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1. Cocks Pioneer Gold and Tin Mines No Liability

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1/1/1 . Indenture - lease, 7 December 1934 between King George V and Cocks Pioneer Gold + Tin Mines. No Liability. Vol.308, Fol. 34147.

1/2 Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging Co.

1/2/1 . Lease + Agreement, 8 November 1938 between Mrs. M.A. Allen and Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging No Liability. Notcutt + Purbrick Solicitors, Wangaratta. [Lessees Part]

1/2/2 . Lease + Agreement, 22 January 1940 between Mrs. M.A. Allen and Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging No Liability, Notcutt + Purbrick Solicitors, Wangaratta [Lessees Part Triplicate]

1/2/3 . Part of Lease dated 20 February 1940, a continuation of 1/1/1. Also contains letter 22 August 1939 from Department of Mines concerning the revegetation of dredged sites.

1/2/4 . Agreement - 1942 between Charlotte Studham and Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging. Re: Contract of Sale.

1/2/5 . Agreement, 18 May 1953 between Country Fire Authority and Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging Co. Re: Erection of a building to house Eldorado Rural Fire Brigade truck and equipment.

1/2/6 . Right of Entry by Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging Co. for the purpose of erecting electric transmission lines etc. effective from 1 June 1939 dated 11 June 1941 signed William Ray.

1/2/7 . Letter to 'Sir' from A. Richens, 12 October 1966. Re: Conditions of access to well on Machinery Site Lease No. 8308 [See 1/2/8].

1/2/8 . Letter to A. Richens from Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging. Re: Conditions of access to well on Machinery Site, Lease No. 8308. [See 1/2/7].

2. Licences, Certificates, Registrations

2/1 Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging Co.

2/1/1 . Certificate of Registration of Machinery Site, 22 June, 1942.

2/1/2 . Miner's Right. 22 June 1942 - 21 June 1943.

2/1/3 . Application for Ration Tickets [Blank] c.1945, National Security (Liquid Fuel) Regulations.

2/1/4 . Motor Spirit Consumer's Special Licence, 1 August 1945 to 31 July 1946.

2/1/5 . Motor Spirit Consumer's Special Licence Monthly Ration, 8

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November 1949.

- 2/1/6 . Special Licence to Smelt Gold, 31 December 1952.
- 2/1/7 . Special Licence to Smelt Gold, 31 December 1953.
- 2/1/8 . Special Licence to Smelt Gold, 31 December 1954.
- 2/1/9 . Car or Truck Registration Sticker Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging, Reg. No. KC013, Lic. No. 2293, Expiry 1953.

3. Financial

3/1 Insurance Policies

- 3/1/1 . 2 June 1937, Atlas Assurance Company Ltd., Kuala Lumpur Agency, One year policy 30 June 1937 - June 1938. Policy D.F. 1495. For TongKah Compound No Liability for Machinery at Nantin, Negri Sembilan. Re: Dredge.
- 3/1/2 . Specification attaching to and forming part of Policy NO. 1286071 of Century Insurance Company Limited in the name of Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging No Liability. No date c.1940 [2 pages].
- 3/1/3 . The Employer's Liability Assurance Corporation Limited, Victorian Branch, Melbourne. Policy No. 699316 replacing Policy 681318 on Property. (Detailed in Schedule). 20 September 1951 [2 pages] [See 3/1/4].
- 3/1/4 . Duplicate of above Policy 699316 [See 3/1/3].

3/2 Taxation

- 3/2/1 . Rates of Fortnightly Instalment Deduction. Commonwealth of Australia. Collection of Tax and Contribution by Instalments. 1 October, 1954.
- 3/2/2 . Tax Instalment Deduction Forms 1950s.

3/3 Assets and Accounts

- 3/3/1 . Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging No Liability. Summary of Plant + Buildings as at 30 September, 1938.
- 3/3/2 . Plant Additions during year ended 30 September, 1938.
- 3/3/3 . Cheque Book - The English Scottish + Australian Bank Limited, Wangaratta, Victoria. Account No. 2. Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging N.L. 25 September 1954 - 2 July 1955.
- 3/3/4 . Presented Cheque - The English Scottish + Australian Bank Limited. 10 May 1938. Account No. 1 to Account No. 2.
- 3/3/5 . Bill of Exchange Book. Blank, no date. The English Scottish + Australian Bank Ltd.

3/4 Annual Report

- 3/4/1 . 1945 No. 11.

4. Correspondence

- 4/1 Diverting of Reedy Creek

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- 4/1/1 . 7 February 1951. To The Manager, Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging N.L., from The State Rivers and Water Supply Commission, L. Duggan, Secretary. Re: Diverting of Reedy Creek at Eldorado [See Maps + Plans 5/3/1-2].

4/2 Wages

- 4/2/1 . To Mr. Scott from V. Carroll wife of J. Carroll, Star Hotel, no date. c.1945. Re: Money due to Mr. J. Carroll.
- 4/2/2 . To Mr. Lane from N. White, North Fitzroy, Melbourne. 31 May 1946. Re: Collection of wages as he has been called up by the Navy.

4/3 Proposed Great Eastern Tin Limited

(includes correspondence, reports, schedules Nos. 1 + 2]

- 4/3/1 . Letter to Messrs Illingworth + Craig from W.J. Baker, Member of the Stock Exchange of Melbourne. 21 July 1965. Re: Proposal to float Tin Mine [3 pages].
- 4/3/2 . Schedule No. 1, Great Eastern Tin Ltd., Proposed Plant for Mine c.1965.
- 4/3/3 . Schedule No. 2 Great Eastern Tin Ltd. Wages Structure + Scale c.1965.
- 4/3/4 . Statement of Value (Purchase of Tin from N. Ramsay, Eldorado, Victoria by Sydney Smelting Co. Ltd. Tin Smelters and Refiners. 23 July, 1964, Fol. 230, branded N.R.
- 4/3/5 . Statement of Value (Purchase of Tin from N. Ramsay by Sydney Smelting Co., 6 August 1964, Fol. 237, NR 1-6.
- 4/3/6 . Statement of Value (Purchase of Tin from N. Ramsay by Sydney Smelting Co., 6 August, 1964, Fol. 237, NR 7-8.
- 4/3/7 . Statement of Value (Purchase of Tin from N. Ramsay by Sydney Smelting Co., 21 August, 1964. Fol. 247 NR.
- 4/3/8 . Report on Samples 469-472. State Laboratories, Melbourne, Senior Chemist John Kennedy, Mines Department, 12 July 1965. Samples submitted by Mr. N. Ramsay of Eldorado [Victoria].

5. Maps and Plans

5/1 General Eldorado Area

- 5/1/1 . Photocopy of Melbourne Department of Lands and Surveys, 3.3.35, Byawatha, County of Bogong, El Dorado.

5/2 Leases

- 5/2/1 . Plan No. 1, Lease No. 8308, 30 November 1954 + ML 8134.
- 5/2/2 . Plan No. 2, Lease No. 8398, 30 November 1954 + ML [Mining Lease] 8134.
- 5/2/3 . Lease No. 8308 no date c.1950s. Mining District of Beechworth.
- 5/2/4 . Plan of Mrs. M.A. Allen Lease. no date. c.1940 + Mining Lease 8134.

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5/2/5 . Lease No. 8125 transferred from Cocks Pioneers to Cocks Eldorado. Lease expires July 1957.

5/3 Reedy Creek Diversion

5/3/1 . Lease No. 8310.

5/3/2 . Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging N.L. Proposed Deviation of Reedy Creek, 7 February 1951. Re: Letter from State Rivers and Water Supply Commission to the Manager of Cocks Eldorado Gold Dredging N.L. [Corr. No. 51/01038] [See 4/1/1].

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