

[Horseshoe Group]

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Small Metal Mining Questionnaire

TOPIC:

COUNTY: Mineral

WORKER: Pearl B. Crane

DATE: June [13?], 1939

Miners at work: None

1. Name of mine: "Michigan" "Golden Treasure" "Klondyke" Patented Mining Claims. (Locally known as Horseshoe Group).
2. Type of mine: (placer, quartz, etc.): Placer.
3. Approximate distance from Superior: Ten miles.
4. Location. (Locate as closely as possible with reference to creeks, gulches, towns, roads, etc.) Up Cedar Creek about eight and one-half miles to Cayuse Saddle which is a low place in the mountains between Cedar and Oregon Creeks, at which point you turn right and cross mountain and the road along the left side of Oregon Creek takes you directly to the cabins.

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5. Principle components of ore (gold, silver, lead, zinc) Gold
6. Number of men employed at present: None. Leonard Young has had an option on this property for sometime and he and his wife have been out at the mine.
7. Name of person in charge of work at mine: Nobody at present.
8. Miscellaneous data: This is one of the old properties, having been located first in 1874. It consists of approximately seventy acres and is owned by Wm. McBride, Estate, [Missoula?]: Byron Seeley, Estate. Kellogg, Idaho; Soren Anderson of Butte; John McMillan of Superior and others. There is plenty of water. It is estimated that about \$10,000.00 has been taken from the ground. Good fishing.
9. Source of information (give location of document or name and address of person interview): Interviewed John McMillan, County Clerk & Recorder, Superior, Montana