and equity in such property shall be prior and superior to any [illegible] or claim of the undersigned.

3. [illegible] and warrants that there is no claim, lien, or encumbrance upon the [illegible] against the land other than [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] land is not [illegible] that in the [illegible] of production there is no [illegible]

[illegible] the land description of the land, or (b) strike out the words "to [illegible]" [illegible] dated [illegible] County. If (b) is used, the land [illegible] above. If the space provided is insufficient, use an [illegible]

[illegible] it appears in [illegible] Book 16.

[illegible]

[illegible] notice [illegible] under this agreement to any mortgagee, [illegible], encumbrancer, or lessee [illegible] undersigned's right, title, claim, or [illegible] against the land or any production [illegible] furnishing the Government with two true copies of such notice; and

5. Consents to all amendments (including an agreement of termination) and assignments [illegible] the Contract without notice thereof, and undertakes and agrees that this agreement shall [illegible] apply thereto.

6. Added provisions ____ NONE (State "None" [illegible])

Dated this 6th day of May, 1960.

/s/ William R. Noack William R. Noack	(Seal)	5173 Earl Drive La Canada, California
/s/ Elisabeth Helene Noack Elisabeth Helene Noack	(Seal)	5173 Earl Drive La Canada, California
/s/ C. W. Rodecker C. W. Rodecker	(Seal)	1404 North Central Avenue Glendale, California
/s/ Marjorie R. Rodecker Marjorie R. Rodecker	(Seal)	1404 North Central Avenue Glendale, California
	(Seal)	
	(Seal)	

I, _____ (Name), certify that I am the _____ (Title—Secretary, etc.) of the corporation named herein; that _____ (Name), who signed this agreement on behalf of said corporation, was then _____ (Title—Pres., Vice-Pres., etc.) of said corporation; that said agreement was duly signed for and in behalf of said corporation by authority of its governing body, and was within the scope of its corporate powers.

_____
(Corporate Seal)

EXPLORATION CONTRACT
WILLIAM R. NOACK
OMB-6092

ANNEX I

The land, including all rights pertaining thereto, referred to in Article 2 of the contract, is outlined in yellow color on the map, Figure 1, entitled, "Plat of the Claim of Loretto Copper Mining Company," attached to and made part of the contract.

The land comprises five (5) patented lode mining claims, situated in secs. 16, 17, 20, and 21, T. 8 S., R. 37 E., Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, Big Pine Mining District, Inyo County, California, as follows:

Name of Claim	Mineral Survey No.
Neptune	5553
Neptune No. 2	5553
Neptune No. 5	5553
Marlborough	5553
Marlborough No. 3	5553

The Operator owns, subject to a mortgage held by C. W. Rodecker, all of the above claims. Lien and Subordination Agreements signed by William R. Noack, Elisabeth Helene Noack, C. W. Rodecker and Marjorie R. Rodecker are attached to and made part of the contract.

EXPLORATION CONTRACT
WILLIAM R. NOACK
OME-6092

EXHIBIT A

The maps attached to and made part of the contract are as follows:

Figure 1. Plat of the Claim of Loretto Copper Mining Company.

Figure 2. Plan Assay Map Loretto Mine Inyo County, Calif. Docket No. OME-6092.

Figure 3. Loretto Mine Inyo County-Calif. Longitudinal Section Looking North.

The objective of the project is to explore for copper on the Loretto Mine Group of claims by means of shaft rehabilitation followed by drifting and crosscutting on the 300-foot level of the Loretto Mine.

General Conditions

Crosscuts and drifts shall be not less than 5 by 7 feet in cross section in the clear of timber and shall be timbered as necessary, using standard drift sets of not less than 8" by 8" timber, or equivalent round timber.

All significantly mineralized areas encountered in the drifting and crosscutting shall be sampled normal to their trends, at linear intervals of not greater than ten feet, and the samples assayed for copper, gold, and silver, No sample shall represent a cut length greater than five feet. All samples to be assayed shall first be split and one-half be made available to the Government. Sample results and locations shall be accurately shown on monthly progress maps provided to the Government.

No drifting or crosscutting shall be done at distances less than 100 feet from property boundaries.

Description of the Work

Rehabilitate the Loretto shaft from surface to 300-foot level, including installation of hoist, shaft headframe and collar set, and whatever work is necessary to complete the job. Drift and crosscut from the 300-foot level of the shaft approximately as shown in red color on map, Figure 2, not to exceed 600 feet total length of drift and crosscuts. The Government will contribute to not more than 100 feet of drift or crosscut timbering.

Estimated Costs

Fixed Unit Costs

Rehabilitate Loretto shaft, surface to 300-foot level, job	$ 8,000.00	
Drift and crosscut from the 300-foot level of the shaft, 600 feet @ $34.00/ft.	20,400.00	
Timber drift or crosscuts, 100 feet @ $7.00/ft.	700.00	
Assay 100 samples for copper, gold and silver, @ $5.00/sample	500.00	
Estimated Total Cost of the Project		$29,600.00
Government Participation @ 50%		$14,800.00

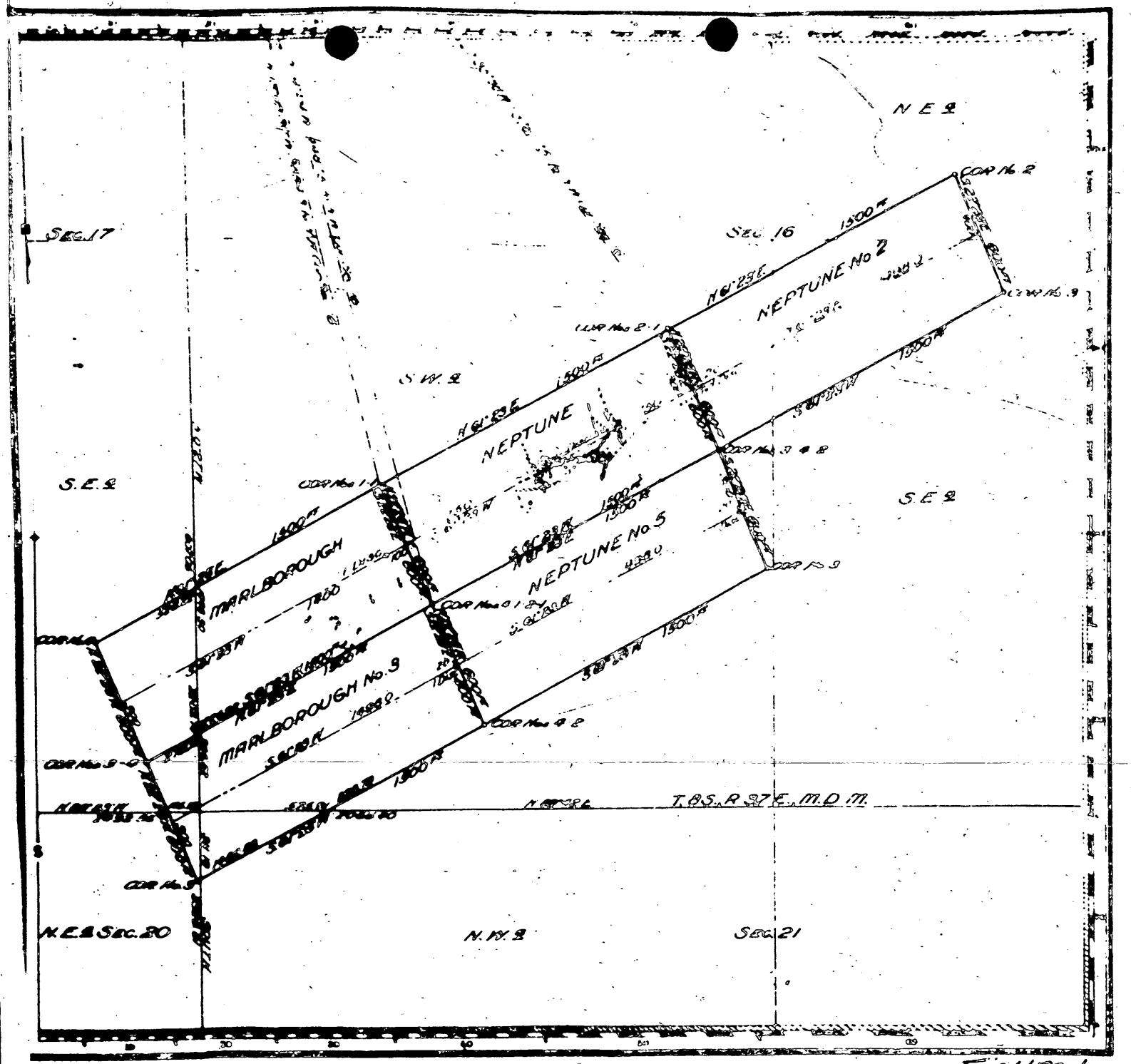

Figure 1

Mineral Survey No. 5559

Independence Land District

PLAT

OF THE CLAIM OF

Loretto Copper Mining Company

KNOWN AS THE

NEPTUNE, NEPTUNE No. 2, NEPTUNE No. 5, MARLBOROUGH AND MARLBOROUGH No. 3 LODES

IN Big Pine MINING DISTRICT, Inyo COUNTY, California

Scale of 400 feet to the inch

Surveyed May 18 18. BY

William J. Moran.

The original field notes of the survey of the lines of Loretto Copper Mining Company known as the "Neptune," "Neptune No. 2," "Neptune No. 5," "Marlborough" and "Marlborough No. 3" Lodes

I hereby certify that the original field notes of labor or improvements made upon the lode claim known as Neptune Lode. Value $120.00

San Francisco, California

September 28, 1918

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NO.	FEET WIDTH	OZS/T AU.	AG.	% CU.	LOCATION
1	4.0	Tr.	0.10	[illegible]	SURFACE
2	40.0	Tr.	0.05	0.36	" (DUMP)
3	11.0	0.005	0.35	1.22	"
4	4.0	0.010	0.60	1.15	"
5	4.0	0.010	2.25	0.35	No. 3 Adit
6	7.0	Tr.	1.60	4.65	"
7	30.0	0.010	1.85	3.18	SURFACE
8	56.0	0.005	1.40	3.52	"
9	14.0	0.015	1.20	2.88	"
10	GRAB	0.005	3.40	2.60	ORE BIN
11	6.0	0.010	1.95	0.25	NO. 1 Adit
12	5.0	0.010	1.35	0.72	"
13	5.0	0.005	[illegible]	[illegible]	No. 2 Adit
14	2.6	Tr.	0.50	[illegible]	"
15	4.0	Tr.	0.90	2.47	"
16	2.5	0.015	1.00	0.39	"
17	4.0	Tr.	[illegible]	[illegible]	"
18	3.5	0.010	0.30	[illegible]	"
19	0.7	0.015	3.00	[illegible]	No. 3 Adit
20	7.0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	"
21	3.0	0.005	0.05	[illegible]	"
22	4.5	Tr.	0.10	1.60	"
23	6.0	0.005	0.10	[illegible]	"

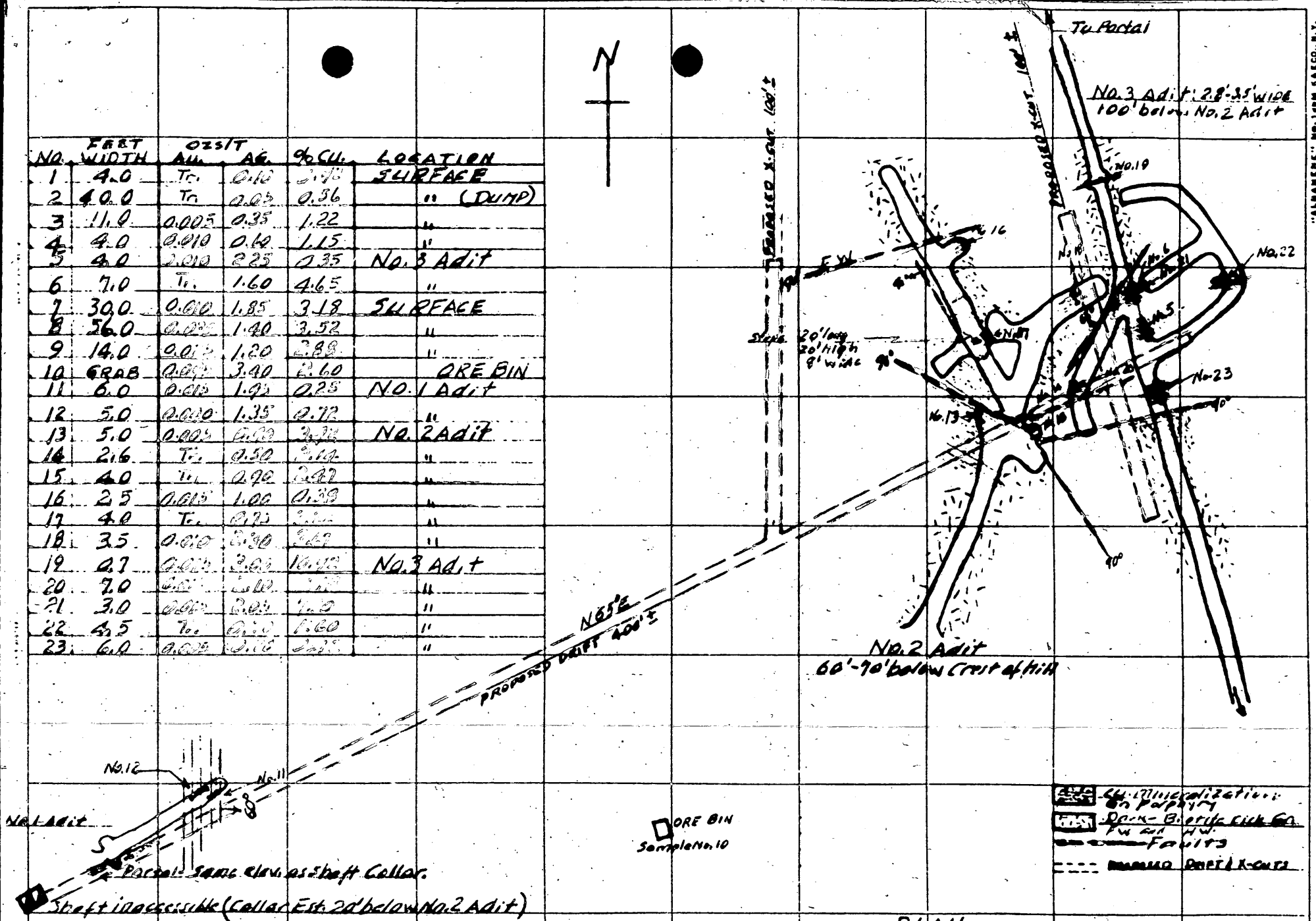

Figure 2

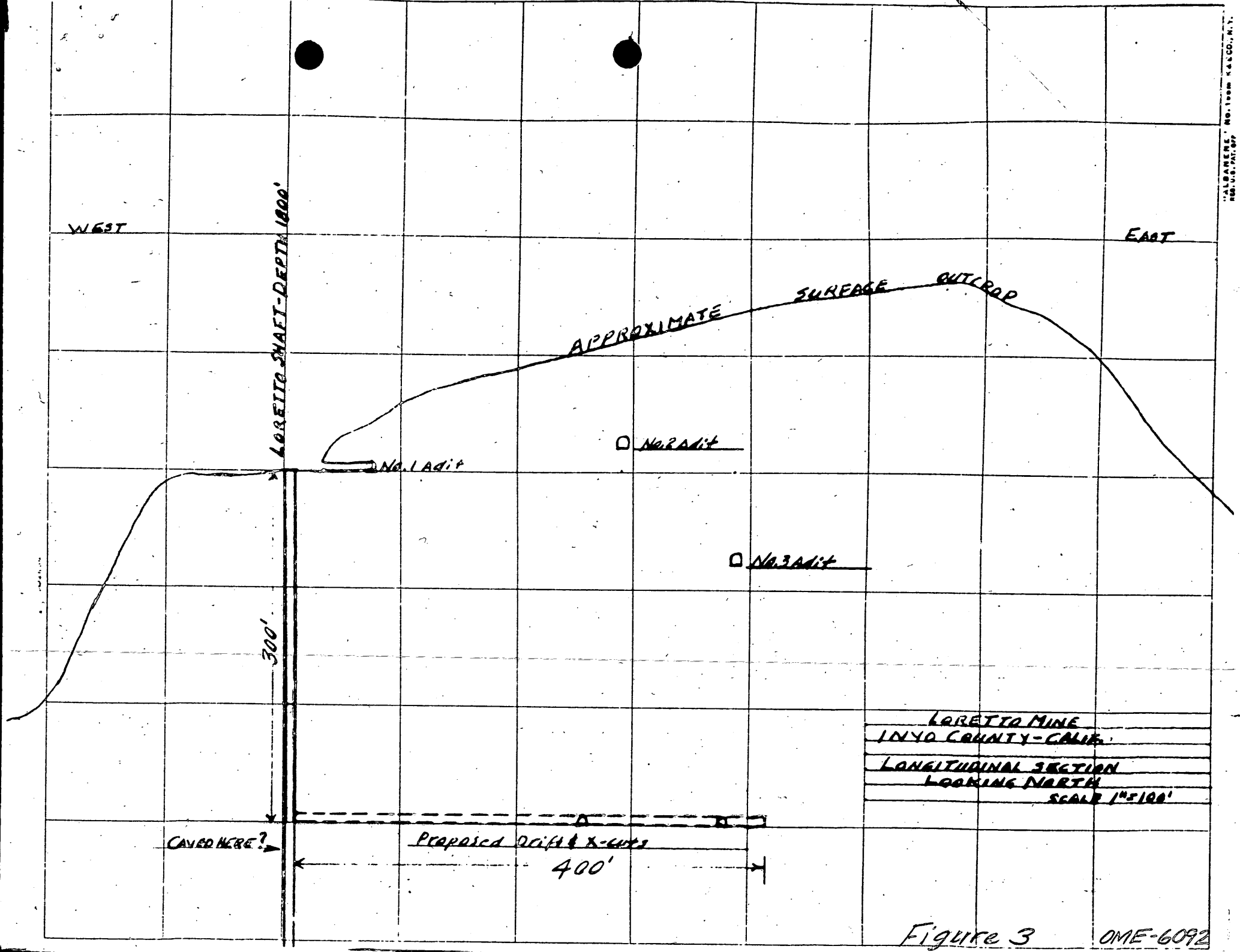

Figure 3 OME-6092