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82N/3E

MEMORANDUM

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SUBJECT: Scovil Submittals
ROBERT E. BURNS Group
N.T.S. 82N/3E

FILE NTS

CONSISTING OF:

Robert E. Burns	L. 1002
Highland Mary	L. 1982
Rider	L. 776
Nugget	L. 777
Mill Site	L. 1091

DATA SUBMITTED

Numerous extracts from B.C. Minister of Mines Reports from 1890 to 1936.

RECOMMENDATION

The property warrants examination if an engineer is in the area for other reasons. A special trip is not warranted.

DISCUSSION

At first glance through this data the property reads like so many other quartz veins from which spotty higher grade pods of oxidized material were once extracted. However closer examination of the old reports indicates some possibilities.

It appears that the property contains a "series" of quartz veins from one to four feet wide. In addition, these veins are cut by smaller cross veins at right angles. Grades for vein material are reported in the order of 0.3 ounces gold per ton. Unfortunately these quoted grades are of material extracted

rather than samples, hence it is not clear what the assays represent.

The present-day economic potential of the property, if any, would be to develop a block of ground carrying a number of veins and amenable to bulk mining perhaps in conjunction with a colourimetric sorter.

The chance that this property contains such a potential seems small but it might be worth checking out if an examining engineer were in the area for other reasons.

G.H. Rayner
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