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Note: he advises he could not locate road showings

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not on ground at same time as him to guide him(!)

MOLYBDENE EXPLORATIONS LTD. (N.P.L.)

MICROWAVE HILL

(road cut on hill put in a loc. stepping of street. diag fold - w.t.)

LOCATION & ACCESS:

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GENERAL GEOLOGY:

Microwave Hill is composed of bedded tuffs and sediments with some basaltic lava flows. Sedimentary units range from cherts and argillites to fine conglomerates. The general attitude of these units is strike N20°E and dip 25° to 40° east. Variations on these attitudes are found in several areas particularly in the NW grid area where strike N60°E and dip 35°N were obtained in banded cherts.

Bedding units appear to extend through the investigated area but are often disrupted by faults. The rock is deeply weathered and little outcrop is visible on the lower slopes of the mountain.

Fractures are generally NNE with a complementary set trending EW. Dips are steep to vertical.

Zones of shearing are associated with some of the faults and mineralization is found in the briffle fine grained rock types - primarily cherts and rhyolites.

Mineralization occurs as zinc, copper, lead and silver sulphides contained both as fracture fillings and disseminations in the fine grained rock types. Mineralization is linked to shear zones trending NS, in effect, sub-parallel to the strike of the bedding.

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Veins of silver lead and zinc were found in old pits at the following grid locations: 1) 15N, 5E. 2) 46N, 7W. 3) 48N 11W. 4) approximately 56N, 6E. Pit 4 was samples by #45229

and #45230. These veins are from 2 to 5 inches wide but could not be traced for more than a few feet on the outcrops. Veins 1 and 2 were respectively exposed by trench number 16 and 26.

SOIL ANOMALIES:

The grid area was sampled in 1966 by Anco Explorations Ltd. (N.P.L.), and the samples tested for heavy metals, and total zinc. The results of this sampling were used to produce a map of anomalous areas and a trenching programme was set up to test the indicated anomalies.

Trenching indicated that the anomalous areas were generally downslope of mineralized rock exposures. Interpretation of soil results also indicates that concentrations of zinc were found in drainage patterns and areas of deep overburden. Therefore, it is possible that some of the anomalies are the result of soil enrichment from low grade zinc mineralization in the surrounding country rock.

A second soil sampling programme was carried out in 1967 by Manex Mining Ltd. (N.P.L.) in the following portions of the grid 0 to 40N, 0 to 15E, and 40 to 50N, 0 to 15W. Samples were tested for total zinc and a map drawn indicating the anomalous areas. Anomalies were mapped on the basis of a background cut off of 700 ppm ZN and a first order anomaly of 1500 ppm ZN. These values were taken from a graph showing the frequency distribution of the assay results. Exhibit A - Soil Survey Frequency Chart.

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Isolated anomalous areas are indicated as at 18N-11E, 26N-14E, 28N-14E, however, geological investigation of these areas could detect no visible reason for these occurrences.

TRENCHING:

Thirty trenches comprising 4,800 feet were cut to explore indicated soil anomalies of the 1966 sampling programme. Visual examination of the trenches revealed copper mineralization in trenches 1 to 7, copper and zinc in trenches 9, 28, 29, and zinc in trenches 9A and 22 to 25. A pit 4' deep and 12' long was put in trench #3 to find unweathered rock. Sample 45245 was taken from the bottom of this pit.

ROADS:

Some 2,200 feet of cat road was constructed to obtain access to soil anomaly areas indicated by the Manex soil sampling.

SAMPLING:

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SUMMATION:

Assay results and visual examination of fresh rock ^{very} exposed in trenches indicate the presence of a large body of low grade lead-zinc mineralization. A zone of copper-silver mineralization is also indicated.

APPARENT THICKNESS

Trench #2 exposes a cherty sedimentary unit 30 feet thick (across strike) which gave values of Cu .51% and Ag .96 ozs/ton over 25 feet. This was the best mineralization obtained over a comparable width. However, this zone has no potential for development except along strike.

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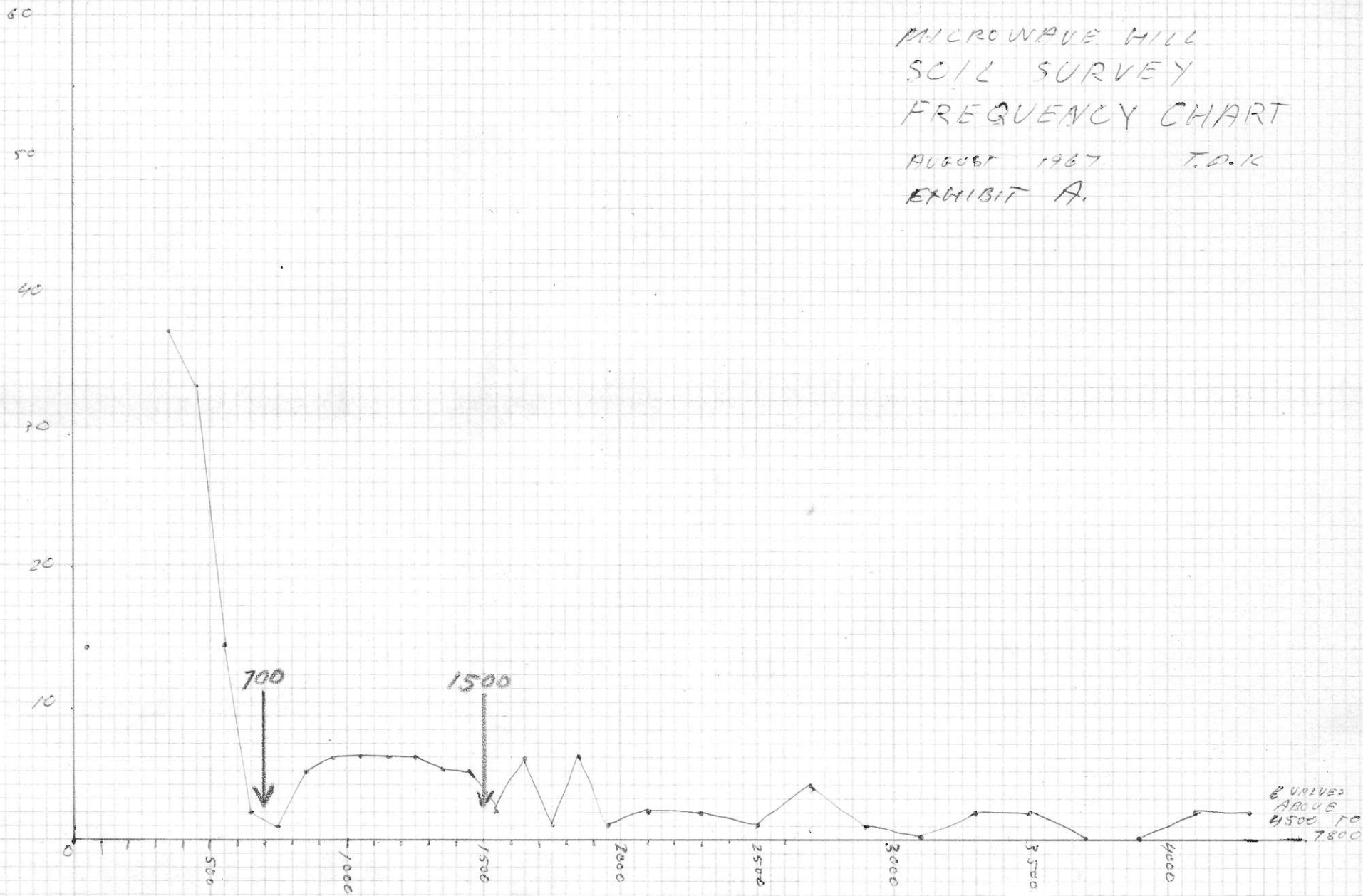
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No recommendations for further work on this property can be made. *except on Tr. #2 as a Coup de grace.*

only O.P. target note - did not find road exposures

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31 →
105 →



VALUES ABOVE
4500 TO
7800

precise locations on geochron map.

SAMPLES AND ASSAY MICROWAVE

MAP LOCATION NOS.	TRENCH	SAM NO.	FEET	CU	ZN	AG	AU	PB	CD	TYPE
1		45232	25	.51	.05	.96	.01		.001	
2		44233	30	.04	t	t	t			
3		45243	50	.06			t			W
4		45244	60	.13		.10	.01			W
5		45245	12	.03	t	t	.02			W
6		45242	50	.08	.04	t				W
7		45246	30	.01		.16	.01			W
8		45251	30	.03	.10	t				W
9		45252	50	.01	.02	t				W
10		45253	20	.01	.09	.40				W
11		45268	3							
12		45227	50		.11	t	.02		t	
13		45228	35		.13	t	t		t	
14	pit	56, 6	.5		28.4	1.7		12.6		
15	pit	56, 6	4	.01	.86	.05		.16		
16		45264	53		.18	t	t	t	Nil	
17		45265	23		.44	t		t		
18		45266	23		.09	t		t		
19		45259	45		.06	t	t	.01		
20		45260	40		.17	t		.01		
21		45261	60		.12	t		Nil		
22		45262	40		.09	t	t	t		
23		45263	35		.22	t		t		
24		45241	60		.05		.02		Nil	
25		45254	60		.18	t		.02	Nil	
26		45255	60		.27	t	.02		Nil	
27		45256	32		.04	t		.01		
28		45257	25		.14	t		.02		
29		45258	65		.05	t		.01		
30		45267	12							
31		33985	15							
32		33986	15							Select high grade
33	29B	33987	15							
34	29CD	33988	20							
35	A	33989	4							road cut (at Sharp sample location)

Note: Some assays not received and others taken over phone. Subject to revision.

FROM

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DEPARTMENT

MICROWAVE HILL

MANEX

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DATE

August 22,

SUBJECT

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MESSAGE

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▶ Surveying	22
Drilling and Mucking	34
Blasting	11
Slashing	9
Sampling	8
Supervision Trenching	6
Soil Sampling	5
General Inspection	4
Magnetometer	2

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WORK DAYS MALLOW
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Copco	28
Land Rover	47

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Map

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Location

Map Nos	Trench	Sam No.	feet	Qi	Zn	Ag	Au	Pb	Cd	type
1	2	45232	25	.51	.05	.96	.01		.001	
2	2	45233	30	.04	t	t	t			
3	3	45243	50	.06			t			w
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24	24	45241	60		.05	.T	.02			NIL
25	25	45245 54	60		.18	.T	.T			NIL
26	25	45255	60		.27	.T	.T			NIL
27	25	45256	32		.04	.T	.T			
28	25	45257	25		.14	.T	.T			
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35	A	33989	4			road cut(at SHARPM sample location?)

Date JULY & AUGUST, 1967

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Form #100

Property MICROWAVE & MALIKOW.

Sample Record _____

E.I.C. J. Hellner.

Sample No.	Location	Description	ASSAYED FOR					Date Shipped
			ZINC	SILVER	LEAD	GOLD	COPPER	
45227	MW Tn # 209	CHIP 50' CHERY SED	✓ .11	✓ T	✓ .02	✓ 0.02	✓ T	AUGUST 1, 1967
28	MW Tn # 309	CHIP 35' ALT. CHERY SED	✓ .13	✓ T	✓	✓ T	✓ T	
29	PIT SEN-6E	6" ZINC VEIN	✓ 28.40	✓ 1.70	✓ 12.60			
30	PIT SEN-6E	4' - 2' ON L.R. OF VEIN	✓ .86	✓ 0.05	✓ .18		.01	
31	MALIKOW PIT 89	COMBINED CHIP SAMPLE		✓ - - -		T	✓ .56	
✓ 32	MW Tn # 2	25' CHERY ARGILLITE	✓ .05	✓ .96		✓ .01	✓ .51	✓ .001
33	MW Tn # 2	30' ON W. OF #45238 IN TUFF	✓ T	✓ T		✓ T	✓ .04	
45234	MALIKOW PIT #1	4' ACROSS SHEAR ON N WALL	✓ .01	✓ 1.40		✓ T	✓ .58	
35	PIT #1	5' ACROSS SHEAR ON S WALL	✓ .01	✓ .70		✓ T	✓ .89	
36	TR #2	25' IN TR #2		✓ T		✓ T	✓ T	
37	TR #3	20' - 40' ALTERED ROCK		✓ 0.130		✓ T	✓ .51	
38	TR #3	40 - 65' SHEAR ZONE		✓ T		✓ .005	✓ .10	
39	TR #4	35' - TOTAL CHIP.		✓ T		✓ T	✓ T	
40	TR #8	5' ON SHEARED ARGILLITE		✓ T		✓ T	✓ T	

Date AUGUST 1967

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Sample No.	Location	Description	ASSAYED FOR					Date Shipped
			ZINC	SILVER	COPPER	GOLD	CADMIUM	
45241	MW TR #24	60' ON S WALL, CHIP	✓ .05	✓ T		✓ .02	✓ NIL	AUGUST 9, 1967.
42	MW TR #4	50' GRAB IN BRIST TRENCH	✓ .04	✓ T	✓ .08			
43	MW TR #3	50' CHIP ALONG 325° WEATHERED		✓	✓ .06	✓ T		
44	MW TR #3	60' W. END, TRENCH - WEATHERED		✓ .10	✓ .13	✓ .01		
45	MW TR #3	12' IN PIT FRESH	✓ .02	✓ T	✓ .03	✓ T		
46	MW TR #5	30' ON 355° ROAD CUT. WEH.		✓ .16	✓ .01	✓ .01		
47	MALIKOW TR 1	40' WEST END - TRENCH		✓ T	✓ .07	✓ .01		
45248	MALIKOW TR #5	Sample 5-2. 3 PITS IN SHEAR.		✓ T	✓ .18	✓ T		
49	MALIKOW TR #5	5-1. 3 PITS IN N. END		✓ T	✓ .02	✓ T		
50	Tr #6	4 PITS ALONG TRENCH.		✓ T	✓ .01	✓ .02		
45251	MW TR #6	30' E END GRAB	✓ .10	✓ T	✓ .03			
52	MW TR #6	50' W END GRAB CH. SHOW	✓ .02	✓ T	✓ .01			
53	MW TR #7	20' ROAD CUT. CHEST	✓ .09	✓ .40	✓ .01			AUGUST 9, 1967
54	MW TR #25	21-81' CHEST CHIP.	✓ .18	✓ T		LEAD .02	✓ NIL	AUGUST 11, 1967
55	Tr 25	81-141' CG. SED. CHIP.	✓ .27	✓ T		LEAD .02	✓ NIL	
56	Tr 25	141-173	✓ .04	✓ T		LEAD .01		
57	Tr 25	200-225 SHEAR.	✓ .14	✓ T		LEAD .02		
58	Tr 25	320-345, 360-400 ALT, WEATHERED	✓ .05	✓ T		LEAD .01		
45259	Tr 23	0-45' FG. SEDS. FRESH	✓ .06	✓ T		LEAD ✓ T		
60	Tr 23	100-140' CHIP. FG SED. "	✓ .17	✓ T		LEAD .01		
61	Tr 23	195-255' CHIP CG. SED. "	✓ .12	✓ T		LEAD NIL		
62	Tr 23	285-325' UFG. SED. "	✓ .09	✓ T		LEAD T ✓ T		
63	Tr 23	412-447 CG. SED FRESH.	✓ .22	✓ T		LEAD T		
64	Tr 22	12'-65' CHIP FG SED	✓ .08	✓ T		LEAD T ✓ T		
65	Tr 22	100-123 MASSIVE CHEST	✓ .44	✓ T		LEAD T	✓ NIL	
66	Tr 22	157-180 AIR. RX, CHIP.	✓ .09	✓ T		LEAD T		

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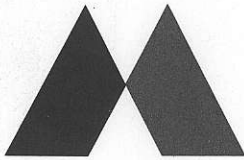
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45267	MICROWAVE 26	12' Washchip over on debit	✓ .02	✓ T		✓ .78	TSC Aug 17, 1967
45268	MW Tn 9	3' high grade on outcrop line		✓ T	✓ .06		
45269	WESTMONT	Tn 3 SOUTH SNOW 10 ^{SNOW} 10 ^{SNOW} 10 ^{SNOW}		✓ T	✓ .01		AUG 17, 1967
45270	WESTMONT	SOUTH SNOW HILL Tn			✓ .02		
45271	"	Tn # 3 0-10' GOING E TO W		✓	✓		
72	"	Tn # 3 10-20'		✓	✓		
73	"	Tn # 3 20-25'		✓	✓		
74	"	Tn # 3 25-30'		✓	✓		
75	WESTMONT	Tn # 3 30-40'		✓	✓		
33976	WESTMONT	Tn # 3 40-50'		✓	✓		
33977	WESTMONT	Tn # 3 50-55'		✓	✓		
33978	WESTMONT	Tn 4 0-10'		✓	✓		
79	"	Tn 4 10-20'		✓	✓		
80	"	Tn 4 20-30'		✓	✓		
81	"	Tn 4 30-35'		✓	✓		
82	"	Tn 4 35-45'		✓	✓		
33983	WESTMONT	Tn 5 0-10'		✓	✓		
33984	WESTMONT	SOUTH SNOW STA 206 8' GRAB		✓	✓		
33985	MICROWAVE	TR 28 E. END SHEAR 15' SELECTED HIGH GRADE	✓	✓	✓		
33986	MICROWAVE	TR 29A 15' HIGH GRADE SAMPLE	✓	✓	✓		
33987	MICROWAVE	Tn 29B SHEAR 15'	✓	✓	✓		
33988	MICROWAVE	Tn 29C, D 20' CHEAT	✓	✓	✓		
33989	MICROWAVE	ROAD CUT, BASE LINE ± 8N POSITION 'A'	✓	✓		✓	



*Nothing here on results of new geochem
survey coverage. -*

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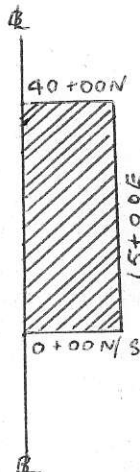
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GEOCHEMICAL SURVEY OF MICROWAVE HILL

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A geochemical soil sampling survey was conducted on part of the Microwave Hill grid, from June 24 to July 1, 1967. That part of the grid sampled extends from line 0+00N/S to line 40+00N and from the base line (which is 0+00E/W) to 15+00E, as indicated below. The lines have an east-west direction and are 200 feet apart where they cross the base line. Samples were collected every 100 feet along these lines. Three samples were missed because of extensive outcrop and one because of swamp.



number of E-W lines	: 21
stations per line	: 16
total stations	: 336
samples collected	: 332

All samples were taken from pits dug with pick and shovel. The lower "B" horizon was sampled wherever it was recognized. Elsewhere, samples were taken from immediately below the lowest level of evident organic activity. Sample depth varied from 4 or 5 inches to more than 30 inches with a median depth of approximately 15 inches.

ORIENTATION

The collection of 18 samples representing 3 soil profiles was conducted May 23. One profile of 5 samples to a depth of 32" was taken from the vicinity of the "Cd showing", another of 7 samples to 30" from the vicinity of the "Cu showing", and the third of 6 samples to a depth of 36" from an area where the bedrock appeared not to be mineralized. All of these samples were assayed for Cu, Hg and Mo, and those from the "Cd showing" and from the "unmineralized area" were also assayed for Zn.

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All of the assays from the orientation samples are represented below, with the exception of the Mo assays which were reported as "trace" for every sample.

COMMENTS

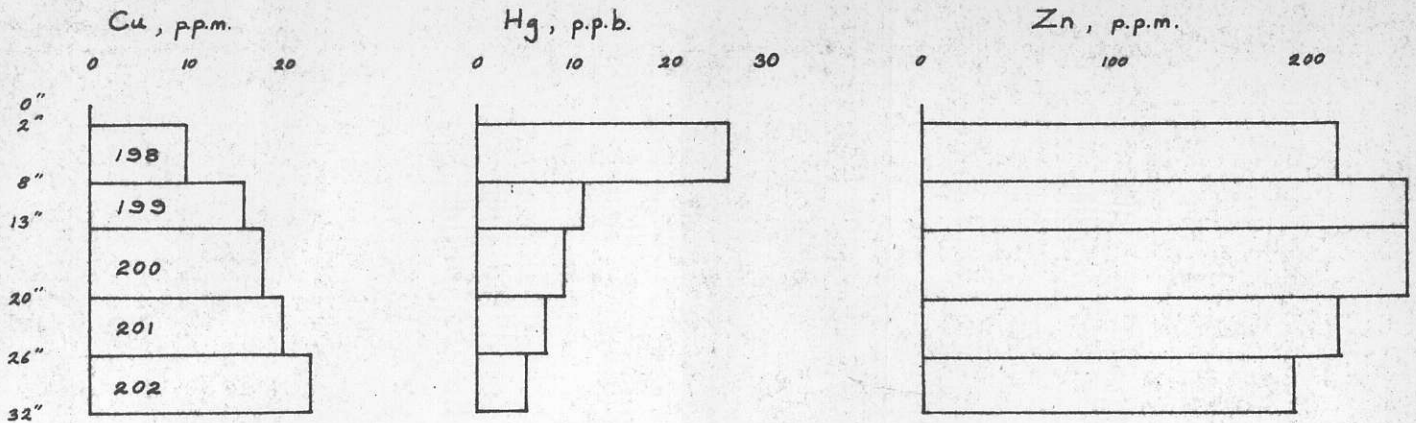
Results of the orientation survey were rather disappointing; however, the following comments can be made.

1. Molybdenum appears to be definitely unsuited for use as an indicator.
2. Copper might be applicable since the "Cu showing" is an apparently minor mineral occurrence and, therefore, does not rule out the possibility of a recognizable Cu anomaly being associated with more significant mineralization.
3. The application of mercury is uncertain and the higher values from the "unmineralized area" cannot yet be explained. However, experience at Mineral Hill and elsewhere in the area would rather lead one to expect some mercury being associated with any significant mineralization.
4. Of those elements tested, zinc appears to be the best suited for use as an indicator.
5. The overburden is generally shallow and in part residual, although a definite profile has not generally developed. However, a definite "B" soil horizon was noted, and sampled, at a few stations. There has, presumably, been down-slope movement of soil on the steeper slopes, which approach 40°. In conclusion, although the soil cover is certainly not ideally suited to geochemical exploration it is suggested that any occurrences of significant mineralization sub-outcropping beneath the generally shallow overburden would probably be indicated by soil sampling. The disappointing results of the orientation survey can probably be attributed, at least in part, to insufficient contrast between the bedrock of the "mineralized" and "unmineralized" areas.

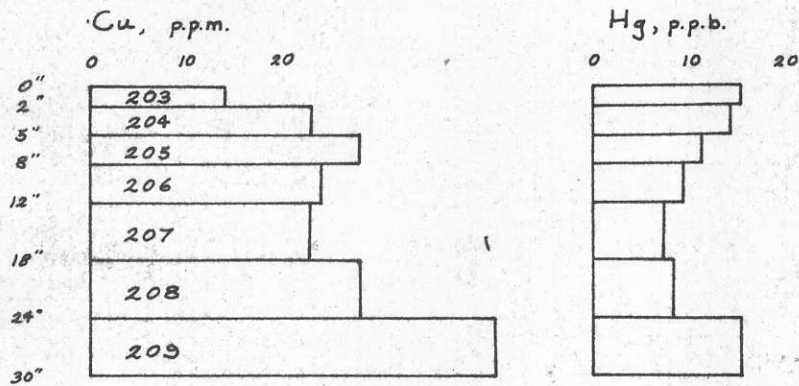
RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the 332 soil samples which have already been collected, be assayed for Zn, and that any further analyses or extended coverage await the outcome of these results.

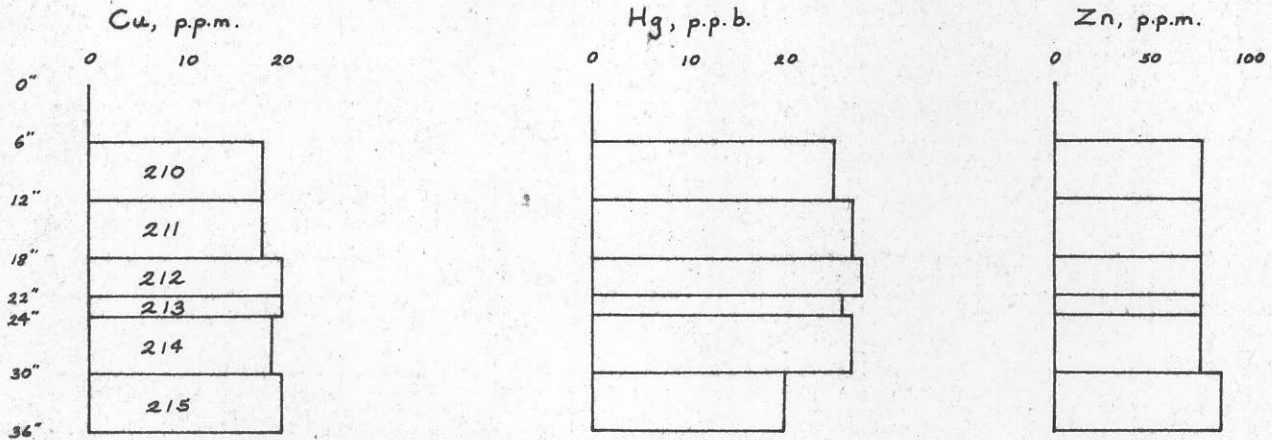
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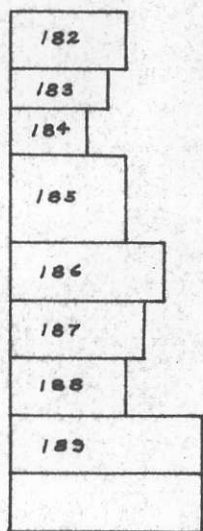
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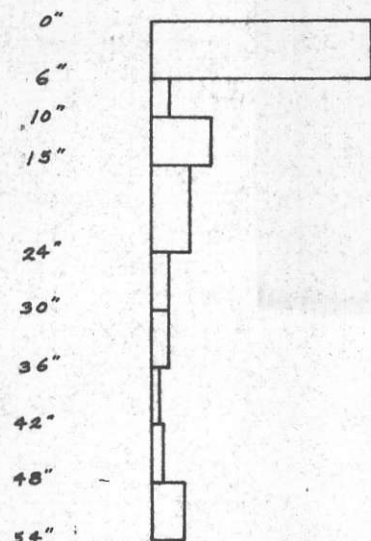
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MICROWAVE HILL
GEOCHEMICAL
ORIENTATION SURVEY

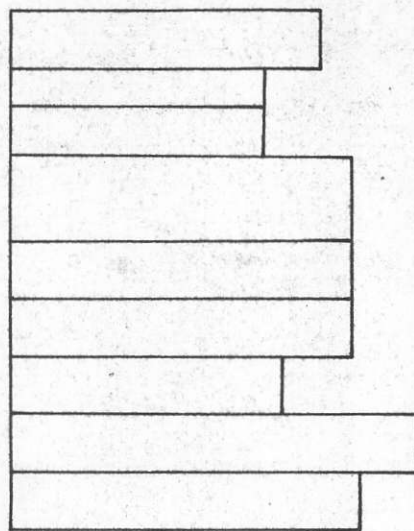
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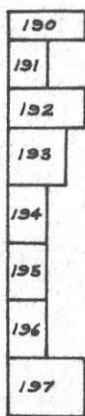


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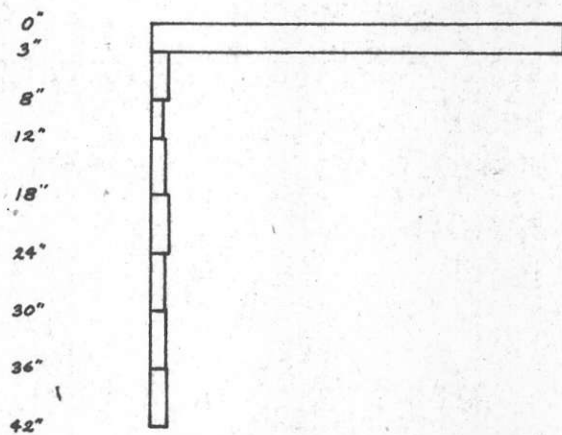


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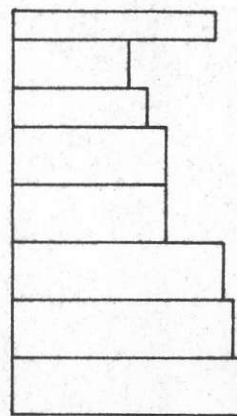
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