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widening of these lenses as greater depth is attained, and this is further verified by following these veins toward the west, across two and one half claims to a point on the railroad where the mine known as "Martins Wonder" has been open for some time, and showed at my last visit a working ledge of some 18 feet in width, and as this point would be about 600 feet below the top of the hill at the "Derby" camp, we have imagined that a depth of 600 feet would be necessary before the large deposit of was reached. Again about one mile toward the east is the "Derby" claim of this group, on which at 30 feet is a well developed  $\frac{1}{4}$  foot wide deposit of Copper Sulphide of rich value, which is traced from the Puritan workings with only two slight breaks in this whole distance.

On all the claims comprising this property there has been assessment work done sufficient to prove the value of each deposit. Some of them are in oxidized ore, but most are the characteristic chalcopyrite of this district, to which all the surface ore eventually will lead when sufficient depth is attained. The majority of the veins showing on the surface trend S.E. and N.W., but there is a large North and South vein which cuts this property and can be traced from south of the camp to the railroad, a distance of approximately two miles. Besides this, the surface of the ground seems to be made up of a net work of stringers and veins from all of which good values can be obtained, and from which the float that has been taken by the many placer workers in the canyons both to the east and west of this location for many years originated.

A report of a competent engineer's investigation of this property would naturally convey to you <sup>a</sup> better idea of the amount of development work which has been done on these two claims of the group than any I could get together at this time for your information, but I will say that there has been approximately \$100,000.00 put into the development of these two claims alone, and which I consider has been expended to a very good purpose in showing that the veins are increasing rapidly as increased depth and also proving more valuable.

The property is in charge of Mr. Geo. U. Young, one of the owners, whose address is Phoenix, Arizona. Mr. Young has a superintendent and six men working on the property now, and I understand visits there himself twice each month.

Yours very truly,  
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