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Staking Northern Vancouver Island

I enclose for your information, and for Los Angeles office records, copies of the Staking Affidavits together with a sketch and a copy of the recording receipt covering 42 claims, ADI #1-42 inclusive, which we staked last week to cover part of the ground formerly held by Altair located to the east of our present IDA claims and within the Utah Island Copper - Expo mineral trend. The staking was accomplished without incident at an estimated cost of about \$800.

We plan to do a little prospecting and possibly some preliminary geological mapping later this year on this newly staked ground. It is of interest that during the staking J. Altenburg picked up some float material which we tentatively identify as dumortierite. We are waiting for a thin section to be able to verify this identification. Dumortierite is one of the alteration minerals associated with the Island copper ore.

J. B. P. Sawyer

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