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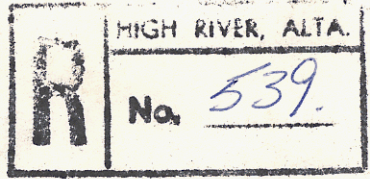


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GALLANT GOLD MINES LTD. (GAG-V)

SAMPLE	LENGTH	OZ. GOLD/T
rock chip	5 Feet	0.31
grab sample	-	0.878
rock chip	1 foot	0.248
grab sample	-	0.254
rock chip	3 feet	0.19
grab sample	-	0.48
drill core	10 feet	0.263

ACTIVITY ON 7 PROPERTIES REVIEWED
INCLUDING DRILLING ON 3 OF THEM

Gallant Gold Mines Ltd. will drill 3 of its major properties in the next few months: the Crowshore property near Pickle Lake, Ontario, the Rossland property in B.C. and the Perry creek property near Kimberly, B.C. Also, discussions are in progress with Barrick Resources Corporation in a move to bring Gallant's Wood Cadillac claims and Barrick's adjacent Pandora property into production.

Gallant's Crowshore property of 8 patented claims is in one of the highest grade gold camps in the Precambrian Shield. The Pickle-Crow Central Patricia gold

camp produced over 4,900,000 tons of ore averaging 0.42 gold/ton before the Pickle-Crow mine closed in 1966. Gallant's claims border Highland-Crow Resources' Pickle-Crow property and cover the NE extension of the main iron formation which hosts the Pickle-Crow Central Patricia and Dona Lake deposits (the latter contain 1,400,000 tons grading 0.22 oz. gold/ton). To date, 7 gold occurrences are known on the Crowshore property, being shear zones and quartz vein sulphide zones associated with iron formation. Samples from surface trenches in C Zone, a shear zone, returned 0.49 oz. gold/t over an average width of 4.3 feet. The property has not been adequately explored and the potential for economic gold deposits is considered excellent. *PETRA, BIRDIE LOAN 82F/8E, 9E 82F0E154*

The Rossland gold camp, first discovered in 1887, resulted in the establishment of Cominco Ltd. and their great smelter at nearby Trail. Nearly 3,000,000 ounces of gold were produced from their Rossland property prior to 1927 with an average grade of 0.47 oz. gold/ton. Gallant has assembled a sizeable package of land 2 km. along strike from the former Cominco mine. Previous exploration has shown vein type mineralization with good grades across widths of 5 to 10 feet. Three of the claims were producers shipping ore grading 0.3 to 0.5 oz. gold/ton and a fourth claim had drill indicated reserves of 38,500 tons averaging 0.228 oz. gold/ton when mining ceased in 1941. In the past 3 years Gallant carried out geological, geophysical and geochemical work. A number of strong conductors have been defined, several being associated with exposed massive sulphide veins or mineralized zones. Rock chip samples show many veins assaying high in gold and copper suggesting that important gold concentrations can occur in the silicified country rock between the veins. (SEE TABLE ABOVE FOR SOME OF THE ASSAYS RETURNED TO DATE). A diamond drill test of these impressive showings, veins and geophysical conductors will be underway in the next few months. *82G/12*

At Perry Creek near Kimberly, B.C., where placer gold was first discovered in B.C., Gallant has assembled 96 mineral claim units covering some of the former workings. Lode gold was discovered in 1897 along the valley walls above Perry Creek. The showings, until recently, have never been assessed with modern exploration methods. Gallant started exploration in 1979. Geochemistry has identified 2 important zones. On the Quartz Hill claim, grab samples over the known quartz vein system have given repeated values well over 1 oz. gold/t. Reports indicate that some 1,373 tons mined in 1973 from one vein returned 0.26 oz. gold and 0.20 oz. silver/t plus lead, zinc and copper values. In the other important zone a 75-foot wide pyritic cherty argillite has been sampled and returned a 10-foot section averaging 0.115 oz. gold/t. This suggests the possibility of a larger bedded type deposit.

In another famous placer mining area, Gallant, along with four other companies in the Hughes-Lang group, has acquired hard rock mineral rights in the Atlin gold camp in NW B.C. The Hughes-Lang companies have recently completed a systematic assessment of the entire Atlin camp using ground and airborne geophysical surveys, geological, geochemical, trenching and diamond drilling programs. These surveys have led to the recognition of widespread vein and skarn-type mineralization. Placer Development Ltd. recently optioned the nearby Shuksan property where Standard Gold Mines Ltd. discovered a number of high-grade gold veins in 1984-85.

In the Klondike area of the Yukon, Gallant holds 55 mineral claims and, along with 8 other Hughes-Lang companies, is participating in systematic exploration of mineral potential over the heart of this historic gold camp. Results of this work and of Federal and Territorial geological programs, have outlined extensive zones of hydrothermal alteration, suggesting potential for large epithermal gold deposits.

Near Abitibi Lake in NE Ontario, Gallant is acquiring a large block of claims from prospector Don McKinnon. For years, prospectors have reported finding high grade gold bearing boulders along the south shore of Abitibi Lake assaying up to 3.5 oz. gold/t. Follow-up geophysical survey work is planned.

In the very active Perron-Vicor belt in NW Quebec, Gallant is participating with Standard Gold Mines Ltd. in an 83-claim prospect in Vanier and Celoron townships on the boundary of Ligneris township, site of the Vicor finds. Gold occurrences are widespread in this belt. Important results are coming from Perron Gold Mines Ltd. property on trend to the east in Chaste township where drilling has indicated 1,147,000 tons grading 0.26 oz. gold/t in 10 zones. Geophysical surveys are underway on the Gallant/Standard ground.