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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME 6308
Contract No.
14-23-090- 2182
Contract Amount $ 132,800
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 66,400
Mineral(s) Gold - Silver

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of May 1965

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Address 3 So. Excelsior Ave., Butte, Montana

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	7448.00	83410.00	90858.00			
Drilling						
Timbering	201.60	1638.00	1839.60			
Slabbing	188.50	1732.00	1920.50			
(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	5.00	45.00	50.00			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	7843.10	86825.00	94668.10	7843.10	86825.00	94668.10

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

Date 6/8/65 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. W. Witherspoon Title Supt.

* 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:

$ 3,921.55

Signature BHB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 6/26/65 Vou. No. 2013-6

(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. 2182

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date JUN 1 8 1965

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date JUN 1 8 1965

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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~~ three 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).

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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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OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of May 1965 Docket No. OME 6308

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. Contract No. 14-23-090- 2182

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	Feet	196.0	2391.0	90858.00	196	2391	90,858.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
Other Underground Timber	Feet	24.0	219.0	1839.60	24	219	1,839.60
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Slabbing	cu. ft.	377.0	3841.0	1920.50	377	3841	1,920.50
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				50.00			50.00
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				94668.10			94,668.10

REMARKS

See narrative report

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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 6/8/65 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Nitturfer Title Supt.

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

Signature D. Weacher

Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I
Government Representative

Date JUN 18 1965

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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

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GOODALL BROTHERS

ESTABLISHED 1909

ASSAYERS

HORACE HAND, OWNER MANAGER
RES. PHONE 442-0696

PHONE 442-3770
46 SOUTH MAIN ST
P. O. BOX 537

Helena, Montana, MAY 27, 1965

ASSAYED FOR

Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

HAND SAMPLE

DESCRIPTION	GOLD Ozs. Per Ton	SILVER Ozs. Per Ton	WET LEAD Per Cent	COPPER Per Cent	ZINC Per Cent	INSOL Per Cent	Per Cent	Per Cent
3,5	Trace	2.[illegible]	[illegible].3	[illegible]	[illegible].3			
6	Trace	0.2						
7	Trace	[illegible].2						
8	Trace	[illegible].2						

*Gold not deducted

Charges $ 18.00

GOODALL, BROS.

By Horace Hand

June 8, 1965

May 1965 Progress Report (OME 6308)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine, Jefferson County, Montana

During May 1965, the 600 level crosscut (Lowland Tunnel) at the Ruby Mine was advanced 196.0 feet to portal plus 2615.0 feet. A car turnout was made requiring the removal of 377.0 cu. ft. of rock and 24.0 feet of the crosscut required timbering.

The advance during the month was in dacite breccia. A zone of silicification was encountered between portal plus 2565.0 feet to 2574.0 feet. Minor amounts of galena, sphalerite, and chalcopyrite were visible. Assays showed no significant amounts of gold and silver. The silicified zone is the footwall of a northeasterly striking fault. The fault dips steeply to the southeast.

Assay results are tabulated below:

Sample #	Location	Description	Width	Oz. Au	Oz. Ag
347	Sta.42 +39.0'	Silicified Hvy FeS	0.2'	Tr.	0.3
348	Sta. 42 + 43.0' to 47.0'	Silicified zone on Fw of blk gouge streak	4.0'	Tr.	0.2

William W. Wittmeyer

William W. Wittmeyer
Superintendent

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For Month of April 1965

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Address 3 So. Excelsior Ave., Butte, Montana

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	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
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(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting						
Crosscutting	5624.00	77786.00	83410.00			
Drilling						
Timbering	222.60	1415.40	1638.00			
Slabbing	187.00	1545.00	1732.00			
(2) Personal Services:						
Supervision & Technical						
Outside Consultants						
Labor						
(3) Operating Mat'l. & Supplies:						
Timber						
Explosives						
Pipe						
Rail						
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Rental						
Purchase						
Depreciation						
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Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
Operating Equipment						
(6) New Buildings, Fixtures, etc.						
(7) Miscellaneous:						
Repairs to Equipment						
Analytical Work	7.50	37.50	45.00			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	6041.10	80783.90	86825.00	6,041.10	80,783.90	86,825.00

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

Date 5/13/65 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Nutting Title Supt.

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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:

$ 3,020.55

Signature BAB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 5/28/65 Vou. No. 1624-1

(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. 2182

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date MAY 25 1965

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

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Drifting							
Crosscutting	Feet	148.0	2195.0	83410.00	148	2195	$ 83410.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
Other Underground Timber	Feet	26.5	195.0	1638.00	26.5	195	1638.00
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Slabbing	cu. ft.	374.0	3464.0	1732.00	374	3464	1732.00
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				45.00			45.00
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				86825.00			$ 86,825.00

REMARKS

See narrative report

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REMARKS

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Date 5/13/65 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Wittmer Title Supt.

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Signature [illegible]

Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I
Government Representative

Date MAY 25 1965

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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GOODALL BROTHERS

ESTABLISHED 1900 — ASSAYERS

HORACE HAND, OWNER MANAGER
RES. PHONE 442-0606

PHONE 442-2770
46 SOUTH MAIN ST.
P. O. BOX 537

Helena, Montana, APR 12 1965

ASSAYED FOR

Ruby Silver Mines

HAND SAMPLE

DESCRIPTION	GOLD OZS. PER TON	SILVER OZS. PER TON	WET LEAD PER CENT	COPPER PER CENT	ZINC PER CENT	INSOL. PER CENT	PER CENT	PER CENT	
913	Trace	5.6	16.2	1.2	3.1				
4	Trace	2.4	4.2	0.7	4.1				
5	Trace	20.6	44.2	3.9	7.0				

*Gold not detected

Charges $ 27.00

GOODALL BROS.

By Horace Hand

GOODALL BROTHERS

ESTABLISHED 1900

ASSAYERS

HORACE HAND, OWNER MANAGER
RES. PHONE 442-6006

PHONE 442-5770
46 SOUTH MAIN ST.
P. O. BOX 587

Helena, Montana, APR 29 1965

ASSAYED FOR

Baby Silver Kings

HAND SAMPLE

DESCRIPTION	GOLD OZ. PER TON	SILVER OZ. PER TON	WET LEAD PER CENT	COPPER PER CENT	ZINC PER CENT	INSOL. PER CENT	PER CENT	PER CENT	
916	Trace	5.2	12.4	1.1	7.3				
7	Trace	0.2							
8	Trace	0.1							

*Gold not deducted

Charges $15.00

GOODALL BROS.

By Horace Hand

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uby ilver ines, nc
uby Mine, Jefferson ounty, ontana

uring pril 1965, the 800 level crosscut (Cowland unnel) at the uby ine was advanced 148.0 feet to portal plus 2419.0 feet. A car turnout was made requiring the removal of 374 cu. ft. of rock and 26.5 feet of the crosscut required timbering.

The mine operated on a one shift basis on all but six days during the month. This was due to the inability to find experienced drift miners to replace the crew that had quit at the end of arch.

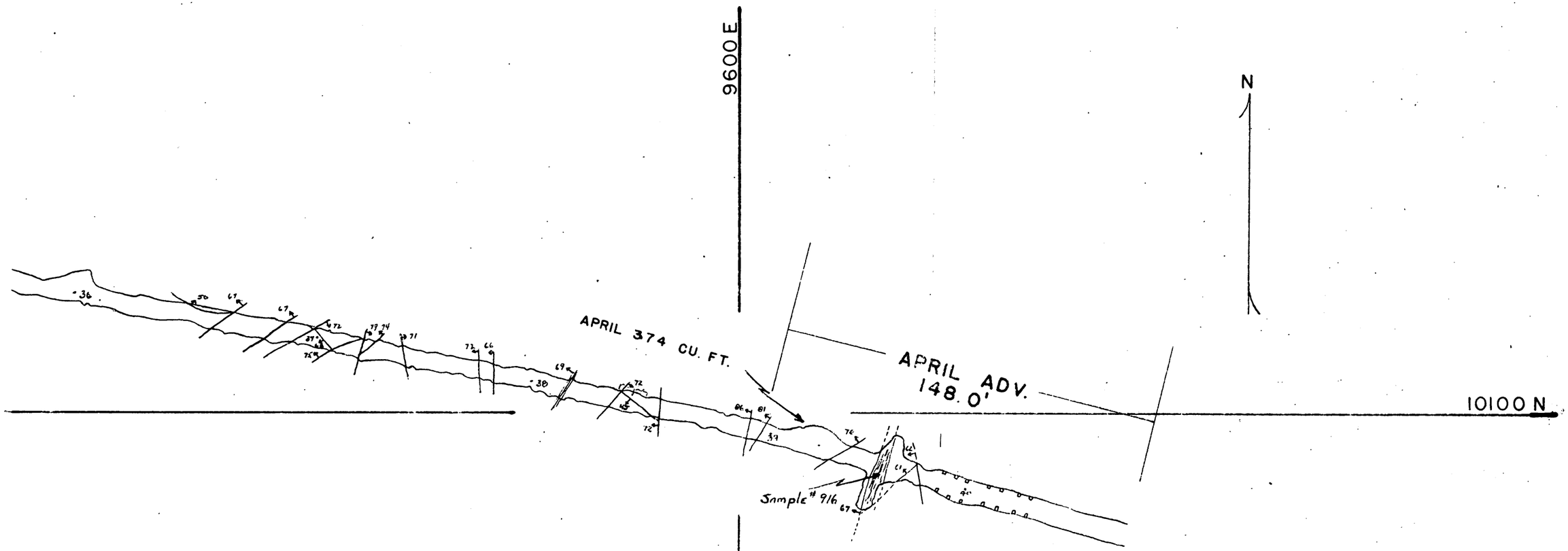
Advance during the month was in dacite breccia. t station 39 plus 46.0 feet a north-northeast striking structure was encountered containing ore grade sulphides of lead, copper, and zinc. This ore occurs on the hanging wall of a large shear zone of approximately 80.0 feet in width. owever, the zone beyond station 40 has not been mapped.

ssay results are tabulated below

ample	ocation	escription	idth	Oz. u	Oz. g	b	u	n
913	2312.0' to 2318.5'	uck grab. 10 cars	8	tr	5.6	16.8	1.2	3.1
914	2318.5' to 2324.5'	uck grab 14 cars	-	tr	2.4	4.2	0.7	4.1
916	ta. 39 + 46.0'	enter cut	4.6	tr	5.2	12.4	1.1	7.3

William W. Wittmeyer

illiam . ittmeyer
uperintendent



Sample No.	Width	Oz Au	Oz Ag	% Pb	% Cu	% Zn	Description
916	4.6'	Tr.	5.2	12.4	1.1	7.3	Center cut @ Sta. 39 + 46.0'
913	-	Tr	5.6	16.2	1.2	3.1	Muck grab. 10 cars. 2312.0' to 2318.5'
914	-	Tr	2.4	4.2	0.7	4.1	Muck grab. 14 cars. 2318.5' to 2324.5'

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RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, MONTANA

SCALE 1" = 40'

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Address 3 So. Excelsior Ave., Butte, Montana

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	9918.00	67868.00	77786.00			
Drilling						
Timbering	0.00	1415.40	1415.40			
Slabbing	152.00	1393.00	1545.00			
(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	15.00	22.50	37.50			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	10085.00	70698.90	80783.90	10,085.00	70,698.90	80,783.90

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

Date Apr. 12, 1965 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Nuthmeyer Title Supt.

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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: 5,042.50
Less 10.00 overpay Feb
$ 5,032.50

Signature BHB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 4/27/65 Vou. No. 1657-1

(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. 218L

Signature D.R. MacBaren Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date APR 19 1965

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature D.R. MacBaren Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date APR 19 1965

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PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

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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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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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OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of March 1965 Docket No. OME 6308

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. Contract No. 14-23-090- 2182

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	Feet	261.0	2047.0	77786.00	261	2047	77,786.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
Other Underground Timber	Feet	0.0	168.5	1415.40	—	168.5	1,415.40
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Slabbing	cu. ft.	304.0	3090.0	1545.00	304	3090	1,545.00
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				37.50			37.50
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				80783.90			80,783.90

REMARKS

See narrative report

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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 Apr. 12, 1965 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Wittmuss Title Supt.

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, Reg. I
Government Representative

Date APR 19 1965

(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.

Region I

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Office of the Secretary
Accounting Section
Washington

APRIL 27, 1965

ADMINISTRATIVE SUSPENSION STATEMENT

Name and Address of Payee: RUBY SILVER MINES, INC
3 SO EXCELSIOR AVENUE
BUTTE, MONTANA

Amount Claimed:	Differences (Explained Below)	Amount Approved
$10,085.00		$10,085.00 5,042.50 GOV'T SHARE 10.00 * $ 5,032.50 TO MAR VOUC
Bu. Voucher No. 1637-1	Payee's Invoice No.	Period

EXPLANATION

*DEDUCTION OF $10.00 MADE DUE TO OVERPAYMENT ON FEBRUARY, 1965 VOUCHER.

AMOUNT CLAIMED FEBRUARY 1965 VOUCHER	$10,896.40
GOVERNMENT SHARE	$5,448.20
AMOUNT PAID IN ERROR	5,458.20
AMOUNT OF OVERPAYMENT	$ 10.00 CR

Any reclaim for items deducted must be supported by the original of this statement and submitted to the office shown above.

Suspension made by:

Signature

OPAL A SHELTON
CHIEF, ACCOUNTS BRANCH
Title

GOODALL BROTHERS

ESTABLISHED 1900 — ASSAYERS

HORACE HAND, OWNER MANAGER
RES. PHONE 442-0969

PHONE 442-0970
40 SOUTH MAIN ST.
P. O. BOX 397

Helena, Montana MAR 1 0 1965

ASSAYED FOR

HAND SAMPLE

Boiler Silver Mines, Ltd.

DESCRIPTION	GOLD OZ. PER TON	SILVER OZ. PER TON	WET LEAD PER CENT	COPPER PER CENT	ZINC PER CENT	INSOL. PER CENT	PER CENT	PER CENT	
[redacted]	Trace	Trace		None					
[redacted]	Trace	Trace		None					

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*Gold not detected

Charges $ 10.00

GOODALL BROS.
By Horace Hand

GOODALL BROTHERS

ESTABLISHED 1909

ASSAYERS

HORACE HAND, OWNER MANAGER
RES. PHONE 442-0696

PHONE 442-3770
46 SOUTH MAIN ST.
P. O. BOX 537

Helena, Montana, MAR 31 1965

ASSAYED FOR

Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

HAND SAMPLE

DESCRIPTION		GOLD Ozs PER TON	SILVER Ozs PER TON	WET LEAD PER CENT	COPPER PER CENT	ZINC PER CENT	INSOL. PER CENT	PER CENT	PER CENT
	908	Trace	0.1						
	9	Trace	0.1						
	10	Trace	Trace	0.2	None				
	1	Trace	Trace	0.4	Trace				
	2	Trace	0.4	0.2	0.4				

*Gold not deducted

Charges $27.00

GOODALL BROS.

By: Horace Hand

April 12, 1965

March 1965 Progress Report (OME*6308)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine, Jefferson County, Montana

During March 1965, the 600 level crosscut (Lowland Tunnel) at the Ruby Mine was advanced 261.0 feet to portal plus 2271.0 feet. A car turnout was made requiring the removal of 304.0 cubic feet of rock.

Advance during the month was in dacite breccia. Relatively unaltered rock and only moderate fracturing was encountered from station 36 to stattion 38. The crosscut has not been mapped beyond station 38, however, both alteration and fracturing have increased in this area. At station 38 50.0' a slightly mineralized structure has been encountered. Assay results are tabulated below.

Sample No.	Location	Description	Width	Oz. Au	Oz. Ag.	%Pb	%Cu
905	Sta.36+58.5'	Structure Hvy FeS_2 & $CaCO_3$	0.7'	Tr.	Tr.	Nil	Nil
906	Sta. 36+58.5'	Hw of struct. silicified	1.7'	Tr.	Tr.	N.R.	Nil
908	Sta. 38+15.0'	Fault gouge	1.0'	Tr.	0.1	N.R.	N.R.
910	Sta. 38+59.0'	Gouge Streak Black & purple	0.1	Tr.	Tr.	0.2	Nil
911	Sta. 38+50.0'	Alt. Str. FeS_2 w/xyls SiO_2	3.7'	Tr.	Tr.	0.4	Tr.
912	Sta. 38+50.0'	Select SiO_2 xyls w/PbS, $CuFeS_2$, & ZnS	0.1'	Tr.	0.4	0.2	0.4

William W. Wittmeyer
Superintendent

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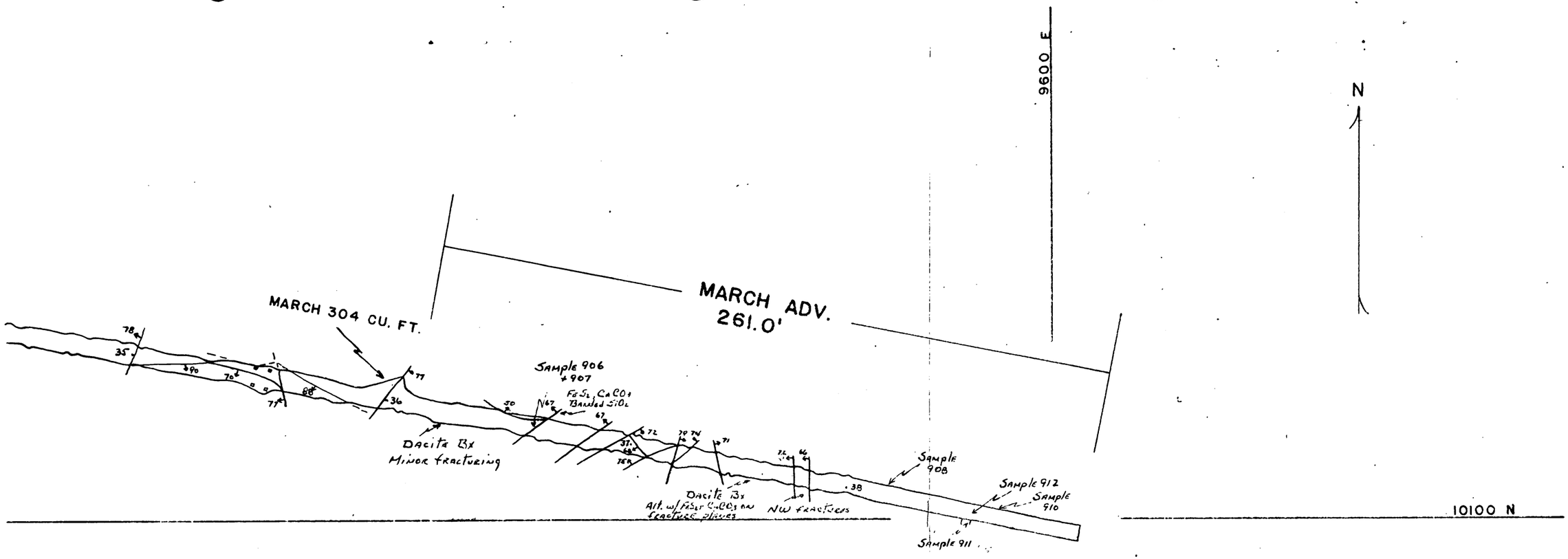

Sample No.	Width	Oz Au	Oz Ag	% Pb	% Cu	Description
905	0.7'	TR	TR	N.R.	nil	Structure. Hvy FeS_2 + $CaCO_3$
906	1.7'	TR	TR	N.R.	nil	HW of above structure. Silicified
908	1.0'	TR	0.1	N.R.	N.R	Fault gouge.
910	0.1'	TR	TR	0.2	nil	Gouge streak. Blk., some purple
911	3.7'	TR	TR	0.4	TR	Alt. structure. FeS_2 w/ xyls. SiO_2
912	0.1'	TR	0.4	0.2	0.4	Select. SiO_2 xyls w/ PbS, ZnS, + $CuFeS_2$

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RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, MONTANA

SCALE 1" = 40'

So. 157 Howard Street
Spokane, Washington 99204
April 19, 1965

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Mr. William W. Wittmeyer
Superintendent
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
3 So. Emmelaine Avenue
Butte, Montana

Re: OME-6508 (Gold-Silver)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine
Jefferson County, Montana
Contract 2180

Dear Mr. Wittmeyer:

From tabulations on both the March 1965 narrative report and the sketch it is clear that you are claiming reimbursement for assays of samples nos. 905, 906, 908, 910, 911, and 912. These and no. 909, which you apparently are not claiming, are supported by Goodall's Assay Report. However, on the sketch you show nos. 906 and 907 as being taken next to each other, but there is no assay report for 907, nor is it mentioned in either table. Just to keep the record straight, should not 907 on the sketch be 905?

This will not hold up the voucher as six assays are supported, but I would like to correct my map if it is incorrect.

Sincerely yours,

D. R. MacLaren
Acting Field Officer, OME
Region I

cc: OME(2)
Voucher File
MacLaren

Director's Reading File
Resources Research Branch Chief

DRMacLaren:mls

RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.
[redacted]
3 South Excelsior Ave.
Butte, Montana 59701

800

April 22, 1965

Mr. D. R. MacLaren
Acting Field Officer
Office of Minerals Exploration
So. 157 Howard Street
Spokane, Washington

Dear Mr. MacLaren;

You are absolutely correct in stating that sample #907 should be sample #905 on the March 1965 sketch map of the advance at the Ruby Mine. I'm sorry I made this error but thank you for bringing it to my attention.

I also need to know the proper procedure to request a three month extension for our OML contract. The latter part of March and April have been full of equipment troubles plus having to release one shift and as yet, not finding satisfactory replacements. I had figured on making sufficient advance during April, May, and June to leave July for longhole drilling but I've lost most of April and now find that we won't make our target on time.

Would you also send me a supply of Operator's Monthly Voucher form MM 60 and Operator's Progress Report form MM 61.

Sincerely,

William W. Wittmeyer

William W. Wittmeyer

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME-6308
Contract No.
14-23-090- 2182
Contract Amount $ 132,800
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 66,400
Mineral(s) Gold-Silver

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of February 1965

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Address 3 So. Excelsior Ave., Butte, Montana

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	10393.00	57475.00	67868.00			
Drilling						
Timbering	1848.80	1230.60	1415.40			
Slabbing	314.00	1079.00	1393.00			
(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	5.00	17.50	22.50			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	10896.80	59802.10	70698.90	10,896.80	59,802.10	70,698.90

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

Date Mar. 10, 1965 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Nutmeyer Title Supt.

* 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:

$ 5,458.40

Signature BLB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 3/18/65 Vou. No. 1396-1

(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. 2182

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date MAR 1 5 1965

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Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date MAR 1 5 1965

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PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

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OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of FEBRUARY 1965 Docket No. DME-6308

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. Contract No. 14-23-090- 2182

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	FEET	273.5	1786.0	67868.00	273.5	1786	67,868.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
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Drilling, Core-Diamond							
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Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Slabbing	cu. ft.	628.0	2786.0	1393.00	628	2,786	1,393.00
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				22.50			22.50
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				70698.90			70,698.90

REMARKS

SEE NARRATIVE REPORT

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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 MAR. 10, 1965 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Wittmuss Title Supt.

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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, Reg. I
Government Representative

Date MAR 15 1965

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REMARKS *(Cont.)*

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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GOODALL BROTHERS

ESTABLISHED 1909

ASSAYERS

HORACE HAND, OWNER MANAGER
RES. PHONE 442-0696

PHONE 442-3770
46 SOUTH MAIN ST.
P. O. BOX 537

Helena, Montana,

ASSAYED FOR

Ruby Silver Mines

HAND SAMPLE

DESCRIPTION	GOLD Ozs. PER TON	SILVER Ozs PER TON	WET LEAD PER CENT	COPPER PER CENT	ZINC PER CENT	INSOL PER CENT	PER CENT	PER CENT
901	Trace	Trace	0.1	None	0.1			
2	Trace	Trace	0.1	None	0.1			

*Gold not deducted

Charges $[illegible].00

GOODALL BROS.

By [illegible]

March 10, 1965

February 1965 Progress Report (OME-6308)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine, Jefferson County, Montana

During February 1965, the 600 level crosscut (Lowland Tunnel) at the Ruby Mine was advanced 273.5 feet to portal plus 2818.0 feet. A car turnout was made requiring the removal of 628.0 cu. ft. of rock. This car turnout was made large enough to handle two mine cars. Twenty two feet of the tunnel required timbering.

Advance during the month was in dacite. A 180 foot zone of intensely fractured and altered dacite was encountered between station 33 and Station 35. Zones of silica bands, parallel to the predominant northeast fractures, occurred randomly throughout the 180 feet. Considerable pyrite and calcite were also present. Very small crystals of galena and sphalerite were found in a shattered zone at station 33+61.0 to 65.0 feet. At station 35, the alteration, silicification, and fracturing ceased and the dacite became breccia cemented with the same material.

Results of the two samples taken during the month are as follows:

Sample No.	Location	Width	Oz. Au	Oz. Ag.	% Pb.	% Zn.	% Cu.
901	Sta. 33+61'	0.3'	Tr.	Tr.	0.2	0.1	Nil
902	Sta. 35+65'	0.5	Tr.	Tr.	0.1	0.1	Nil

William W. Wittmeyer
Superintendent

Note: On the map accompanying the January report, the north coordinate line labeled 10100 N was in error and should have been 10200 N.

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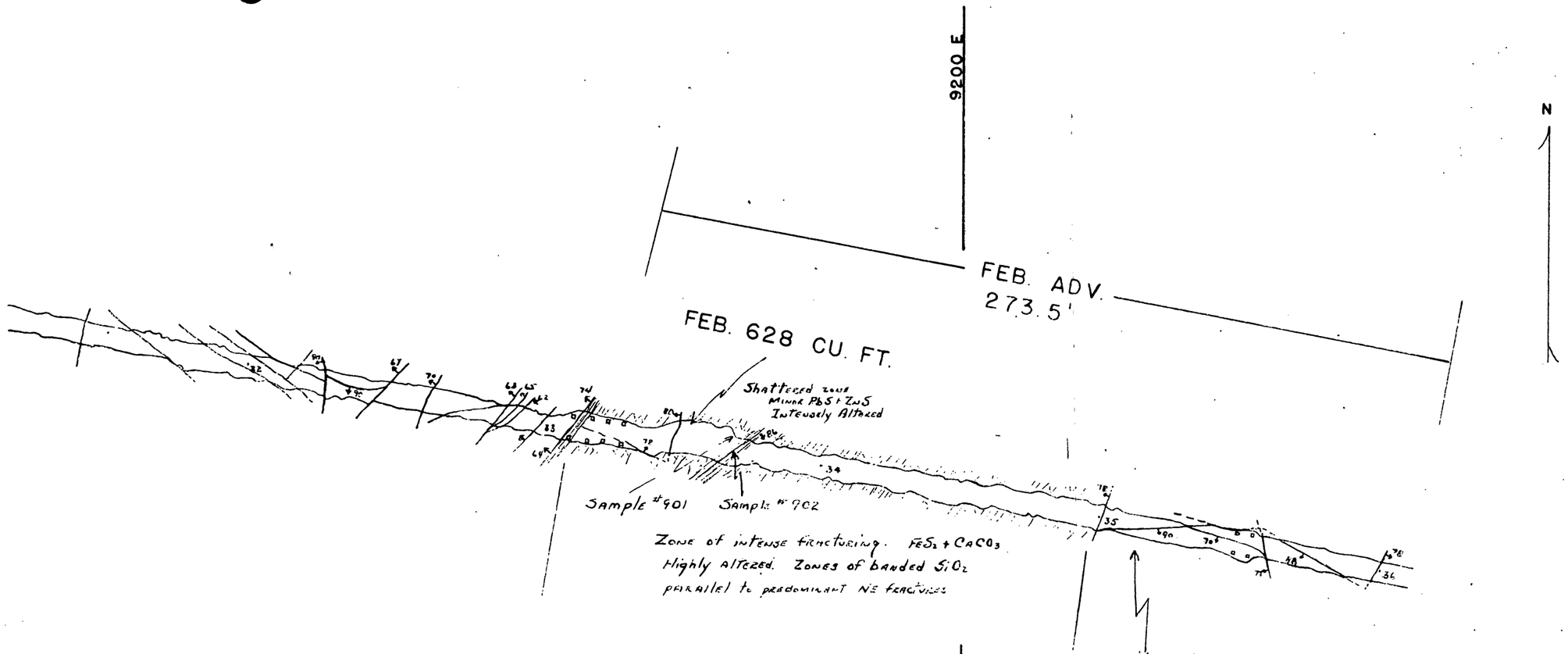

Sample No.	Width	Oz Au	Oz Ag	% Pb	% Zn	% Cu
901	0.3'	Tr	Tr	0.2	0.1	nil
902	0.5'	Tr	Tr	0.1	0.1	nil

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RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, MONTANA

SCALE 1" = 40'

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Docket No. OME-6308
Contract No.
14-23-090- 2182
Contract Amount $ 132,800
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 66,400
Mineral(s) Gold-Silver

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of JANUARY 1965

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Address 3 So. Excelsior Ave., Butte, Montana

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	10222.00	47253.00	57475.00			
Drilling						
Timbering		1230.60	1230.60			
Slabbing	170.00	909.00	1079.00			
(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	5.00	12.50	17.50			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	10397.00	49405.10	59802.10	10,397.00	49,405.10	59,802.10

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

Date 2/10/65 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Nutman Title Supt.

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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:

$ 5,198.50

Signature BHB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 2/23/65 Vou. No. 12871

(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. 2182

Signature D.D. Macharen Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date FEB 15 1965

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature D.D. Macharen Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date FEB 15 1965

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~~ three 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.

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of JANUARY 1965 Docket No. OME-6308

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. Contract No. 14-23-090- 2182

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	FEET	269.0	1512.5	57475.00	269.0	1512.5	57,475.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
Other Underground Timber	FEET	0.0	146.5	1230.60	—	146.5	1,230.60
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Slabbing	cu ft.	340.0	2158.0	1079.00	340.0	2158.0	1,079.00
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				17.50			17.50
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				59802.10			59,802.10

REMARKS

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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 2/10/65 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Nottingham Title Supt.

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

Signature D. R. Macharen

Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I
Government Representative

Date FEB 15 1965

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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

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February 10, 1965

January 1965 Progress Report (OME-6308)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine, Jefferson County, Montana

During January 1965, the 600 level crosscut (Lowland Tunnel) at the Ruby Mine was advanced 269.0 feet to portal plus 1736.5 feet. A car turnout was made, requiring the removal of 340.0 cu. ft. of rock.

Advance during the month was in dacite. Only minor fracturing was encountered to station 31 plus 50 feet. At this point, the fracturing became intense with the major pattern being northwesterly. At station 32 plus 40 feet, the fracturing remained intense but the major pattern changed to a northeasterly strike. Pyrite and calcite mineralization have shown a decided increase.

Results of two samples taken during December are as follows:

Sample No.	Location	Width	Oz. Au	Oz. Ag
221	Sta. 26 + 115.0'	0.5'	Tr.	Tr.
222	Sta. 29 + 53.0'	2.6'	Tr.	Tr.

William W. Wittmeyer

William W. Wittmeyer
Superintendent

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ASSAYERS

HORACE HAND, OWNER MANAGER
RES. PHONE 442-0696

PHONE 442-3770
46 SOUTH MAIN ST.
P. O. BOX 537

Helena, Montana, _____

ASSAYED FOR

HAND SAMPLE

DESCRIPTION	GOLD Ozs PER TON	SILVER Ozs PER TON	WET LEAD PER CENT	COPPER PER CENT	ZINC PER CENT	INSOL. PER CENT	PER CENT	PER CENT	

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*Gold not deducted

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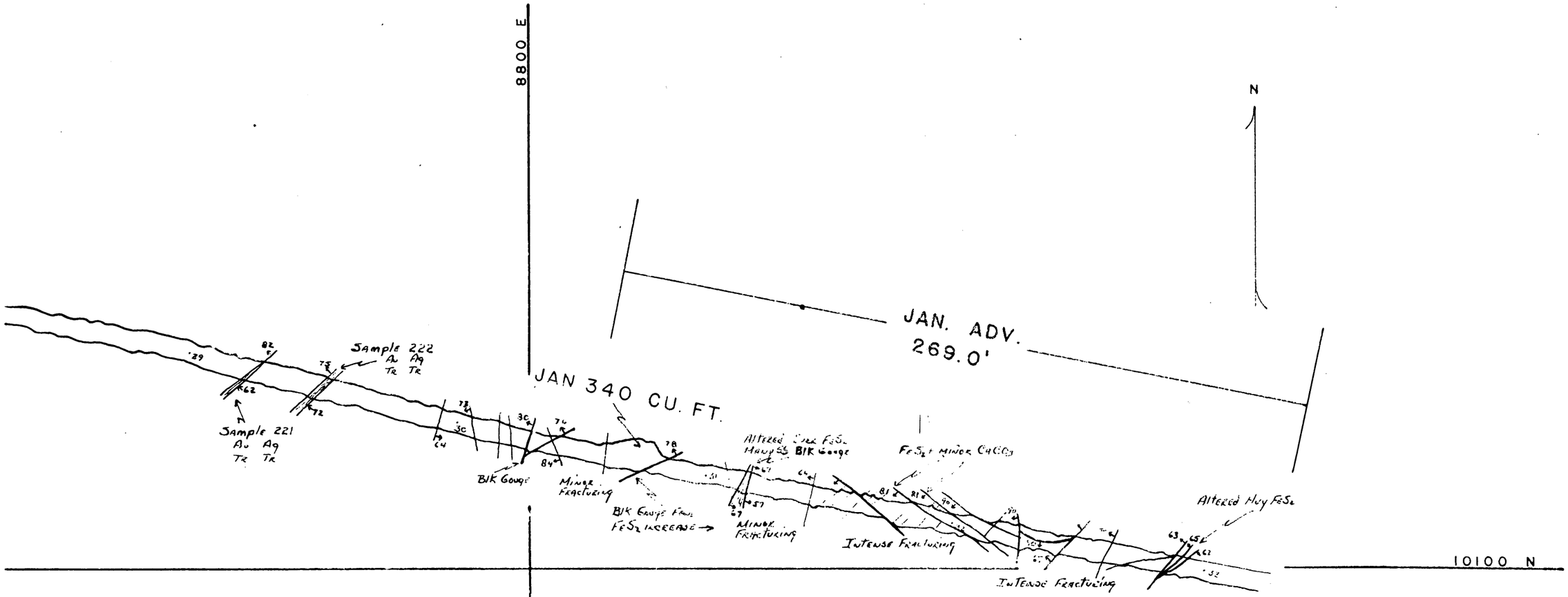

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RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, MONTANA

SCALE 1" = 40'

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OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME-6308
Contract No.
14-23-090- 2182
Contract Amount $ 132,800
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 66,400
Mineral(s) Gold-Silver

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of DECEMBER 1964

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Address 3 So. Excelsior Ave., Butte, Montana

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	8740.00	38513.00	47253.00			
Drilling						
Timbering	0.00	1230.60	1230.60			
Slabbing	0.00	909.00	909.00			
(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		12.50	12.50			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	8740.00	40665.10	49405.10	8,740.00	40,665.10	49,405.10

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

Date 1/10/65 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Nettenfu Title Supt.

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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:

$ 4,370.00

Signature BAB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 1/27/65 Vou. No. 1112-1

(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. 2182

Signature D R MacBeven Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date JAN 21 1965

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature D R MacBeven Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date JAN 21 1965

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PREPARATION OF OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER, MME FORM 60

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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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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OPERATOR'S ~~PROGRESS~~ OME REPORT For Month of December 1964 Docket No. OME-6308

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. Contract No. 14-23-090-2182

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	Feet	230.0	1243.5	47253.00	230	1243.5	$ 47,253.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
Other Underground Timber	Feet	0.0	146.5	1230.60	—	146.5	1,230.60
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Slabbing	cu. ft.	0.0	1818.0	909.00	—	1818	909.00
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				12.50			12.50
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				49405.10			$ 49,405.10

REMARKS

See narrative report

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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 1/10/65 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Nettmann Title Supt.

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

Signature D. P. Macharen

Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I
Government Representative

Date JAN 21 1965

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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January 10, 1964

December 1964 Progress Report (OME -6308)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine, Jefferson County, Montana

During December 1964, the 600 level crosscut (Lowland Tunnel) at the Ruby Mine was advanced 230.0 feet to portal plus 1467.6 feet.

The advance for the month was in dacite. Two zones of more intense than normal fracturing were encountered. Both zones exhibited a degree of alteration, with an increase in pyrite and calcite. A select sample taken at station 28 plus 52.0' assayed 0.03 oz. gold per ton and 1.7 oz. silver per ton. Two other samples were taken, as indicated on the enclosed map, but results have not been received.

William W. Wittmeyer

William W. Wittmeyer
Superintendent

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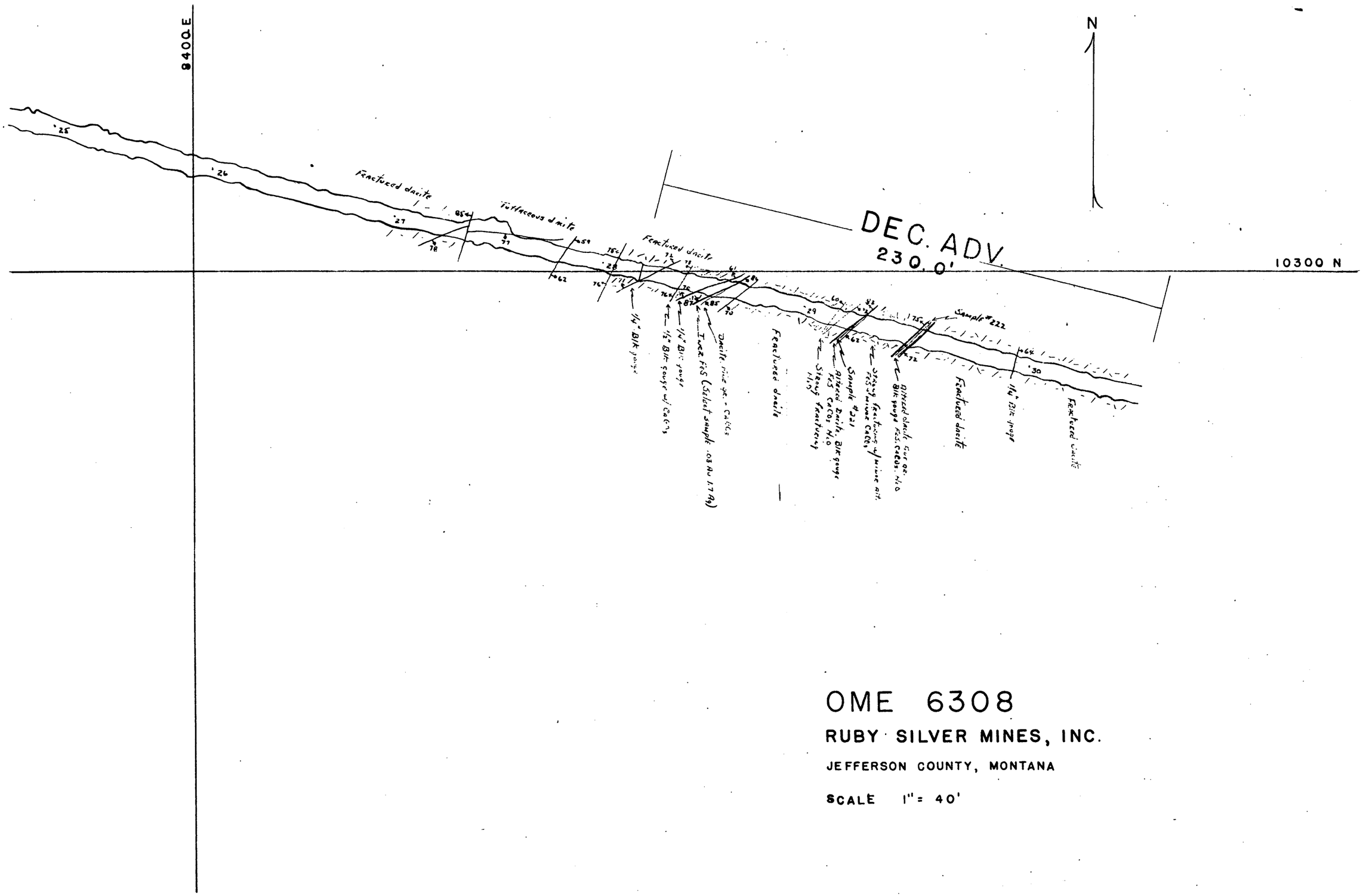
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OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

Docket No. OME-6308
Contract No.
14-23-090- 2182
Contract Amount $ 132,800
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 66,400
Mineral(s) Gold-Silver

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of NOVEMBER 1964

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Address 3 South Excelsior Ave., Butte, Montana

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	9937.00	28576.00	38513.00			
Drilling						
Timbering	50.40	1180.20	1230.60			
Slabbing	228.00	681.00	909.00			
(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		12.50	12.50			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	10215.40	30449.70	40665.10	10,215.40	30,449.70	40,665.10

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

Date 12/9/64 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per William W. Wittmuss Title Supt.

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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:

$ 5,107.70

Signature [illegible]
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 12/17/64 Vou. No. 904-1

(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. 2192

Signature D. W. Zachariasen Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date DEC 14 1964

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature D. W. Zachariasen Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date DEC 14 1964

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The Operator submits the original and ~~four~~ three 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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OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of November 1964 Docket No. OME-6308

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. Contract No. 14-23-090-2182

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	Feet	261.5	1013.5	38513.00	261.5	1013.5	38,513.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
Other Underground Timber	Feet	6.0	146.5	1230.60	6	146.5	1,230.60
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Slabbing	cu. ft.	456.0	1818.0	909.00	456	1818	909.00
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				12.50			12.50
TOTAL TO DATE *(per MME Form 60)*				40665.10			40,665.10

REMARKS

See attached narrative report

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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 12/9/64 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per William W. Nutwuffer Title Supt.

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

Signature D. R. MacLaren

Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I
Government Representative

Date DEC 14 1964

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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December 9, 1964

November 1964 Progress Report (OME - 6308)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine, Jefferson County, Montana

During November 1964, the 600 level crosscut (Lowland Tunnel) at the Ruby Mine was advanced 261.5 feet to portal plus 1237.5 feet. A car turnout was made requiring the removal of 456 cubic feet of rock, and 6.0 feet of timber were installed in the crosscut.

The advance for the month was in dacite and tuffaceous dacite. The dacite was badly fractured and, in some instances, contained considerable water. A considerable amount of iron pyrite occurs along the fracture joints with minor amounts occuring in the dacite.

At survey station 27 plus 29.0 feet tuffaceous dacite was again encountered. This newly encountered tuffaceous dacite contains more quartz than previously noted in similar material, along with pyrite and minor amounts of calcite.

No samples were taken during the month.

William W. Wittmeyer

William W. Wittmeyer
Superintendent

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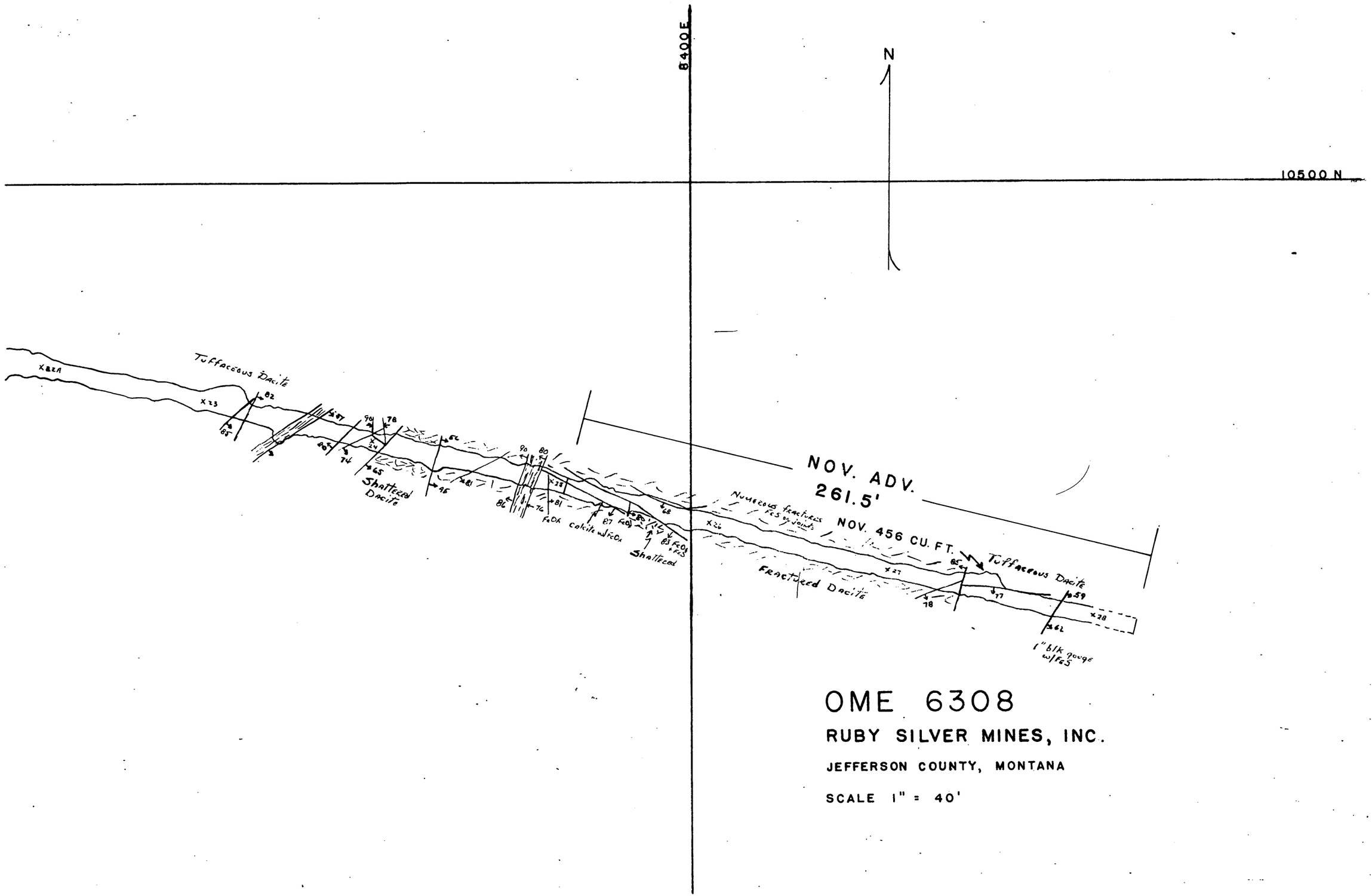

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RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, MONTANA

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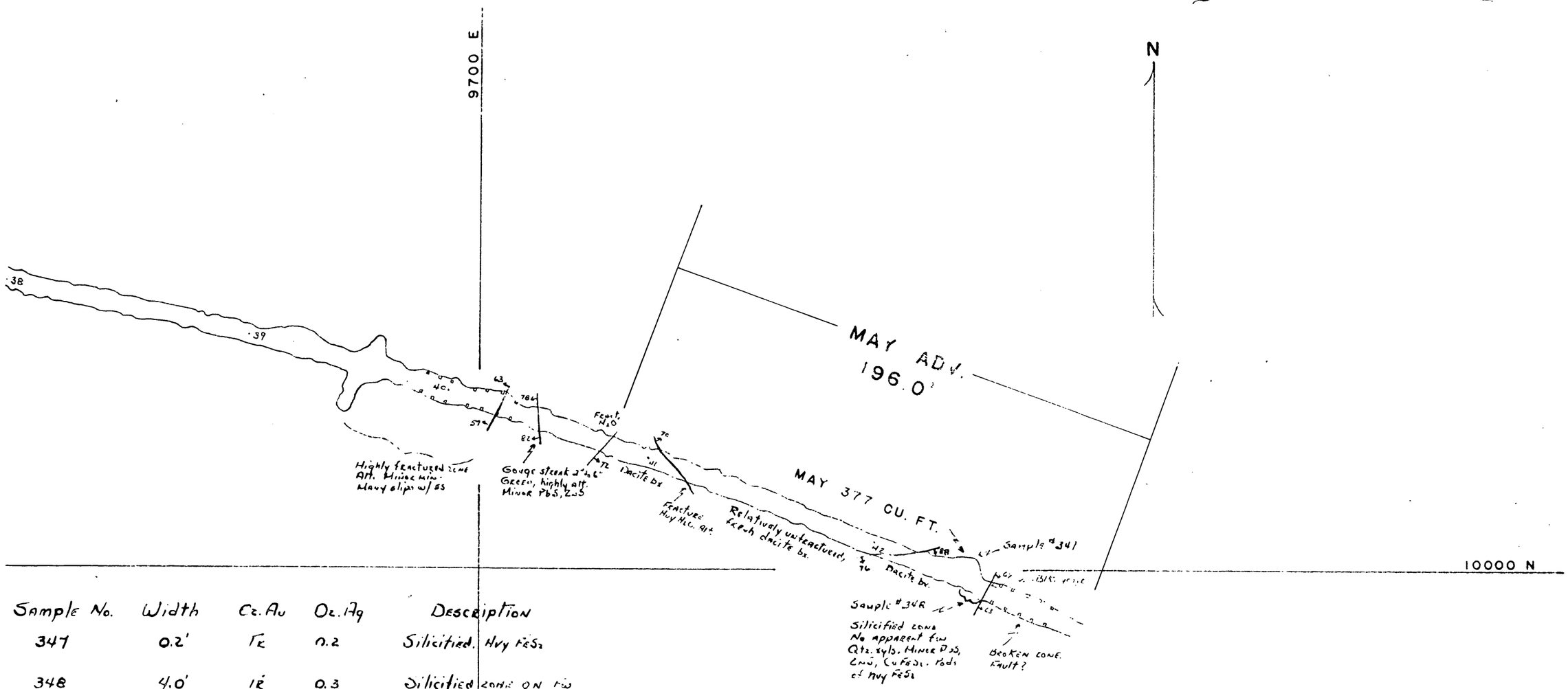

Sample No.	Width	Oz. Au	Oz. Ag	Description
341	0.2'	Tr	0.2	Silicified. Hvy FeS2
348	4.0'	Tr	0.3	Silicified zone on fw of blk. gouge streak

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RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, MONTANA

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Docket No. OME-6308
Contract No.
14-23-090- 2182
Contract Amount $ 132,800
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 66,400
Mineral(s) Gold-Silver

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of October 1964

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Address 3 So. Excelsior Ave., Butte, Montana

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	9462.00	19114.00	28576.00			
Drilling						
Timbering	306.60	873.60	1180.20			
Slabbing	283.00	398.00	681.00			
(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	2.50	10.00	12.50			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	10054.10	20395.60	30449.70	10,054.10	20,395.60	30,449.70

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

Date 11/11/64 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per William N Wetherefu Title Supt.

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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:

$ 5,027.05

Signature [illegible]
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 11/25/64 Vou. No. 751

(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. 2182

Signature D.R. MacBaren Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date NOV 18 1964

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature D.R. MacBaren Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date NOV 18 1964

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The Operator submits the original and ~~four~~ three 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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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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OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of October 1964 Docket No. OME-6308

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. Contract No. 14-23-090- 2182

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	Feet	249.0	752.0	28576.00	249.0	752.0	28,576.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
Other Underground Timber	Feet	36.5	140.5	1180.20	36.5	140.5	1,180.20
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Slabbing	cu ft.	566.0	1362.0	681.00	566.0	1362.0	681.00
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				12.50			12.50
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				30449.70			30,449.70

REMARKS

See attached narrative report.

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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 11/11/64 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per William W. Wittmeier Title Supt.

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Signature D. D. MacBaren

Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I
Government Representative

Date NOV 18 1964

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ASSAYERS

HORACE HAND, OWNER-MANAGER
RES. PHONE 442-0696

PHONE 442-3770
46 SOUTH MAIN ST.
P. O. BOX 537

Helena, Montana

ASSAYED FOR

Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

HAND SAMPLE

DESCRIPTION	GOLD OZS PER TON	SILVER OZS PER TON	WET LEAD PER CENT	COPPER PER CENT	ZINC PER CENT	INSOL. PER CENT	PER CENT	PER CENT
111	Trace	0.2		None				

*Gold not deducted

Charges $ 5.00

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By Horace Hand

November 11,1964

October 1964 Progress Report (OME-6308)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine, Jefferson County, Montana

During October 1964, the 600 level crosscut (Lowland Tunnel) at the Ruby Mine was advanced 249.0 feet to portal plus 976.0 feet. A car turnout was made requiring the removal of 566 cubic feet of rock, and 36.5 feet of timber were installed in the crosscut.

As previously reported, the tunnel has been advancing through dacite. However, at survey station 24 plus 7.0 feet a distinct lithological change ocurred. Previous to this point; the rock might be described tuffaceous dacite. At station 24 plus 7.0 feet, the tunnel encountered dacite showing the porphyritic texture, quartz crystals, and glassy feldspars embeided in a light grey groundmass typical of the rock near the Ruby Mine and so described in the literature. Considerable medium to fine grained pyrite occurs on the fractures and imbedded in this rock.

A very heavy flow of water was encountered in a structure, striking North 55° East and dipping 57° to the southeast, at station 23 plus 40.0 feet. Beyond this point, considerable water has been encountered in all the joints and minor faults crossing the tunnel.

One sample was taken in September and reported in this month's Progress Report. Results were as follows:

Sample No.	Location	Width	Oz. gold	Oz. silver
111	Sta.20+36.5' to 40.0'	3.5'	tr.	0.2

William W. Wittmeyer
Superintendent
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

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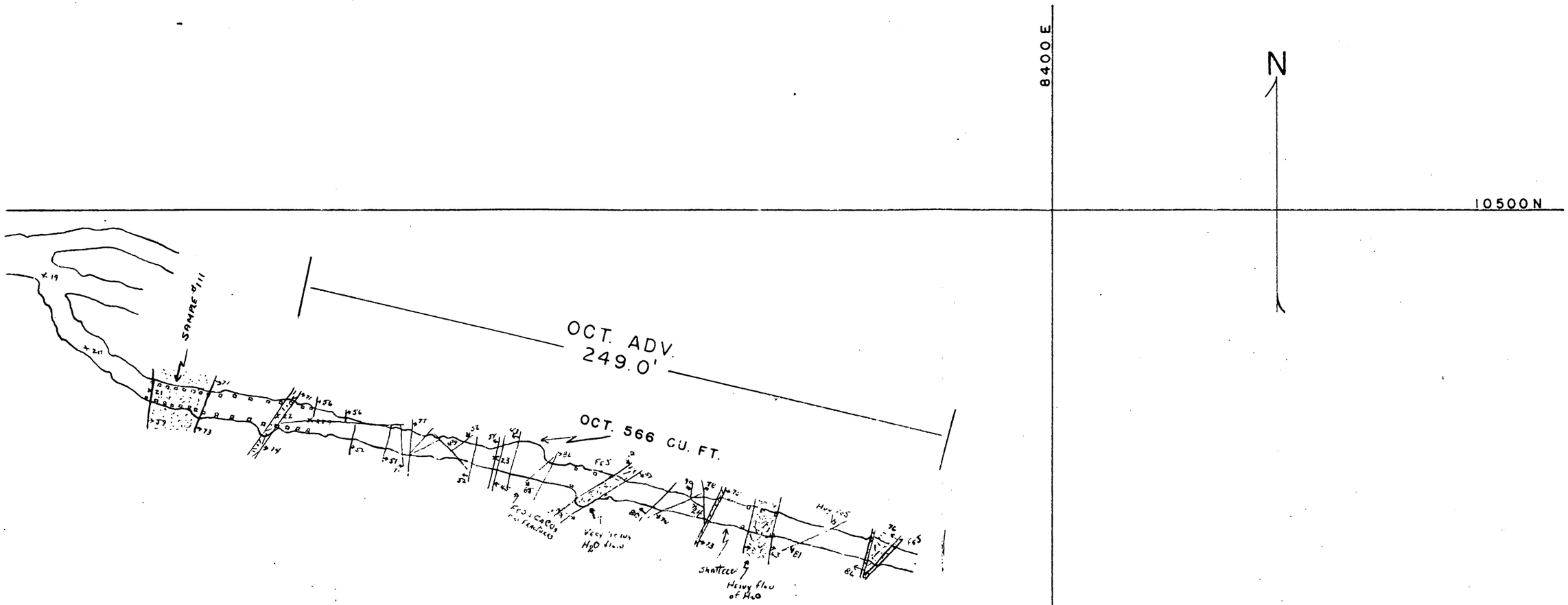

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RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, MONTANA

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Docket No. OME-6308
Contract No.
14-23-090- 2182
Contract Amount $ 132,800.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 66,400.00
Mineral(s) Gold-Silver

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of September 1964

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Address 3 So. Excelsior Ave., Butte, Montana

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	5472.00	13642.00	19114.00			
Drilling						
Timbering	504.00	369.60	873.60			
Slabbing	0.00	398.00	398.00			
(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	0.00	10.00	10.00			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	5976.00	14419.60	20395.60	5,976.00	14,419.60	20,395.60

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

Date 10/8/64 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per William N. Neffmann Title Supt

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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:

$ 2,988.00

Signature BAB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 10/20/64 Vou. No. 518-3

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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. 2182

Signature [illegible] Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date OCT 14 1964

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

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OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT

For Month of September 1964 Docket No. OME-6308

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. Contract No. 14-23-090-2182

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Drifting							
Crosscutting	feet	144.0	503.0	19114.00	144	503	19,114.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
Other Underground Timber	feet	60.0	104.0	873.60	60	104	873.60
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Slabbing	cu. ft.	0.0	796.0	398.00	—	796	398.00
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				10.00			10.00
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				20395.60			20,395.60

REMARKS

Ground conditions still causing considerable difficulties. See narrative report.

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REMARKS

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Date 10/8/64 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per William W. Wittenfen Title Supt.

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Signature D. A. Macharen

Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I
Government Representative

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October 7, 1964

September 1964 Progress Report (OM-6308)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine, Jefferson County, Montana

During September the 600 level crosscut (Lowland Tunnel) at the Ruby Mine was advanced 144.0 feet with 60.0 feet of the crosscut requiring timber.

The crosscut was advanced 38.0 feet to portal plus 669.0 feet following the new heading that was started in August and described in the August Progress Report. At portal plus 653.0 feet, the fault that had caused the loss of the original heading was encountered. Short rounds, using a minimum of powder were shot, mucked, and immediately timbered. However, when the heading reached portal plus 669.0 feet, the crosscut caved and a greater flow of water was encountered than had been present in the original heading. Again an attempt was made to spile through the cave but the combination of water and caving ground prevented any advance.

As the flow of water in the original heading was less than that encountered in the new heading, three shifts were spent in another attempt to advance this heading. However, the inability to stop the flow of water saturated ground from around the spiling continued, and the attempt was abandoned.

At survey station 19, a new heading was started. At portal plus 673.5 feet, the fault was again encountered. We advanced into the fault by mucking out the ground for timber and using no powder. Sets were placed on approximately 30 inch centers. Using this method, we advanced 52 feet to the hanging wall of the fault which was found to be saturated with water. To the east of the fault, the ground is very badly fractured, requiring timber. Total advance in this heading was 108.0 feet to portal plus 727.0 feet.

All work for the month was in dacite. An increase in pyrite on the footwall side of the fault and in the fault zone was noted, with considerable pyrite present along the joints in the fractured area on the hanging wall side of the fault.

William W. Wittmeyer

William W. Wittmeyer
Superintendent
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

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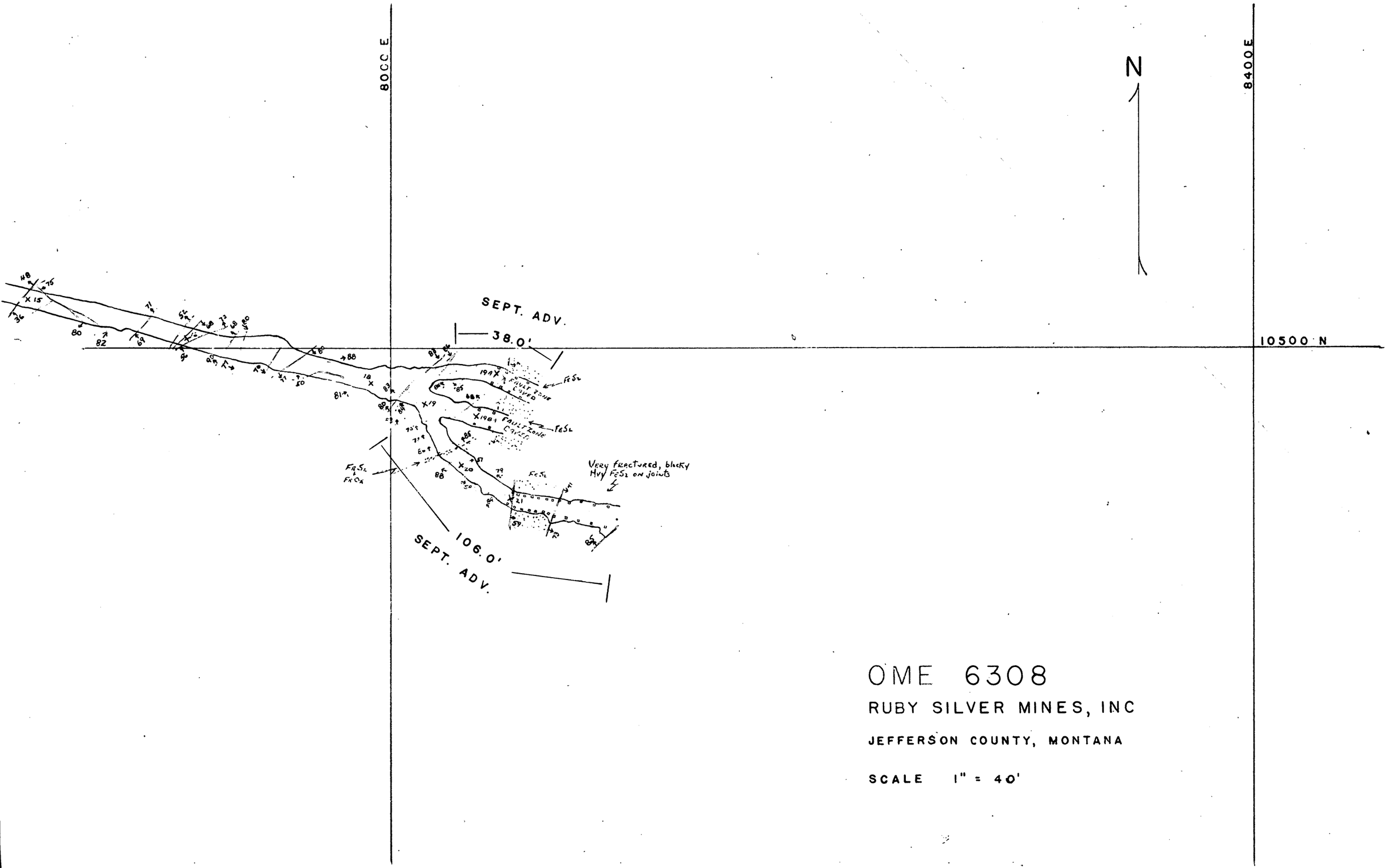

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RUBY SILVER MINES, INC

JEFFERSON COUNTY, MONTANA

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Docket No. OME-6308
Contract No.
14-23-090- 2182
Contract Amount $ 132,800
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 66,400
Mineral(s) Gold-Silver

OPERATOR'S MONTHLY VOUCHER

For Month of August 1964

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Address 3 South Excelsior Ave., Butte, Montana

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	5738.00	7904.00	13642.00			
Drilling						
Timbering	58.80	310.80	369.60			
Slabbing	398.00	0.00	398.00			
(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	10.00	0.00	10.00			
Payroll Taxes						
Employee's Liability Ins.						
TOTALS	6204.80	8214.80	14419.60	6,204.80	8,214.80	14,419.60

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

Date Sept. 14, 1964 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per William N. Nuthuerfer Title Supt

* 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:

$ 3,102.40

Signature BNB
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 9/23/64 Vou. No. 391-4

(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. 2182

Signature D R Macbaren Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date SEP 1 6 1964

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

Signature D R Macbaren Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date SEP 1 6 1964

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~~ three 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).

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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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OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of August 1964 Docket No. OME-6308

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. Contract No. 14-23-090-2182

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					L		
Crosscutting	feet	151.0	359.0	13642.00	151	359	13,642.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
Other Underground timber	feet	7.0	44.0	369.60	7	44	369.60
Drilling, Core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Drilling, Non-core-Diamond							
Rotary							
Churn							
Percussion							
Miscellaneous Slabbing	cu. ft.	796.0	796.0	398.00	796	796	398.00
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				10.00			10.00
TOTAL TO DATE (per MME Form 60)				14419.60			14,419.60

REMARKS

Considerable difficulty was encountered with a water saturated fault zone. See narrative report.

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REMARKS

L 124 ft to cave plus 27 ft of by-pass are approved.

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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. 14, 1964 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per William W. Nutmeyer Title Supt.

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

Signature D. H. Wadsworth

Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I
Government Representative

Date SEP 16 1964

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS *(Cont.)*

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P.O. BOX [illegible]

Helena, Montana AUG 4 - 1964

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[illegible] Wilde

HAND SAMPLE

DESCRIPTION		GOLD OZ. PER TON	SILVER OZ. PER TON	[illegible]	[illegible] PER CENT	[illegible] PER CENT	[illegible] PER CENT	PER CENT	PER CENT	
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[illegible] = [illegible] on south wall	[illegible]	Trace	0.2	2.7 ft	Alt. [illegible] with minor [illegible]					
[illegible] @ [illegible] ft " " "	30	Trace	Trace	1.1 ft	" " in [illegible] in face					
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*Gold not detected

Charges $12.00

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September 14, 1964

August 1964 Progress Report (OME-6308)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine, Jefferson County, Montana

During August the 600 level crosscut (Lowland Tunnel) at the Ruby Mine was advanced 151.0 feet. A car turnout was made requiring the removal of 796 cu. ft. of rock, and 7 feet of timber were installed in the crosscut.

The crosscut was advanced to portal plus 644.0 feet where a fault was encountered. The fault was composed of soft, highly altered dacite with appreciable iron pyrite. We advanced 13.0 feet into the fault zone to portal plus 657.0 feet without encountering any difficulty. At this point, when the miners began drilling, the back of the drift began to sluff. Timbering was started back of the fault and a seven foot set installed. By this time, the 13 feet to the face was caving badly and had become too dangerous to continue timbering. It was decided to allow the zone to cave full and then spile through it. This was done and the first set of spiling was driven in approximately 10 feet. When the muck was being removed from under the spiling, the area caving above the crosscut apparently reached a water course, as a sudden inrush of water was encountered. Two days were spent in trying to continue the spiling but the altered rock had become so saturated that it flowed out from in front of the spiling causing the caving to continue until the weight of the cave broke the spiling. We did not beleive it was practical to continue the heading as the area was taking so much weight, it was becoming hazardous to the miners safety. The advance for this portion of the work was 121.0 feet.

A new heading was started at survey station No. 18 in order to go around the caved area. This portion of the work was advanced to portal plus 631.0 feet for an advance of 27.0 feet.

All work for the month continued to be in dacite. Four samples were taken to test some altered and fractured areas. Results are as follows:

Sample No.	Location	Width	Oz. gold	Oz. Silver
928	Sta. 15 minus 16.2' to 17.6'	1.4'	tr	0.5
929	Sta. 15 8.2' to 11.3'	2.7	tr	0.2
930	Sta. 15 plus 29'	1.1	tr	tr
931	Sta. ~~15~~ 14 " 38' to 44'	6.0	tr.	tr

William W. Wittmeyer

William W. Wittmeyer
Supt.
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

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Docket No. OME - 6308
Contract No.
14-23-090- 2182
Contract Amount $ 132,800.00
Gov't. Participation % 50 $ 66,400.00
Mineral(s) Gold - Silver

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For Month of July 1964

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	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE	MONTHLY TOTAL	PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	TOTALS TO DATE
Fixed Unit Costs and						
(1) Independent Contracts:						
Bulldozing						
Drifting						
Crosscutting	$ 790.00	0.00	$ 790.00			
Drilling						
TIMBERING	$ 310.80	0.00	$ 310.80			
(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	$ 8214.80	0.00	$ 8214.80	8,214.80	-0-	8,214.80

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

Date Aug. 12, 1964 *Payee Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Wittmer Title Supt.

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

$ 4107.40

Signature B.L.B.
(Authorized Certifying Officer)

Date 9/1/64 Vou. No. 399-1

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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. 2182

Signature D.R. Mackaven Title Acting Field Officer, Reg. I Date AUG 26 1964

Approved by OME Executive Officer or Alternate:

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OPERATOR'S PROGRESS REPORT For Month of July 1964 Docket No. OME-6308

Operator's Name Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. Contract No. 14-23-090-2182

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	feet	208.0	208.0	7904.00	208	208	7904.00
Raising							
Shafts							
Winzes							
Other Underground timber	feet	37.0	37.0	310.80	37	37	310.80
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)				$8214.80			$8219.00

REMARKS OME-6308 project was started on July 1, 1964. The starting point of the contract was 325.0 feet inside the portal of the Lowland (600 level) tunnel of the Ruby Mine.

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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 12, 1964 Operator Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Per Wm. N. Nuffmuller Title Supt.

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Signature [illegible]

Title Acting Field Officer Reg. I
Government Representative

Date AUG 26 1964

(INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

REMARKS (Cont.)

Crosscutting advanced the tunnel to portal + 533.0 feet for a 208.0 foot advance for the month of July 1964. Timbered support was necessary for 37.0 feet of this advance.

Water, encountered in the various fractures, rapidly dried up as the crosscut advanced.

REMARKS (Cont.)

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July, 1964 Progress Report (OME-6308)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine, Jefferson County, Montana

During the month of July, this project advanced 208 feet.

The face of the adit is now at portal plus 533 feet since the former work, not under OME, stopped at portal plus 325 feet. This latter location is the starting point for the OME-6308 project.

As shown in the 40 scale plan map enclosed, the adit is progressing through various types of pyroclastics and dacite. The latter is predominating as the work progresses.

There are a number of structures in the new advance. Most of them are of small displacement. The only mineralization found was a wide spread partial alteration of the country rock that deposited minor amounts of fine grained pyrite throughout the length of the advance.

37 feet of the July advance was timbered during the month.

No ore was found, and no samples were taken.

Walter E. Bauer

Walter E. Bauer
Geologist

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Operators Narrative Report June 1964

Docket No. O. M. E. 6308 Contract 14 - 23 - 090 - 2182

Operator: Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

Operations began at the Ruby Mine on June 10, 1964.

During the month of June, no work was completed under the O. M. E. contract. ~~This week~~ Operations completed consisted of moving in equipment, installing and repairing equipment, renovating mine buildings, installing track and pipe in mine yard and existing part of 600 level tunnel.

William W. Wittmeyer

William W. Wittmeyer, Supt.

Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

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For royalty payment of $182.62, dated 1/28/66, see transmittal letter file.

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EXPLORATION CONTRACT
RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.
OME-6308

AMENDMENT NO. 1

It is agreed this 18th day of August, 1965, between the United States of America, acting through the Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, hereinafter called the "Government," and Ruby Silver Mines, Inc., hereinafter called the "Operator," that Exploration Contract 2182 (OME-6308), dated January 31, 1964, is amended as follows:

1. The time fixed by the contract for the completion of the work is extended from 18 to 24 months from the date of the contract, or until January 31, 1966.

2. The maximum period for royalty payments and for the lien to secure payments thereof provided for in the contract is extended 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 contract, the aggregate amount which the Government may be required to contribute, nor the fixed unit cost of any item of work.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By Frank E. Johnson
Chief, Office of Minerals Exploration, U. S. Geological Survey

RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.

By [illegible] Pres.

MME Form 14
March 1961

No. 207

Contract No. Idm-E) 14-23) 2102

Docket No. DMEA) MME) 6308

Date of Action June 3, 1964
Executed 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

Please enter the amounts shown below on the accounts of the Office of Minerals Exploration.

Name and Address of Contractor:

Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
553 First Security Building
Salt Lake City 11, Utah

Date of Contract	Region	State	Commodity
January 31, 1964	I	Montana	Gold-Silver

	Reserve	Obligation
Prior Amount	$56,400.00	0
Increase	0	$56,400.00
Decrease	$56,400.00	0
Revised Amount	0	$56,400.00

Remarks:

$6\frac{1}{4}$% interest

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

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EXPLORATION CONTRACT
(Short Form)

Docket No.	Commodity	Contract No.	County	State
OME -6308	Gold-Silver	14-23-090- 2182	Jefferson	Montana

It is agreed JAN 31 1964 (Date), between the United States of America, acting through the Department of the Interior, Office of Minerals Exploration, hereinafter called the "Government," and

Ruby Silver Mines, Inc., a Nevada Corporation,

whose mailing address is 863 First Security Building, Salt Lake City 11, Utah, hereinafter called the "Operator," as follows:

ARTICLE 1. 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 June 15, 1964 (Date), and, subject to the provisions of Article 7 and Exhibit A, shall complete the work within 18 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 $132,800.00 The Government will contribute 50 percent of the total fixed unit costs of the work performed, not in excess of $ 66,400.00 in accordance with the provisions of Articles 4 and 5.

(c) Interest computation.-- Simple interest at the rate of 6 ¼ 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:

See Annex I

(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:

See Annex I

(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 four 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 three 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 two 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. **(SEE ANNEX I)**

(c) Payment of royalty.--(1) The Government's royalty shall be five percent of the 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 or producer)), shall be allowed as deductions in arriving at the "gross proceeds" as that term is used herein. No costs of the Operator or producer 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 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 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 or producer shall give notice of the Government's claim for royalty to any purchaser of the production, and shall authorize and direct such pruchaser 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 or producer.

(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 Employment.--The provisions respecting nondiscrimination in employment which are required by section 301 of Executive Order 10925, dated March 6, 1961, as amended and supplemented, are attached hereto as Exhibit B and are hereby incorporated in and made a part of this contract.

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 of the Interior. 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. Work Hours Act of 1962 - Overtime Compensation.--This contract, to the extent that it is of a character specified in the Work Hours Act of 1962 (Public Law 87-581, 76 Stat. 357-360) and is not covered by the Walsh-Healey Public Contracts Act (41 U.S.C. 35-45), is subject to the following provisions and to all other provisions and exceptions of said Work Hours Act of 1962.

(a) Overtime requirements.--No Operator or subcontractor contracting for any part of the contract work which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics shall require or permit any laborer or mechanic to be employed on such work in excess of eight hours in any calendar day or in excess of forty hours in any workweek unless such laborer or mechanic receives compensation at a rate of not less than one and one-half times his basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of eight hours in any such calendar day or in excess of forty hours in any such workweek, as the case may be.

(b) Violations; liability for unpaid wages; liquidated damages.--In the event of any violation of the clause set forth in subparagraph (a) of this paragraph, the Operator and any subcontractor responsible therefor shall be liable to any affected employee for his unpaid wages. In addition, such Operator and subcontractor shall be liable to the United States (in the case of work done under contract for the District of Columbia or a territory, to such District or to such territory), for liquidated damages. Such liquidated damages shall be computed, with respect to each individual laborer or mechanic employed in violation of the clause set forth in subparagraph (a) of this paragraph, in the sum of $10 for each calendar day on which such employee was required or permitted to work in excess of eight hours or in excess of the standard workweek of forty hours without payment of the overtime wages required by the clause set forth in subparagraph (a) of this paragraph.

(c) Withholding for unpaid wages and liquidated damages.--The Office of Minerals Exploration may withhold or cause to be withheld, from any moneys payable on account of work performed by the Operator or subcontractor, such sums as may administratively be determined to be necessary to satisfy any liabilities of such Operator or subcontractor for unpaid wages and liquidated damages as provided in the clause set forth in subparagraph (b) of this paragraph.

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.

Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
(Operator)

By David H. Clegg

Title President

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By Grace Tunnell

I, Marjorie B. Thompson (Name), certify that I am the Assistant Secretary secretary of the corporation named as Operator herein; that David H. Clegg (Name), who signed this contract on behalf of the Operator, was then President (Title) of said corporation; that said contract was duly signed for and in behalf of said corporation by authority of its governing body, and is within the scope of its corporate powers.

Marjorie B. Thompson

[CORPORATE SEAL]

INT.-DUP. SEC., WASH., D.C. 31011

EXPLORATION CONTRACT
RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.
OME-6308

ANNEX I

The land referred to in Article 2 of the contract consists of seven (7) patented and thirteen (13) unpatented lode mining claims, including all rights pertaining thereto, in secs. 2, 11, and 12, T. 5 N., R. 7 E. Montana Meridian, Lowland mining district (unorganized), Jefferson County, Montana.

Recording data for the patented claims are as follows:

Claim	Survey No.
Ruby	2286 A
Ruby Millsite	2286 B
Columbia	5838
Millsite Lode	5200
Ruby Fraction	6806
Adelheid	5199
Kavana	5230

The unpatented claims are recorded in Jefferson County Courthouse, Boulder, Montana, as follows:

Claim	Book	Page
Triplet	50	179
Triplet No. 2	50	181
Lowland	50	183
Lowland No. 2	50	185
Lowland No. 3	50	387

Claim	Book	Page
Lowland No. 4	90	389
Lowland No. 5	90	391
Ruby No. 2	90	187
Ruby No. 3	90	189
Ruby No. 4	90	385
June	90	177
June No. 2	90	381
June No. 3	90	383

The outer boundary of the claim group is shown in green on Figure 6, entitled, "Ruby Silver Mines, Inc., Ruby Area - - -," attached hereto and made part hereof. The patented Ruby Fraction No. 6206 and the unpatented claims are owned by the Operator.

The Ruby, Ruby Millsite, Columbia, and Millsite patented claims are owned by the First National Bank of Butte, Montana. Under a Lease and Option, dated January 30, 1960, Frank Benich was granted rights to the claims. This Lease and Option was assigned by Frank Benich and Mary Benich, his wife, on June 20, 1960, to Butte Gold Mines, Inc. (now Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.).

Lien and Subordination Agreements executed by Frank and Mary Benich, and a Lien or Subordination Agreement executed by the First National Bank of Butte are attached hereto and made part hereof. Because the Bank's agreement is limited to a maximum period of twelve (12) years, additional protection of the Government's interest is guaranteed in the form of a letter agreement executed December 27, 1963 by an authorized representative of the New Park Mining Company and the East Utah Mining Company. This guaranty is attached hereto and made part hereof.

The Operator has rights to the Havana and Adelheid patented claims under the terms of a Lease and Option, dated December 30, 1960, granted by Phillip W. Kountz and Jane Kountz, husband and wife.

A Lien or Subordination Agreement executed on January 15, 1964 by Phillip and Jane Kountz is attached.

A special "Agreement Concerning Royalty" is added as follows:

"Notwithstanding the certification provisions of Article 6, and with no further action required on the part of the Government, the Operator, as principal if the Operator is the producer, or as surety if the Operator is not the producer, or his successor, shall pay to the Government a royalty on any production, regardless of origin, that is transported through any new workings to the cost of which the Government has contributed, or any portion of said workings, for the same period as is described in Article 6(b)(2) of the contract and pursuant to the terms of Article 6(c) et seq. However, in no event shall more than one royalty be due or paid on the same production.

"In the event that production from outside the boundaries of the land described in Article 2 is transported through the workings described above, and neither the Operator nor any subsidiary or affiliate thereof has an interest in said production, the Government shall be paid by the Operator the final rate of 5 percent of the total transportation charges received by the Operator."

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

FOR GOVERNMENT USE ONLY	
Operator	
Docket No. OME –	
Contract No. 14-23-090 –	2182
Contract Date	JAN 31 1964

LIEN AND SUBORDINATION AGREEMENTS[1]

To the United States of America:

That certain land in the County of Jefferson, State of Montana,

described as follows:[2] situated in Sections 2, 11, 12, T. 5 N., R. 7 W., MPM

Ruby Patented Lode Mining Claim	Survey No.	2286 A
Ruby Millsite Patented Lode Mining Claim	" "	2286 B
Columbia Patented Lode Mining Claim	" "	3238
Mill Site " " " "	" "	5200

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

Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.[3]

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 upon 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]~~ 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.[4]

2. Undertakes and agrees that property in which the Government may acquire an interest or equity under the Contract may be dismantled, severed from the land, and removed as may be provided in the Contract; and the Government's interest and equity in such property shall be prior and superior to any adverse right or claim of the undersigned.

3. Represents and undertakes that there is no claim, lien, or encumbrance upon the undersigned's right, title, claim, or interest in or against the land other than the following: (If "none" insert the word "none". Do not leave blank.)

Lease and option (1-30-60)

Assigned to Butte Gold Mines, Inc., now Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

(6-20-60)

1/ Production from the land is not required, and in the absence of production there is no obligation to pay royalty to the Government.

2/ Either (a) insert the legal description of the land, or (b) strike out the words "as follows" and insert "in a lease /or contract, deed, or other document/ dated_____, and recorded in Book_____, Page____, official records of said county". If (b) is used, the book and page of recordation must be inserted above. If the space provided is insufficient, use an Annex and refer to the Annex in the space.

3/ Insert name exactly as it appears in the Application MME Form 40.

4/ Subparagraph 1(a) does not apply to the holder of a claim, lien, or encumbrance.

4. Undertakes and agrees (a) neither to commit any act nor assert any claim in conflict with the provisions of this Agreement; and (b) to give advance notice of the Government's rights under this agreement to any subsequent transferee, mortgagee, encumbrancer, or lessee of any of the undersigned's right, title, claim, or interest in or against the land or any production therefrom, furnishing the Government with two true copies of such notice; and

5. Consents to all amendments (including an agreement of termination) and assignments of the Contract without notice thereof, and undertakes and agrees that this agreement shall extend and apply thereto.

6. Added provisions None (State "None" or "See Annex No. ____".)

Dated this 30 day of September, 19 63.

Frank Benich		814 Waukesha	(Street)
Frank Benich	(Seal)	Butte, Montana	(City & State)
Mary Benich		814 Waukesha	(Street)
Mary Benich	(Seal)	Butte, Montana	(City & State)
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			(Street)
	(Seal)		(City & State)
			(Street)
	(Seal)		(City & State)
			(Street)
	(Seal)		(City & State)

I, _____ (Name), certify that I am the _____ (Title—Secretary, etc.) of the corporation named herein; that _____ (Name), who signed this agreement 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)

MME Form 52
June, 1961

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

FOR GOVERNMENT USE ONLY	
Operator	
Docket No. OME –	
Contract No. 14-23-090 –	2182
Contract Date	JAN 31 196

LIEN OR SUBORDINATION AGREEMENT 1/

To the United States of America:

That certain land in the County of Jefferson, State of Montana,

described as follows: 2/ Situated in Sections 2, 11, 12, T. 5 N., R. 7 W., MPM

Ruby Patented Lode Mining Claim Survey No. 2286 A
Ruby Elliolto Patented Lode Mining Claim " " 2286 B
Columbia Patented Lode Mining Claim " " 3238
Mill Site " " " " " " 5200

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Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. 3/

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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 upon 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) ~~Being 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. 4/

2. Undertakes and agrees that property in which the Government may acquire an interest or equity under the Contract may be dismantled, severed from the land, and removed as may be provided in the Contract; and the Government's interest and equity in such property shall be prior and superior to any adverse right or claim of the undersigned.

3. Represents and undertakes that there is no claim, lien, or encumbrance upon the undersigned's right, title, claim, or interest in or against the land other than the following: (If "none" insert the word "none". Do not leave blank.)

Lease and option (1-30-60)

assigned to Butte Gold Mines, Inc., now Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

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5. Consents to all amendments (including an agreement of termination) and assignments of the Contract without notice thereof, and undertakes and agrees that this agreement shall extend and apply thereto; provided that in no event shall the duration of this lien exceed eight years beyond the completion of the project, nor twelve years after the date hereof.

6. Added provisions None (State "None" or "See Annex No. ____".)

Dated this 13th day of September, 19 63.

APPLICANT SHOULD NOT SIGN

		First National Bank of Butte (a corporation)	(Street) (City & State)
_____	(Seal)	_____	
		By: Irving H. Bolitho	(Street) (City & State)
		Irving H. Bolitho, President	
_____	(Seal)	_____	
		_____	(Street) (City & State)
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		_____	(Street) (City & State)
_____	(Seal)	_____	
		_____	(Street) (City & State)
_____	(Seal)	_____	

I, S. F. Martin (Name), certify that I am the Vice President-Cashier (Title—Secretary, etc.) of the corporation named herein; that Irving H. Bolitho (Name), who signed this agreement was then President (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.

S. F. Martin

(Corporate Seal)

(First National Bank of Butte)

MME Form 52
June, 1961

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION

OR GOVERNMENT USE ONLY
Operator
Docket No. OME –
Contract No. 14-23-090 – 2182
Contract Date JAN 31 1964

LIEN OR SUBORDINATION AGREEMENT 1/

To the United States of America:

That certain land in the County of Jefferson, State of Montana,

described as follows: 2/ situated in Section 11, T. 5 N., R. 7 W., M.P.M.

The Havana lode mining claim Survey No. 5230

The Adelheid lode mining claim Survey No. 5199

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

Ruby Silver Mines, Inc. 3/

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 upon 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) ~~Being the holder of a claim, lien, or encumbrance against the land,~~ XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX 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. 4/

2. Undertakes and agrees that property in which the Government may acquire an interest or equity under the Contract may be dismantled, severed from the land, and removed as may be provided in the Contract; and the Government's interest and equity in such property shall be prior and superior to any adverse right or claim of the undersigned.

3. Represents and undertakes that there is no claim, lien, or encumbrance upon the undersigned's right, title, claim, or interest in or against the land other than the following: (If "none" insert the word "none". Do not leave blank.)

Lease and option (12-30-60)

with Butte Gold Mines, Inc., now Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.

1/ Production from the land is not required, and in the absence of production there is no obligation to pay royalty to the Government.

2/ Either (a) insert the legal description of the land, or (b) strike out the words "as follows" and insert "in a lease [or contract, deed, or other document] dated_____, and recorded in Book_____, Page____, official records of said county". If (b) is used, the book and page of recordation must be inserted above. If the space provided is insufficient, use an Annex and refer to the Annex in the space.

3/ Insert name exactly as it appears in the Application MME Form 40.

4/ Subparagraph 1(a) does not apply to the holder of a claim, lien, or encumbrance.

4. Undertakes and agrees (a) neither to commit any act nor assert any claim in conflict with the provisions of this Agreement; and (b) to give advance notice of the Government's rights under this agreement to any subsequent transferee, mortgagee, encumbrancer, or lessee of any of the undersigned's right, title, claim, or interest in or against the land or any production therefrom, furnishing the Government with two true copies of such notice; and

5. Consents to all amendments (including an agreement of termination) and assignments of the Contract without notice thereof, and undertakes and agrees that this agreement shall extend and apply thereto.

6. Added provisions None (State "None" or "See Annex No._____".)

Dated this 15th day of January, 1964.

Phillip M. Kountz (Seal)		_____	(Street) (City & State)
Jane Kountz (Seal)		Whitehall, Montana	(Street) (City & State)
_____ (Seal)		Whitehall, Montana	(Street) (City & State)
_____ (Seal)		_____	(Street) (City & State)
_____ (Seal)		_____	(Street) (City & State)
_____ (Seal)		_____	(Street) (City & State)

ABSENT SHOULD NOT SIGN

I, _____ (Name), certify that I am the _____ (Title—Secretary, etc.) of the corporation named herein; that _____ (Name), who signed this agreement 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.

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(Corporate Seal)

INT.-DUP. SEC., WASH., D.C.
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EAST UTAH MINING COMPANY

NEW PARK MINING COMPANY

~~METROPOLITAN~~

SALT LAKE CITY OFFICE
863 First Security Building
Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

December 27, 1963

United States Department of the Interior
Office of Minerals Exploration
Washington 25, D. C.
Attention: Mr. George Fumick, Acting Director

Re: OME-6308 (Gold-Silver)
Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
Ruby Mine
Jefferson County, Montana

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letters of November 6 and December 12, 1963, re the above, please be advised that New Park Mining Company and East Utah Mining Company hereby guarantee the Government's royalty payments under the contract that may be executed, including amendments.

Yours very truly,

David M. Clegg
Secretary
New Park Mining Company
East Utah Mining Company

cc: Mr. D. R. MacLaren OME Active Field Officer

EXPLORATION CONTRACT
NEW SILVER MINES, INC.
OMM-6396

EXHIBIT A

The purpose of this project is to explore by driving a crosscut adit, drifting, and long-hole drilling, for gold-silver bearing ore bodies in fissure veins traversing a series of Tertiary dacite flows and breccias.

General Provisions

All significantly mineralized areas traversed by the adit, drifts, and auxiliary crosscuts shall be sampled by cutting channels normal to the trends of the deposits at intervals of not more than 10 feet. In addition, a representative bulk sample shall be taken of each round broken in significantly mineralized areas. During long-hole drilling cuttings showing significant mineralization shall be sampled. No long-hole sample shall represent more than 10 feet of the hole.

Samples from whatever source shall be split as necessary and then assayed for gold and silver. The Operator shall store one split of each sample in a suitable container properly identified as to source and location for Government inspection and possible use. With prior Government approval, the Operator may dispose of the stored samples.

True copies of assay certificates of all samples shall be submitted with the Operator's monthly reports, which shall also include maps or sketches showing the work completed during the reporting period. The maps should show the location and value of the samples and the general geological formations and structures traversed by the adit and drifts.

The Operator shall provide such supervisory and technical services as may be required to complete the work in a satisfactory manner.

No work under this contract shall be performed closer than 100 feet to the outer boundary of the project area.

The location, direction, and extent of each work item shall be subject to Government approval.

Description of the Work

From the present face of the 600 Level adit, continue the adit an estimated 1320 feet along the same bearing to traverse the Ruby vein structure at the projected center of the Ruby ore shoot. From the crosscut adit drift southeasterly to explore first the extent of the Ruby ore shoot and then the Bunding ore shoot. To reach the projected north end of the Bunding ore shoot from the adit crosscut will require an estimated 600 feet of drifting. The Bunding vein structure is in the hanging wall and parallel to the Ruby vein at distances ranging from 20 to 60 feet on the upper levels. It is anticipated these two vein structures may join at depth; however, if they have not formed a single vein structure on the 600 Level, the drift along the Ruby structure may be turned into the hanging wall to traverse and then follow the Bunding vein structure for an estimated 330 feet. The approximate location of the work is shown on Figure 6 referred to in Annex I.1/

To further explore for additional ore in the Ruby and Bunding vein structures, and possibly traverse other parallel veins, stations shall be excavated at 75-foot centers into each wall of the drift. From these stations an estimated 86 long holes shall be percussion drilled to an average depth of not more than 150 feet.

Under this contract not more than 2900 feet of crosscutting and drifting, 300 lineal feet of timbering, 29,000 cubic feet of slashing for long-hole stations,2/ and 3900 feet of long-hole percussion drilling shall be performed and, not more than 350 samples shall be assayed for their gold and silver content.

Estimated Costs of the Work

Fixed Unit Costs

2900 feet crosscutting and drifting @ $38.00/ft.	$110,200.00
300 feet timbering in crosscut and drift @ $8.40/ft.	2,520.00

1/ Add: Crosscuts and drifts shall be not less than 7' x 7' in the clear. ADW MTC

2/ Add: And car pass turnouts. ADW MTC

29,000 cubic feet of slabbing @ $0.50/cu. ft.	$14,500.00
3900 feet long hole drilling @ $1.20/ft.	4,680.00
360 samples assayed for gold and silver @ $2.50/sample	900.00
Total Estimated Cost of the Work	$132,800.00
Government Participation @ 50%	$66,400.00

EXHIBIT B

NONDISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT

(Section 301, Executive Order 10925, March 6, 1961, as amended)

'During the performance of 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 non-discrimination 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, as amended, 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, as amended, 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 noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this contract or with any of the said rules, regulations, or orders, this contract may be cancelled, terminated, or suspended 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, as amended, 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 paragraphs (1) through (7) 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, as amended, 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 noncompliance: 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.'"

MME Form 14
March 1961

No. 261

Contract No. Idm-E) 14-23) 2182

Docket No. DMEA) MME) 6308

Date of Action ~~January 31, 1964~~ Approved 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

Please enter the amounts shown below on the accounts of the Office of Minerals Exploration.

Name and Address of Contractor:

Ruby Silver Mines, Inc.
863 First Security Building
Salt Lake City 11, Utah

Date of Contract	Region	State	Commodity
January 31, 1964	I	Montana	Gold-Silver

	Reserve	Obligation
Prior Amount	0	0
Increase	$66,400.00	0
Decrease	0	0
Revised Amount	$66,400.00	0

Remarks:

6½% interest

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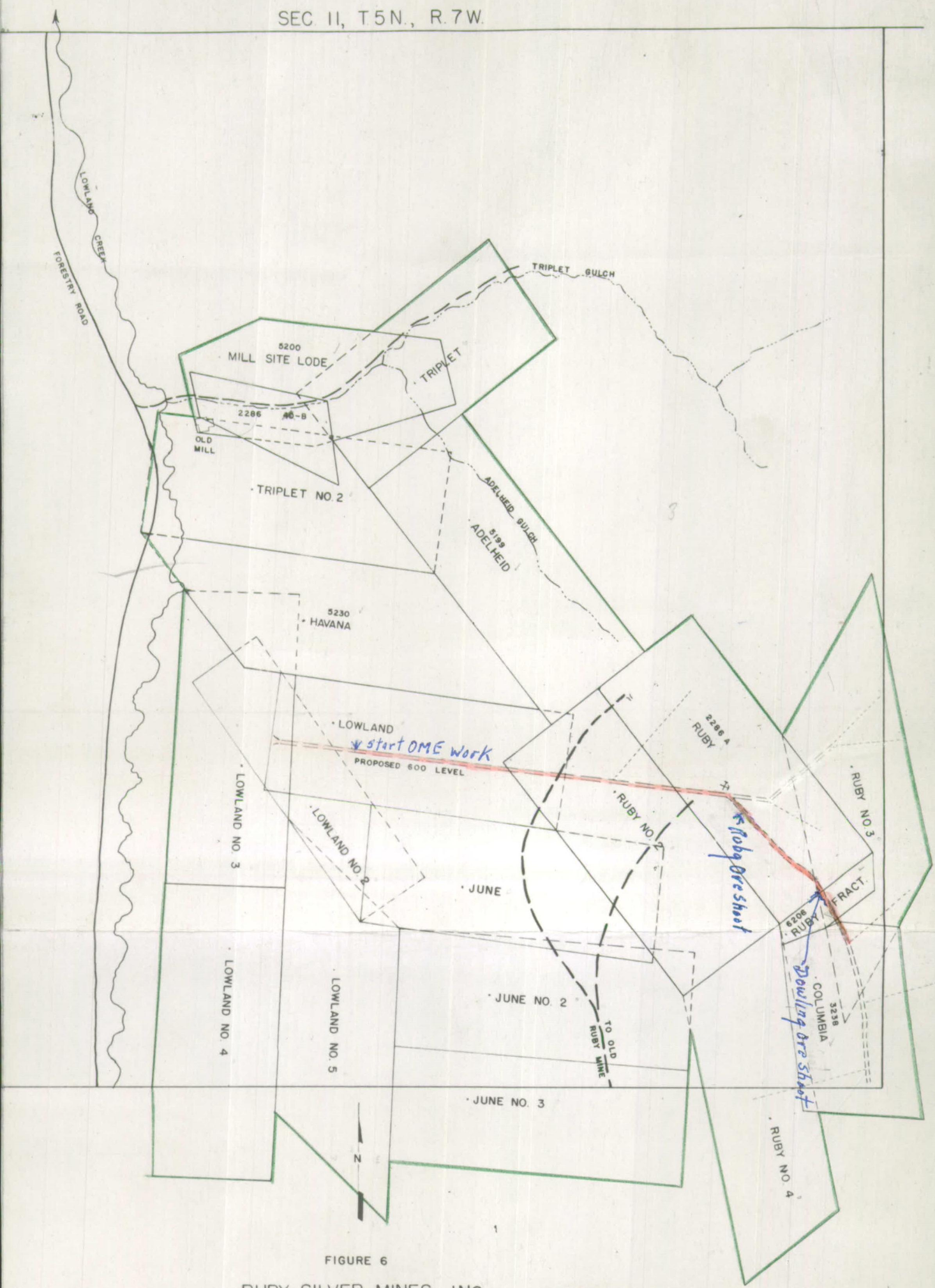

FIGURE 6

RUBY SILVER MINES, INC.

RUBY AREA

JEFFERSON CO., MONTANA

1 INCH = ~~500~~ FEET
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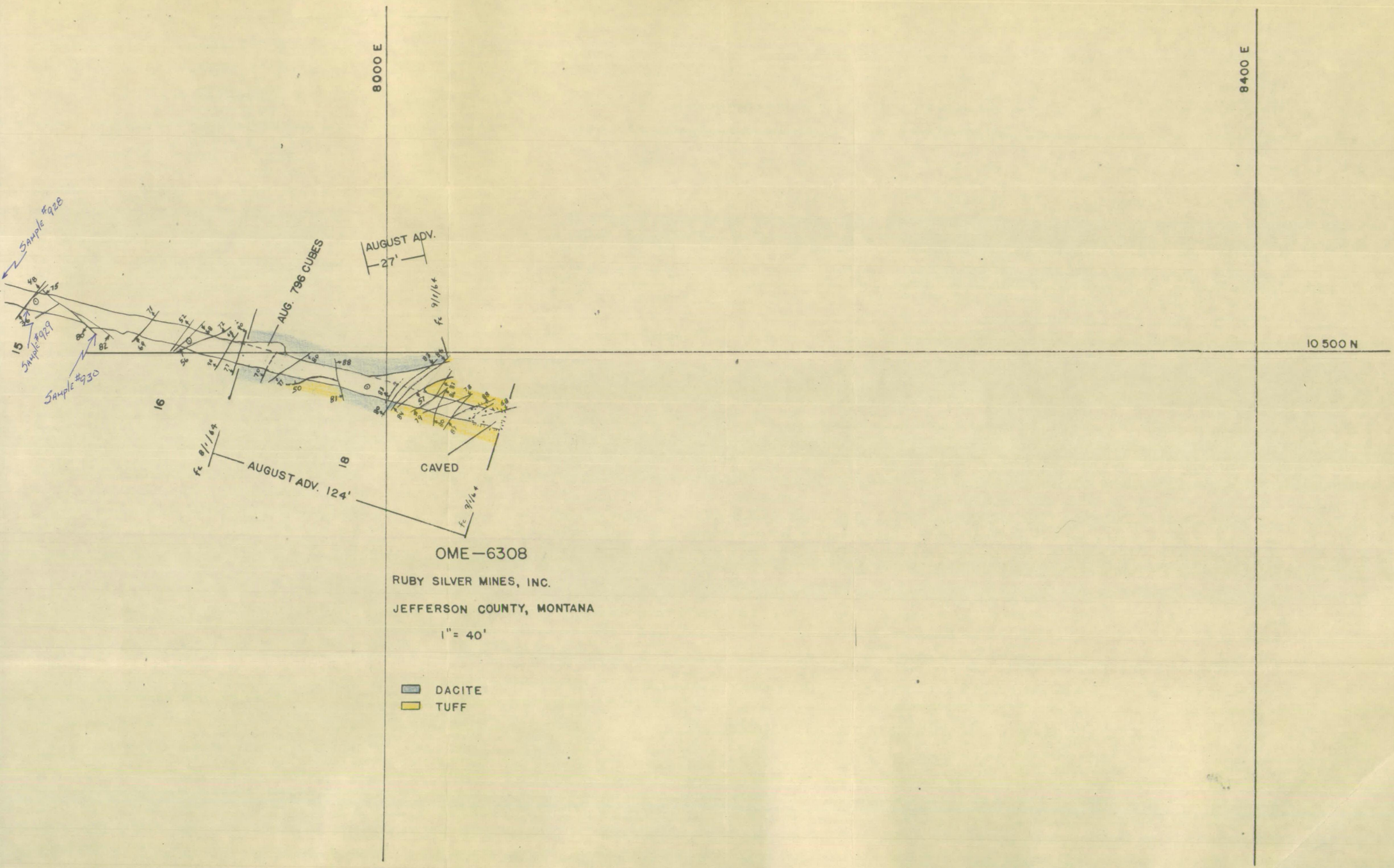
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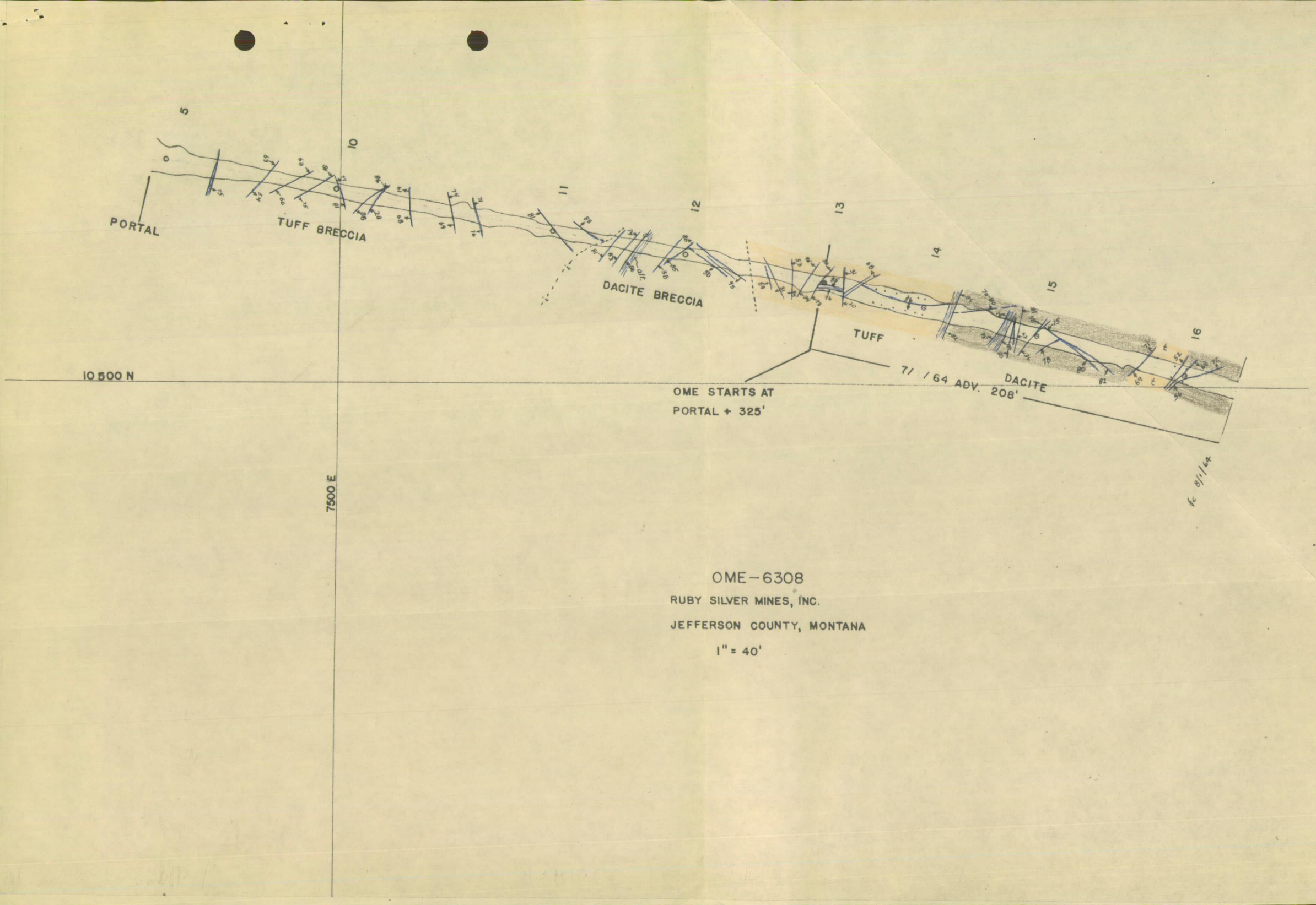

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JEFFERSON COUNTY, MONTANA

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