

MEMO TO: Dr. A. E. Aho
Mr. A. Kulan
Mr. R. E. G. Davis

FROM: E. O. Chisholm

DATE: December 23, 1966.

Re: Wellington Mines Porphyry Copper Showing,
McConnell Creek Area, Cassiar District.

Mr. W. D. (Doug) Savage, prospector, Apartment 605, 700 Chilco Street, Vancouver, B. C., Telephone: 682-4163, prospected this property for our consideration on behalf of his principals, Wellington Mines Limited. Mr. Jim Dodge examined the property in September on behalf of Mitsui Limited and was impressed with its possibilities, although Mitsui turned it down because of its remote location.

The property is situated 185 miles NW of Fort St. James, the nearest rail centre. It is 8 miles north of McConnell Creek at long. 56°45'N, lat. 126°30'W. Reference is made to it in Memoir 251, G.S.C., McConnell Creek, by C. S. Lord, 1948, Page 61. The actual location is on Meynard Creek where 101 claims were staked. They are named the MARMET Group 1 - 101, Nos. 37027 - 37127, on B. C. Mineral Map 59M, Recording date April 1, 1966, Expiry date March 31, 1967. Elevation is from 5000 to 7000 feet. Access is by motor road to Usiliko Lake, and thence by tractor trail to the property, a distance of 65 miles or, alternatively, by float plane to Norm Lake and by foot trail 10 miles.

W. G. Stevenson, P. Eng., examined the property September 28, 1966. His report, which is available through Savage, is not too encouraging, but further work in the form of prospecting and mapping, and geochemical and IP survey is recommended. He obtained assays from .1 to 1.2 oz. silver, and .06 to 1.15% copper, and .02 gold, from a series of narrow quartz veins from 6 to 15 feet in width in the Takla volcanic rocks. Exposures were noted over an area approximately one claim in size. He thought the veins were irregular and erratic but with no strike length or depth.

Dodge, however, thought the best possibilities were around the margin of a porphyry intrusive rock intruding the lavas nearby, although no mention has been made of copper in this intrusive.

George Holbrook, Toronto consultant, also examined the property about the same time and has written a report which will be forwarded by Savage in the near future.

SUMMARY

The property is too remote for us to consider at this time. Transportation in the form of rail will not pass near the claim group for six or seven years. If further discussion with Dodge or Holbrook indicates more potential than I was able to obtain, we might consider examining the property sometime next year.

November 28, 1966.

Mr. Jim Dodge,
ASPEN, Colorado,
U. S. A.

Dear Jim:

Could you please advise Wellington Mines
that we would be interested in making an examination
of their property when conditions permit?

Yours very truly,

ATLAS EXPLORATIONS LIMITED,

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E. O. Chisholm,
Exploration Manager.

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DATE: November 8, 1966.

Jim Dodge phoned recently regarding a potentially large porphyry copper type of deposit located in the INGENIKA RIVER/McCONNEL CREEK/ system of northern B. C. The property is owned by NEW WELLINGTON MINES LTD. of VICTORIA, B. C., and the principal's name is MAX ZABEL. It was recently examined by Bill Stephenson on behalf of MITSUI Mines who turned it down due to inaccessibility. Dodge feels that the property has potential and that more geological work and geochemical work should be done. The deal with MITSUI involved an escalated option agreement whereby MITSUI put cash in Wellington's treasury to be spent on the exploration under MITSUI's management and earned an escalated interest as more money spent. No cash payment involved and no deadline for production.

Previous work done included bulldozer trenching on a shear zone 2000 feet wide. Some IP survey done with positive results near a porphyry intrusive. Dodge identified a bird's eye porphyry intrusive near the mineralization that he believes significant. He does not think Stephenson identified the porphyry.

The vendors have 2 - D6 dozers on the property. D. Savage is their field man and is still at the property. It is covered with snow probably by now as the elevation is 7000 feet on small creek named MAYNARD CREEK. New Wellington may try a wildcat hole this winter on their own.

Dodge said he would advise the owners we may be interested in examining the property.

