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State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries

1069 State Office Building
Portland 1, Oregon

M C CLAIMS (Gold)

Curry County
Chetco District

Owner: Ernest R. McTimmonds, Grants Pass.

Area: Two lode claims, the MC and MC No. 1, were located in September 1958.

Location: The point common to the center ends of the 2 northeast-trending claims is about 50 feet above the Babyfoot-Little Chetco road in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 1, T. 39 S., R. 10 W., at 4,170 feet elevation. It is reached via the Eight Dollar Road, Josephine Creek road, and Onion Camp road. It is about 20 miles from the junction of Eight Dollar road and Highway 199 at a point between Selma and Kerby.

History and production: Since the discovery to 1960 about \$180 in gold has reportedly been recovered from the surface mantle in the vicinity of the discovery cuts. This production of about 6 ounces was reportedly recovered from about 2 tons of dirt largely by panning.

Development: The occurrence is in the early stages of development. Workings consist of a few shallow cuts and trenches and a short adit. A stone arrastra was built on a small gulch in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 31, T. 38 S., R. 9 W., and some of the surface soil and rock were processed through it.

Geology: Narrow quartz veins and veinlets occur in a belt of fractured and deformed metasedimentary and metavolcanic rocks (Galice formation) including tuffs, sandstone, chert, and argillite. The quartz is white to gray, vuggy, with iron and manganese stain. A few small but visible chunks of gold were found imbedded in fragments of quartz. A sill-like serpentine mass lies just to the west and a small intrusive body of hornblende diorite and gabbro intrudes the greenstones and metasediments to the east.

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The recovered gold has been from "pocket type" surface concentrations in and near the quartz veins and veinlets. Slumping and the lack of depth in the trenches and cuts obscure the true attitude of the veins.

The following samples have been submitted for assay.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Gold Assay</u>	<u>Value</u>
SG-251	Fractured vein quartz with pyrite	0.16	\$5.60
TG-129	Gray vuggy quartz with Mn stain	Nil	
TG-183	Vuggy vein quartz	0.42	14.70
TG-311	"Sooty" gray quartz	Trace	
TG-312	Vein quartz with included country rock-- from road cut south of discovery	Nil	

The last 2 samples were taken and submitted by Len Ramp.

Visited: 12/4/59 by N.V.P. and L.R. with E. R. McTimmonds.

Report by: Len Ramp and Norma Peterson - 1/4/60.

STATE DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY AND MINERAL INDUSTRIES

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Baker, Oregon

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Portland 1, Oregon

239 S.E. "H" Street
Grants Pass, Oregon

REQUEST FOR SAMPLE INFORMATION

The State law governing analysis of samples by the State assay laboratory is given on the back of this blank. Please supply the information requested herein fully and submit this blank filled out along with the sample.

Your name in full Department samples - Len Ramp

Street or P.O. Box P.O. Box 417 City & State Grants Pass, Oregon

Are you a citizen of Oregon? Date on which sample is sent 8/27/63

Name (or names) of owners of the property Ernest McTimmonds

Are you hiring labor? Are you milling or shipping ore?

Name of claim sample obtained from M C Claim

Location of property or source of sample (If legal description is not known, give location with reference to known geographical point.)

County Curry Mining District Chetco

Township 39 S Range 10 W Section 1 Quarter section NW of SE

How far from passable road? On Name of road Little Chetco Road

	Channel (length)	Grab	Assay for	Description
Sample no. 1	<u>20 inches</u>	<u> </u>	<u>Au, Ag</u>	<u>flat shear near serpentine contact in short tunnel</u>
Sample no. 2	<u>6 inches</u>	<u> </u>	<u>Au, Ag</u>	<u>brown seam in dozer trench</u>

(Samples for assay should be at least 1 pound in weight)

(Signed) Len Ramp

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE - FOR OFFICE USE ONLY - USE OTHER SIDE IF DESIRED

Sample Description #1 - Highly sheared altered metasedimentary rock.

#2 - Weathered metasedimentary rock - in part soil. ✓

Sample number	GOLD		SILVER					
	oz./T.	Value	oz./T.	Value				
P-28731 XG-216	0.40	\$14.00	0.20	\$0.18	---	---	---	---
P-28732 XG-217	Nil	--	Nil	--	---	---	---	---

Report issued Card filed Report mailed 9/20/63 Called for

State of Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries
1069 State Office Building, Portland, Oregon 97201

AGG-39 Au,Ag ✓
AGG-40 Au,Ag ✓
\$8.00 check attached

REQUEST FOR SAMPLE INFORMATION

Date: Sept. 26 Sec. _____ Twp. _____ R. _____ County: _____
(For your records)

M/C Mine T39S-10W-NW/4-

Please print name and address in space below

Mr. R.L. Moorhouse
Burch Drive
Cave Junction, Ore. 97523

A copy of the law governing this service is printed on the back of this sheet. Please fill out this form in triplicate and submit with your sample and analysis fee. One copy will be returned with the results entered in the space below.

Customer's Sample No.	Assay for	(for your records, if desired)		
		Grab	Channel (length)	Source of Sample
# 1 AGG-39 Au,Ag				Concentrate (fine free gold present)
# 2 AGG-40 Au,Ag				Mill Run (heads)

Samples should weigh at least one pound and be dry. Fee for analysis must accompany sample.
Date Rec'd: 9-26-72 Amount Rec'd: \$8.00 G.P. Analysis Mailed: 10-6-72

Lab. No.	Cust. No.	Gold oz/ton	Silver oz/ton			
P-38226	No. 1	6.56	1.16	- -	- - -	- -
P-38227	No. 2	0.07	Trace	- -	- - -	- -

NOTE: The Department assumes responsibility only for the analytical results and not for the validity of any samples submitted.

Analyzed by R. R. Hoagland

70¢ Postage

AGG-44

Au,Ag.

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\$4.00 paid G.P.
Check attached.

REQUEST FOR SAMPLE INFORMATION

Date: October 3, 1972 Sec. _____ Twp. _____ R. _____ County: _____
(For your records)

Please print name and address in space below

Mr. R.L. Moorhouse
Burch Drive
Cave Junction, Oregon 97523

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Customer's Sample No.	Assay for	(for your records, if desired)		
		Grab	Channel (length)	Source of Sample
AGG-44	Au,Ag			Black Sand with gold.
				Rerun concentrate, <u>M.C. mine.</u>

Samples should weigh at least one pound and be dry. Fee for analysis must accompany sample.
Date Rec'd: 10-3-72 Amount Rec'd: \$4.00 check Analysis Mailed: 10-9-72
attached (G.P.)

Lab. No.	Cust. No.	Gold oz/ton	Silver oz/ton			
P-38244	AGG-44	153.80	29.10	- -	- - -	- -

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Analyzed by

R.A. Hoagland

AGG-44
 Au,Ag.
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RECORD IDENTIFICATION

RECORD NO..... M061833
RECORD TYPE..... X1M
COUNTRY/ORGANIZATION. USGS
DEPOSIT NO..... DDGMI 93-37
MAP CODE NO. OF REC..

REPORTER

NAME..... SMITH, ROSCOE M.
DATE..... 78 08
UPDATED..... 81 04
BY..... FERNS, MARK L. (BROOKS, HOWARD C.)

NAME AND LOCATION

DEPOSIT NAME..... M C MINE

MINING DISTRICT/AREA/SUBDIST. UPPER CHETCO

COUNTRY CODE..... US
COUNTRY NAME: UNITED STATES

STATE CODE..... OR
STATE NAME: OREGON

COUNTY..... CURRY
DRAINAGE AREA..... 17100312 PACIFIC NORTHWEST
PHYSIOGRAPHIC PROV..... 13 KLAMATH MOUNTAINS
LAND CLASSIFICATION..... 43

QUAD SCALE QUAD NO OR NAME
1: 62500 CHETCO PEAK

LATITUDE LONGITUDE
42-12-29N 123-49-25W

UTM NORTHING UTM EASTING UTM ZONE NO
4673000. 432000. +10

TWP..... 39S
RANGE..... 10W
SECTION.. 01
MERIDIAN. WB & M

LOCATION COMMENTS: CEN

COMMODITY INFORMATION

COMMODITIES PRESENT..... AU

ORE MATERIALS (MINERALS, ROCKS, ETC.)

EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT
STATUS OF EXPLOR. OR DEV. 4

DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSIT

DEPOSIT TYPES:

LODE

FORM/SHAPE OF DEPOSIT:

SIZE/DIRECTIONAL DATA

SIZE OF DEPOSIT..... SML

DESCRIPTION OF WORKINGS

SURFACE AND UNDERGROUND

COMMENTS(DESCRIP. OF WORKINGS):

SHORT ADIT AND NUMEROUS SURFACE CUTS.

PRODUCTION

YES

SMALL PRODUCTION

CUMULATIVE PRODUCTION (ORE, COMMOD., CONC., OVERBUR.)

23 .020 OZ 1958 - 1973 0.4 AU (ACROSS 20 INCHES)

GEOLOGY AND MINERALOGY

AGE OF HOST ROCKS..... JUR

HOST ROCK TYPES..... METAVOLCANICS AND METASEDIMENTS

IGNEOUS ROCK TYPES..... SERPENTINE

LOCAL GEOLOGY

COMMENTS (GEOLOGY AND MINERALOGY):

A FEW NARROW QUARTZ VEINS AND NUMEROUS SMALL, DISCONTINUOUS VEINLETS OCCUR IN A BELT OF FRACTURED METAVOLCANIC METASEDIMENTARY ROCKS WHICH ARE UNDERLAIN BY A SILL-LIKE MASS OF SERPENTINE

GENERAL REFERENCES

1) RAMP, L. AND OTHERS, 1977, GEOLOGY, MINERAL RESOURCES AND ROCK MATERIAL OF CURRY COUNTY, OREGON; ODCMI BULL. P.40

PROSPECT EXAMINATION REPORT

Ronald C. Parker

Consultant in Exploration and Economic Geology

Missoula, Montana

Date November 29 19 74 File No. _____
 Report by R.C. Parker
 Attachments geologic maps (2); sample summary
 Followup action taken: _____

STATE Oregon
 COUNTY Curry
 DISTRICT unorganized
 PRINCIPAL METAL (S) Au
 or COMMODITY _____
 INTEREST RATING DEFINITE POSSIBLE DOUBTFUL NO INTEREST
 ECONOMIC POTENTIAL GOOD FAIR POOR UN-CERTAIN

Name of prospect MC claims Date of examination August 21 19 74
 Examined by R.C. Parker Client Homestake Mining Company

Reason for examination:
 Requested by client
 Reconnaissance for client
 Personal
 Status of prospect:
 Active Inactive

Initial sources of information:
 Submittal by Steve McTimmonds (realtor)
 Date of submittal June 19 19 74
 Referral by _____
 Published references _____
 Private reports (See under **GEOLOGY**)

LOCATION

By legal subdivision Section 1 T 39 S R 10 W
 With respect to geographic features Approximately 1 1/2 miles southwest of Babyfoot Lake.
 With respect to nearby mines and prospects _____
 _____ (See File Nos. _____)
 Topographic quadrangle Chetco Peak 15' Approximate elevation 4,400
 Road directions to prospect: **Not logged.**

LAND DESCRIPTION AND OWNERSHIP

(See back of sheet for list of claims)

No. of patented claims 0 No. of unpatented claims 6
 Other land position None
 Owner(s) 1/2 Ernest McTimmonds Lessee(s) None
1/2 Everett McTimmonds
 Address 745 Bailey Drive Address _____
Grants Pass, Oregon 97526

Summary of agreements or actions encumbering property, if known: **None**

HISTORY AND PRODUCTION

Original discovery made in 1957. Pacific Concrete (Portland) trenched a small portion of the property and drilled two short AX holes in 1962 and '63. In 1972, R.L. Morehouse leased the claims and attempted to mill a small amount of material. Owners state that \$1,800 in gold has been produced.
 Current activity, if any: **None**

