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702 Woodlark Building
Portland, Oregon

Jackson County
Gold Hill Area
Report by: Elton A. Youngberg
Date: December 14, 1945

NAME:

Raspberry Creek Asbestos Prospect

OWNER:

C. H. Angle, Rt. 1, Rogue River, Oregon

LOCATION:

The prospect is located in R. 3 W., T. 34 S.,
Sec. 14 & 15. It may be reached by trail up the
North side of Raspberry Creek from its junction with
West Evans Creek road. The distance by trail is ap-
proximately one mile.

AREA:

The property consists of two located lode claims.

DEVELOPMENT:

The deposit has been exposed by two shallow cuts.
The largest of which is about 30 feet by 15 feet with
a maximum depth of 10 feet. About 600 pounds of as-
bestos was mined (from this cut) which sold at the rate
of \$600 per ton in 1943.

GEOLOGY:

The deposit is formed along a contact between
May Creek Schists of Paleozoic age and greenstones.
Small amounts of serpentine were also noted. The
asbestos is in veinlets of a fraction of an inch to

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4" - 5" in width. The asbestos bearing zone has a strike of N. 30 E. The width of the deposit could not be determined as rock exposures were poor.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

The deposit lies on a gentle slope about 700 feet north of Raspberry Creek at an elevation of 2000 feet.

The deposit is approximately 20 miles from Gold Hill on the Southern Pacific Railroad. The roads from Gold Hill to the mouth of Raspberry Creek are either graveled or surfaced.

Informants: Fred W. Reid & Elton A. Youngberg

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RASPBERRY CREEK ASBESTOS PROSPECT

Gold Hill District
Jackson County

Owner: C. H. Angle, Route 1, Rogue River, Oregon

Location: The prospect is located in sec. 14 and 15, T. 34 S., R. 3 W. It may be reached by trail up the north side of Raspberry Creek from its junction with West Evans Creek Road. The distance by trail is approximately one mile.

Area: Two located lode claims.

Development: The deposit has been exposed by two shallow cuts. The largest is about 30 feet by 15 feet with a maximum depth of 10 feet. About 600 pounds of asbestos was mined, which sold at the rate of \$600 per ton in 1943.

Geology: The deposit is formed along a contact between May Creek schists of Paleozoic age and greenstones. Small amounts of serpentine were also noted. The asbestos is in veinlets of a fraction of an inch to 4 inches - 5 inches in width. The asbestos-bearing zone has a strike of N. 30 E. The width of the deposit could not be determined as rock exposures were poor.

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Name: Red Bean Placer Claim (gold)

Owner: James M. Rock, 529 Jeanette St., Medford, Oregon.

Location: On Quartz Gulch, a tributary to Brush Creek in Sec. 6, T. 40 S., R. 4 W. 22 miles S.W. of Ruch, Oregon. It joins the Last Chance Mine on the east side.

Area: The location notice calls for a 600 x 1500 ft. claim, in the E. $\frac{1}{2}$ of N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 6, T. 40 S., R. 4 W. Mr. Rock was informed that his location was not proper and he has promised to correct it. Claim recorded in Book 27, Page 211. No work has been done on the claim. Mr. Rock expects to work it this winter. No water to work with in summer. Lots of boulders and some clay farther down in Brush Creek. Most of the gold on Brush Creek is coarse.

Informant: J. E. Morrison. 11/25/38. Informant did not visit property.