

Fort St. James,
Sept. 16th, 1968.

Dear Bill:

Enclosed are carbon copies of affidavits for claims HI #1-10 which were recorded with the sub mining recorder Ft. St. James to-day. These should be put in a new property file "HI CLAIM GROUP TCHENTLO LAKE 93N" along with the HAT and TEZ groups, etc.

Used the helicopter to HAT group and reran lines with VHEM. There was practically no indication of a conductor. There is no ready explanation for this. I have rechecked the location of this work on the original air survey map and all seems correct. It may be we are working very close to the north end of a body of very poorly conductive material. The high frequency gives a somewhat stronger indication than the low frequency indicating such poorly conductive material. The rest of the anomaly can only be covered during the winter.

Yesterday we reran lines 8N, 12N, 16N, 20N and 24N on the TEZ group. We have far better results than we had with the SE-600 but the conductors are still weak and appear to be three or four short conductive zones on the peak of and along the flank of the magnetic anomaly.

Saw Ken Owen when he came out - camp was up and the trail line started - he had taken some colored polaroid pictures. He asked for an advance cheque of \$600 and I passed this on to Mrs. Clarke by phone this morning.

Atlas Drilling are moving the percussion drill originally at Cariboo Bell to Donna Mines lead silver show to drill a pattern of 300' percussion holes - contract 6000' @ \$2.50/ft. plus moving-in costs, etc. Truck hauling their fuel lost its right front wheel on the same curve where we went in the ditch - it's a miracle he stayed on the road - Don and I gave them a hand last night on the way back from TEZ group.

There has been no flying so far to-day - rain & low ceiling - don't know whether or not we will get out to-day.

Don Forsyth is apparently fairly reasonable and willing so far but certainly has not the experience or judgment or aught else for his salary. Sent him to get a 2 week grub order for 2 men travelling by canoe and he ended up with \$212 worth of stuff. So have spent the afternoon sorting it out and taking it back to the store. There will be a bill for something over \$200 on which are socks and cigarettes that are to be charged to Don and taken off his cheque. There will be a substantial credit note accompanying this bill to cover the items we returned to the store.

The prospectors (Albert Bressette, Bert Odell) who staked east of my HI group have shown up here to-day, I understand with Stan Pedley - Cominco - and are going into the property. We are all hung up here in town due to weather so will probably have a session to-night.

God it was peaceful when I was alone on Tchentlo Lake.

Am going first thing in the morning to Sam's camp to get him to move to the Kwanika-Twenty mile Creek area. May move his boat to the line cutting camp for their use in case of emergency - probably get used more for fishing.

Have not decided my own fate in view of these other damn prospectors - may have to slap in a block of claims surrounding the present ground for protection. Don't want to spend time that way but ??

Of the soil samples you delivered to Bondar-Clegg Sept. 3, please ask them to run samples C-300 to C-331 for Mo. The mineralization I have seen is too low grade but ?? again.

Best regards,

"Cam"