

[C. B. and Q Placer Mine]

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Small Metal Mining Questionnaire

TOPIC:

COUNTY: Mineral

Worker: Mabel C. Olson

DATE: June 19, 1939

Miners at Work

1. Name of Mine: C. B. and Q Placer Mine
2. Type of mine (placer, quartz, etc.): Placer
3. Approximate distance from Superior: 22 1/2 miles
4. Location. (locate as closely as possible with reference to creeks, bulches, towns, roads, etc.) 6 1/2 miles southwest of Quartz postoffice, on a good road, which branches off Highway 10 just west of Cobden.
5. Principle components of ore (gold, silver, lead, zinc): Gold

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6. Number of men employed: One

7. Name of person in charge of work at mine: Emory Hutchins

8. Miscellaneous data: Mr. Hutchins volunteers the following: Quartz Creek gold is the finest in Montana, running 9.8. If a small company should want to ground sluice, it would probably pay them. He is drifting. He leases the property of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cron, Bonner, Montana. The mine is a re-location of the [Hedlund?], Crowley, Walters, and Tucker claims: Emory Hutchins, Jeff Davis, and John Nelson taking over several unnamed claims in January, [1908?]. The Cron's got the property in November 6, 1935.

9. Source of information (give location of document or name and address of person interviewed): Emory Hutchins, Superior, Montana; "Mining Locations," Book D, pages 309-311 and 476.