

## [Red Elephant Group]

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Small Metal Mining Questionnaire

TOPIC:

COUNTY: Mineral

WORKER: Mabel C. Olson

DATE: June 9, 1939

Miners at Work

1. Name of mine: Red Elephant Group
2. Type of mine (placer, quartz, etc.): Five (5) quartz claims, two (2) placer.
3. Approximate distance from Superior: 15 miles
4. Location (locate as closely as possible with reference to creeks, gulches, towns, roads, etc.): Six (6) miles northeast of Cobden. The Deep Creek road branches from Highway No. 10 one mile east of Cobden. The claims are five (5) miles up Deep Creek.
5. Principle components of ore (gold, silver, lead, zinc):

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Gold

6. Number of man employed:

Not at present operating, but 10 or 12 men are expected to work during the summer of 1939.

7. Name of person in charge of work at mine: C. M. Follevaag

8. Mr. Follevaag plans to build a quartz mill. He is leasing the property from J. W. King, who claims to have spent about \$10,000 in developing it, and to have opened up 10,000 feet of tunnel.

9. Source of information (give location of document or name and address of persons interviewed):

J. W. King, Lozeau, Montana, owner of mine.