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Copper Girl

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State Department of Geology  
and Mineral Industries,  
Portland, Oregon

Gentlemen:--

This morning your telegram arrived regarding my inquiry about The Copper Girl Mine.

This mine is located (according to the report written by Walter Burke, mining engineer) two miles north east of the town of Rogue River, Jackson County.

The report states the mine has been closed for twenty years on account of a disagreement between partners and lack of finances to equip the mine properly. Also the mine is filled with water and the shaft and timbers have rotted and head frame destroyed.

The shaft is reported to be down 225 feet and a nine foot vein at that level. There are four claims of eighty acres connected with the Copper Girl in a group.

Has this mine been registered and work regularly been done to assure a mine in good standing?

The report states the ore is of good quality and close to smelter, plenty of water for mill and enough timber for inside of mine.

Another report I have is written by Alvin J. Cox of San Francisco, and states that Mr. G. E. Stowell was in the mine.  
(of your office)

What would be a fair charge to drain the mine and take an assay of the nine foot vein?

Mr. C. W. Jackman of Los Angeles has an option on the mine, and he has given me the privilege of raising the money necessary to put the mine in operation. To safeguard the investors these few facts have to be known so if you would give me an answer it would be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

(signed): FRED H. MEYER

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