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Diamond drilling rig on the Mount Henry Clay showing on **Freeport Resources Inc.**'s Tsirku/Jarvis project during the 1985 exploration season. Hundreds of sulphide boulders ranging from one to seven feet in diameter averaged 30% zinc, 2% copper, 5% barite, and two ounces of silver per ton in an Upper Triassic pillow lava-sedimentary sequence at the site. Four of five 1985 drill holes intersected an acid volcanic-sedimentary sequence with barite and sulphide enrichment up to 230 feet thick with 2% zinc plus copper and silver values, suggesting a lateral extension for the boulder source. At the Grizzly Heights showing, gold occurs in sedimentary rocks (0.15 ounces of gold per ton over 7.0 feet). At the Low Herbert showing, copper, silver, and zinc occur in a wide zone. A program of 10,000 feet of drilling is planned on the three showings for 1986.