

PACIFIC
JACKSON

Seattle, Washington.
March 20, 1930.

Mr. H. A. Guess,
120 Broadway,
New York, N. Y.,

Dear Sir:

PACIFIC MINES INC.
JACKSON COUNTY, OREGON.

This company has been receiving a lot of publicity in western mining papers recently.

It was visited last week. A small crew and prospecting plant is in operation. The company is probably spending \$2500.00 per month.

The property is three miles north of the Blue Ledge and may be on the same lode.

A belt of chloritic schist impregnated with pyrite traverses the country in a north and south direction for at least 3000' in this particular locality. The surface is deeply discolored with iron oxide across a width of 50 to 100'; of this, about 40' - where cut by a tunnel showing primary sulphides - carries about 1% copper. There are irregular lense-like shoots within this 40' that average 3 to 10' wide carrying 4 to 6% copper but of no longitudinal extent.

The property is a fair prospect but will require a great deal of work to prove its importance, if any.

About five tons of 8 to 10% ore has been sorted from the bunches encountered in the lower tunnel at a depth of 150'. The results of this tunnel do not look encouraging.

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In 1919 Mr. Augustus Locke, presumably for Calumet & Hecla Consolidated Copper Company, optioned this property and conducted extensive surface exploratory work. Mr. Locke had the ledge trenched at regular 100 and 200' intervals and after careful study of the cuts abandoned the option, without doing any work underground.

I believe the gossan is largely a surface expression of pyrite carrying little or no copper; at least, not sufficient to render the deposit commercial.

Very truly yours,

LAL/CD.

CC:A.H.Richards.