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93K Decker Lake

SHEET NO. 1
FILE NO. 309467/476

J. R. WILLIAMS & SON LTD.

MUTUAL 5-5821

PROVINCIAL ASSAYERS

580 NELSON STREET

812881

VANCOUVER 2, B.C., October 23rd 19 68

RESULTS of Assays made on samples of ore submitted by: MESSRS. CYPRUS EXPLORATION LTD.

MARK	Gold ozs/ton	Silver ozs/ton	Copper %	Lead %	Zinc %	Nickel %	Mo %	
<i>Decker Lake</i> 2482			0.10	<i>grab</i>			0.03	<i>C Wicksten</i>
✓ 2484	0.02	1.90	1.80	<i>across 14' horiz</i>			Trace	
✓ 2485		0.60	0.30	✓ <i>12'</i> ✓				
✓ 2486	Nil	Trace	0.35	0.10	Trace		Trace	<i>grab</i>
<i>Revelstoke</i> 2487		0.25		1.17	3.25	<i>WIGWAM prop - M. PARDEE</i>		
✓ 2488		0.40		3.00	2.45	✓	✓ - ✓ -	
<i>Pn. Gov.</i> 2489	0.01	0.05	0.04	<i>across 37' horiz</i>		Trace	Trace	<i>AHBAUCK</i>
✓ 2490	0.32	0.60	0.60	<i>across 12' horiz.</i>		Trace		✓ ✓
✓ 2491						Trace		✓
✓ 2492						Trace		✓

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A copper showing held by Carl Wickstrom and located a mile south of Decker Lake, Burns Lake area, central B. was examined on August 15th. Use Geological Survey Map No. 907A. The showing is composed of sheared and carbonatized andesitic lavas outcropping along a creek flowing through Claim 411988. The shearing is generally north-south and carries fine quartz veining and fine seams, and blebs of pyrite and chalcopyrite. Sample No. 1 was taken across 80 feet of this zone and No. 2 was across the next contiguous 80 feet. The assay results were No. 1 - 0.27% Cu, 0.30 ozs. Ag, 0.01 ozs. Au; No. 2 - 0.17% Cu, 0.15 ozs. Ag, Tr Au. This prospect is of no interest to Cyprus.

Field notes

August 15/68 - I came down from Ft. Nelson last night and stayed at the Inn of the North Hotel in Prince George. Mr. Wickstrom phoned me from Vancouver and said Gilles LeBrun would meet me at the plane in the morning at Prince George. He said the property was north of Burns Lake and that LeBrun had all the information. I rented a car from Hertz and picked up LeBrun at the airport and drove to Burns Lake. I drove from Burns Lake to Becker Lake and rented a boat from John Howland and took the motor boat across the Burns Lake to a road and walked a bush road on the south side of Burns Lake for 1/2 hour to the No. 1 post of Ram No. 3, No. 411988. The No. 1 post of 411986 and also the No. 1 post of No. 411985 are at the same location. The showing is about 50 feet south of these claim posts. There are several old core boxes now lying in ruins with fragments of core in them, size AXT, none of which can be usefully used. The core remnants suggest a brownish altered carbonate rock with some quartz veining. There is a little disseminated copper in the odd piece of core. There are four old log cabins in the general vicinity north of the mineral showing which is at elevation 2,750 above sea level. Rained hard all day. The mineral showing is on the west side of a creek bank. This showing is exposed for more than 160 feet along the bank. The shows extend into the bracciated and sheared volcanic which is highly altered in a north-south direction dipping nearly vertical. Excepting for some chalcopyrite filled shears, the mineral is generally disseminated through the grey carbonated ground mass. No. 1 sample was taken across the northern-most 80 feet and No. 2 sample across the southern-most 80 feet. These samples are contiguous. There is some outcrop beyond this, but I did not have time to examine it, because of heavy rain. There is a possibility that a magnetometer survey and induced polarization survey may be useful on this exposure which has not be delimited to the north. There is also evidence of mineralization to the south. This sample should be run for copper, silver, gold and a yellowish mineral should be checked for. The distance from the lake is about 1/2 hour's walk or nearly 1-1/2 miles. There is a creek paralleling the old road called Gerow Creek. The old road leaves the south side of Becker Lake just south of Sandy Point.

The topographic map number is 93K and the geological map number is G.S.C. 907A.

We returned to Prince George, turning in the car at Hertz Rentals, and checked out of the Inn of the North Hotel, and returned to Vancouver late in the evening via C.P. Airlines.

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CERTIFICATE OF ASSAY

File → C. Wickstrom

J. R. WILLIAMS & SON LTD.

DECKOR LAKE
BURNS LAKE, B.C.

PROVINCIAL ASSAYERS AND CHEMISTS

Office and Laboratory:

580 Nelson Street, Vancouver 2, B. C.

I Hereby Certify that the following are the results of assays made by me upon samples of ORE
herein described and received from Messrs. CYPRUS EXPLORATIONS LTD. August 20th 19 68

MARKED	GOLD		SILVER		Copper		Per Cent.	Value Per Ton	Per Cent.	Value Per Ton
	Ounces Per Ton	Value Per Ton	Ounces Per Ton	Value Per Ton	Per Cent.	Value Per Ton				
4728 E		\$	0.20	\$	Trace			\$		
4729 E					Trace					
4730 E	0.01		0.30		0.27					
4731 E	0.005		0.15		0.17					

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Gold calculated at \$..... per ounce.

Silver calculated at..... cents per ounce.

NOTE—Pulps of Samples retained 2 months from date of Receipt.
Rejects 1 week unless otherwise instructed.

Calculated at..... cents per lb.

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J. Moore

Provincial Assayer.

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CERTIFICATE OF ASSAY

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I **Hereby Certify** that the following are the results of assays made by me upon samples of ORE
herein described and received from MESSRS. CYPRUS EXPLORATIONS LTD. October 8th 1968

MARKED	GOLD		SILVER		Copper		Lead		Mo.
	Ounces Per Ton	Value Per Ton	Ounces Per Ton	Value Per Ton	Per Cent.	Value Per Ton	Per Cent.	Value Per Ton	Per Cent.
2477	0.015	\$	0.30	\$	0.85		CHAS. SHEA		Trace
2478	0.24		0.95		0.60		} ANBARU CK 24 Prince George CARIBOU - Minerals Property near Cinema		
2479	0.03		0.50		0.30				
2480	0.01		Trace		0.15				
2481	0.19		6.40		0.15			12.15	

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Gold calculated at \$ _____ per ounce.

Silver calculated at _____ cents per ounce.

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J. Moore Provincial Assayer.

INTER OFFICE MEMO

CYPRUS EXPLORATION CORPORATION LTD.
VANCOUVER OFFICE

Date: December 3, 1968

To: Mr. J. G. Hansen
From: Mr. D. W. Tully
Subject: DECKER LAKE (KERR COPPER PROSPECT), B.C.
C. WICKSTROM - owner

Attached are copies of reports by Dr. R. H. Seraphim and Ross Kidd on the subject prospects.

We are considering this prospect for acquisition if a suitable option can be negotiated. At the moment the requested down payment is too high at \$5,000 and also the interest at 25 percent.

DWT/jel

Attachments

Decker Lake

Ross Kidd reports that showing has width of
approx. 12 ft. - Chalc + galena. 120ft drilled
length 3.15% Cu across 11.5ft.

Old assays report fair amount silver.

E.M. 16 traced this zone at least another 50ft
west. Quality of conductor improved to N.

R.K. likes it.

REFERENCES IN MINISTER MINES REPORTS RE-KERN COPPER

REFERENCES	IN MINISTER MINES	REPORTS	RE-KERN COPPER
1927	P 152	Reported as Golden Glory	
1930	P 146	" " " "	
1940	P 83	" " REID GROUP	
1955	P 25	" " KERN COPPER	

There is also a report on this property in the 1926 Minister of Mines report - but we don't have a copy of the report.

the minerals mentioned, but, considering the float as a whole, the proportion of mineral to gangue is small.

Last year a considerable amount of trenching was carried out on the summit of the hill and on the northern slopes when the property was under option to the late F. H. Taylor. It is understood that this work failed to disclose evidence of any vein in place, the purpose of this work being to endeavour to find the origin of the float previously mentioned. At the time of inspection of this property, May 2nd, all these trenches had been filled in to avoid chance of injury to grazing cattle. It was seen, however, that trenching is in place quite extensive and has in general magnetic north-and-south direction.

About 100 feet below the summit of this hill on the south side, a tunnel known as "Newman tunnel," 20 feet or so in length, appears to crosscut a vein between 2 and 3 feet in width near the portal, striking N. 45° E. (mag.), and the north-easterly continuation of this vein would seem to be exposed by an open-cut 150 feet distant and farther up the hill. This vein is a quartz vein mineralized with galena, zinc-blende, and copper-stains. A sample of the best portions of it assayed: Gold, 0.04 oz. to the ton; silver, 1.6 oz. to the ton; lead, 1.6 per cent.; zinc, 2 per cent. It is possible that the float on the north slope of this hill originates from a vein of similar strike to this at or near the summit of the hill. Such a vein might be discovered by systematic trenching at right angles to this strike. At the same time the amount of work justified in connection with an attempt to find the origin of the float depends upon the values of the latter. First-hand evidence secured by the Resident Engineer does not indicate high values and it is problematical if the vein from which originated the float is any better than the one mentioned, which has been already exposed by Newman's tunnel, and upon which the owner might do a little more work.

Red Mine. This group is owned by J. R. Stanyer, of Francois Lake, and is situated near Nourse creek, which flows into Francois lake on the north side of the latter about 9 miles west of the ferry-landing. In its upper reaches Nourse creek

has cut down to a depth of several hundred feet through highly oxidized volcanic rocks, vesicular and amygdaloidal lavas, and breccias, which have weathered in places to picturesque pinnacles. Lithification of these rocks suggests Tertiary age. Numerous calcite-seams cut across the beds and the breccias contain much biotite. An open-cut on the left bank of the creek close to water level exposes a bed of decomposed breccia stained red and crimson, showing much biotite and some pyrite. Samples taken in two places from these decomposed volcanic beds failed to disclose appreciable values in gold or silver.

Wee McGregor. This claim, owned by J. Roberts, of Francois Lake, is situated south of Francois Lake and is distant about half a mile south of Danskin Post-office.

In well-lithified andesitic volcanics occur several small, more or less parallel veins of the shear-zone type within a belt of country-rock about 350 feet in width. These strike from N. 37° E. (mag.) to N. 60° E. (mag.). Mineralization consists of chalcopyrite with small amounts of galena and zinc-blende. These minerals also follow to some extent small cracks in the country-rock and also occur as a sparse dissemination. The best exposure of mineral is in a shear-zone 2½ feet in width, which shows two small seams of mineral. A sample from a foot-wall seam 6 inches in width assayed: Gold, 0.02 oz. to the ton; silver, 0.56 oz. to the ton; copper, 1.7 per cent.

About half a mile north-east of the foregoing, in the bed of a small creek flowing into Francois lake, there is exposed a bed of rhyolitic rock, much pyritized. Assay of a sample disclosed traces only of gold and silver.

Golden Glory. This group is owned by W. Reed and R. H. Gerow, of Burns Lake, and is situated on Reed creek, which flows into Decker lake from the south, about opposite the settlement of Decker Lake, situated on the north shore of the lake.

Work done since that described in the 1927 Annual Report indicates that a somewhat wide belt of the volcanic country-rock in the region of the oldest workings on this property (which lie to the north of those described in the 1927 Annual Report) is mineralized with copper. The extent and width of this belt, likewise its commercial possibilities, remain to be determined by future work but investigation is merited.

A width of about 125 feet of country-rock appears to be sheared in a direction N. 80° (mag.) and to be well mineralized in places with chalcopyrite and copper-stain. The oldest workings on the property are within this belt and comprise two tunnels, one of which is ca

This property, owned by R. H. and D. M. Gerow and associates, is situated on **Golden Glory**. Reed creek, which flows into Decker lake on the south side, opposite the settlement of Decker Lake, a station on the Canadian National Railway 5 miles west of Burns Lake. The property is distant about a mile from the lake.

Reed creek has cut down to a depth of upwards of 200 feet in the prevailing volcanic rocks, where the mineral-showings occur. For a distance of several hundred feet the creek appears to follow the strike of a vein trending about N. 55° E. (mag.) and dipping north-westerly—that is, under the creek. Surface exposures being very nearly at creek-level, it is a matter of some difficulty to follow mineral-exposures. The vein at one point seems to be fairly well mineralized with galena and zinc-blende of low silver content. At this point a short crosscut a few feet in length was run into the right bank of the creek, and a drift run 50 feet parallel with the creek, following the vein on a bearing N. 55° E. A few sacks of fairly solid sulphide mineral were obtained in this drift, a grab sample of which assayed: Gold, trace; silver, 1.2 oz. to the ton; lead, 14 per cent.; zinc, 38 per cent. It is stated, however, that the mineral pinched out within a few feet and the drift was discontinued, and the crosscut continued on a bearing S. 60° E. (mag.) for a distance of 75 feet, following a diverging stringer dipping north-easterly. It also was discontinued owing to the mineral pinching. It was noted that at about 20 feet from the portal a little mineral showing in the back appeared to run off into the foot-wall, which might merit a little investigation. Some 200 yards lower down the creek there is evidence of what is possibly the continuation of the same vein prospected by the upper workings, and a little investigation at this point also would appear to be worth while.

Endako.

Endako is a divisional point on the Canadian National Railway 115 miles west of Prince George. South-west of this point a discovery of molybdenite was made in 1927. It was also noted that outcrops of granitic rock are of somewhat frequent occurrence in the vicinity and the advisability of prospecting the region both north and south of Endako, not necessarily for molybdenite only but for other minerals, is indicated. At Endako there is a hotel and store, where all necessary supplies can be obtained. At the south end of Babine lake there is known to be an extensive stock of batholithic rock and there appears to be no reason why the region southward to Endako should not be promising for mineral occurrence.

This group consists of four claims, owned by A. Langley, C. H. Foote, J. Braithwaite, and W. Foote, and is situated about 5 miles in a direct south-west line from Endako. Access to the property is, however, at present gained by a trail from the Endako-Francois Lake wagon-road, a total distance of upwards of 12 miles from Endako.

The property, which is a molybdenite prospect, lies at an elevation of 3,450 feet in comparatively flat, rolling country well covered with spruce, jack-pine, and poplar timber and a heavy growth of peavine. Its discovery indicates close and patient prospecting. The area is evidently extensively underlain by batholithic rocks, and granite outcrops in several places. Quartz float varying in size from pieces the size of a man's fist to 100 lb. or more in weight, and showing fine scales of molybdenite, is to be found scattered over a comparatively large area. At two or three points molybdenite has been found in place. At one such a quartz-seam 2 feet wide in granite, striking N. 50° E. (mag.) and dipping at about 55° south-east, is exposed by open-cut. A sample taken across this seam assayed 2.43 per cent. molybdenite (MoS₂). A similar strike was also observed in the case of other narrower seams in place. About 750 feet west of the above exposure a pit sunk 5 feet to bed-rock showed promising float and there seems every prospect of finding a vein in place in the immediate vicinity.

While, as might be expected, the fringes of batholithic rock are mineralized in places with molybdenite, the prevailing mode of occurrence seems to be in quartz veins. Such scanty evidence as is available points to the likelihood of the existence of a number of more or less parallel quartz veins, striking about N. 45° E. (mag.). These seem likely to contain a good percentage of molybdenite and a noteworthy feature is the apparent entire absence of sulphides other than molybdenite.

This property shows promise and merits further investigation. The mantle of glacial drift appears to be thin, which greatly facilitates surface prospecting. Necessity for the latter is

and the other is stated to have yielded a shipment of ore in 1915. The latter is 35 feet in length and shows a mineralized shear-zone in the face. Near the caved tunnel an open-cut shows a fair mineralization of chalcopyrite. About 100 feet north of the caved tunnel a new tunnel has been started a short distance above the creek-level on a south-westerly bearing to crosscut the mineralized belt mentioned. This has advanced a distance of 52 feet and appears to be just entering the northern limit of the latter. About 450 feet distant in an easterly direction from the portal of this tunnel on the opposite side of Reed creek, George Culp has run an open-cut 100 feet in length in a direction S. 30° E. (mag.) on his adjoining property, and the face of this cut shows evidence of copper mineralization.

A sample of selected portions of chalcopyrite from a surface open-cut near the caved tunnel mentioned above assayed: Gold, 0.02 oz. to the ton; silver, 5.6 oz. to the ton; copper, 10.5 per cent. Refer also to Annual Reports for 1926 and 1927.

This claim is owned by J. C. McLean, of Burns Lake, and immediately adjoins the *Silver Glimmer* on the south. On the left bank of Reed creek, just above the creek-level and about 65 feet up-stream from the *Golden Glory* workings on the right bank, a tunnel has been run 85 feet in a direction S. 75° W. (mag.), following a vein mineralized with galena, zinc-blende, and chalcopyrite. At 40 feet from the portal a south crosscut shows a width of 2 feet, in which are seams of the minerals mentioned. A sample of selected portions of this mineral assayed: Gold, 0.02 oz. to the ton; silver, 3.1 oz. to the ton; copper, 29.8 per cent.; zinc, 18.2 per cent. A short distance beyond the crosscut a fault interrupts the vein and no mineral shows in the tunnel for a further 20 feet. A southerly branch tunnel at the face of the main working shows a narrow seam of zinc blende.

Vanderhoof.

Tremolite.—An interesting occurrence of this mineral was brought to attention by George Weston, of Vanderhoof, to whom samples had been handed in by Indians who originally made the discovery.

The showings lie about 15 miles in a direct line approximately due south of Vanderhoof, somewhat to the east of the 124th meridian. A car can be got to within about 8 miles of the exposures, which are by natural agencies only, but this remaining distance is across country covered with fallen timber and rapid progress cannot be made.

In this region a mountain situated about 6 miles south-west of Hogsback lake, and the elevation of the summit of which is 4,580 feet, consists almost wholly of the mineral tremolite. On one flank of this mountain gneiss outcrops. The tremolite rock shows a small amount of green actinolite, and the calcium magnesium silicate has only partly assumed the asbestiform habit—insufficiently so to make this particular exposure of commercial interest. Nevertheless, it is evident that search should be prosecuted in this region for a commercial occurrence of this mineral, because near this mountain is a large boulder which exhibits asbestiform mineral of commercial grade. It might be mentioned that float is scattered over an area of many square miles in this region.

While tremolite usually results from metamorphism of magnesian limestone or dolomite, the view held of this occurrence is that there is exhibited in this region magmatic differentiation. The large intrusion of batholithic rock, and metamorphism of the differentiate has resulted in the formation of the tremolite. Indirect support to this view appears to be lent by the report of a discovery of nickel on Sinkut mountain, not far distant from the tremolite occurrence, made by Messrs. McHenry and E. F. Wynne Heath. This was not reported until late in the year and has not yet been investigated. It is, however, interesting to note that samples received show hornblende, and garnierite associated with hornblende in what appears to be a batholithic rock.

SIBOLA SECTION.

Time did not permit of inspection of any properties in this section during the year. A hurried trip was, however, made from Burns Lake to Kimsquit, on the Dean channel, via the Sakumtha trail, for the purpose of inspecting the trail under construction between Eutsuk lake and Kimsquit. The trail between these points and the surface tramway across the portage between Eutsuk and Kimsquit lakes is not yet quite finished. Further mention of this route will be found under "Roads and Trails" in this report, and a detailed account of it is given in the 26 Annual Report, pages 147, 148, and 149.

The major part of the output was supplied by the *East Monarch*, but it was found that some low-grade ore, abandoned in former years in the western section of the mine, could be mined profitably and that part of the property was re-equipped for production. The development-work done comprised 61 feet of raising, 180 feet of crosscutting, and 366 feet of long holes drilled for exploratory purposes.

The company also owns the *Kicking Horse* mine on Mount Field, on the north side of the Kicking Horse Valley. The property is at approximately the same altitude as the *Monarch*. Operations were resumed in October after having been suspended for nearly three years. It was necessary to complete the construction of the aerial tramway, left unfinished in 1937, and to establish connections between the underground upper terminal of the tramway and the partly developed ore-bodies above it. The latter part of the programme involved 170 feet of raising, the straightening of an existing raise over a length of 80 feet, and 17 feet of crosscutting. The entrances to the mine are on the face of a very abrupt cliff and are somewhat difficult of access. Production was expected to begin on or about February 1st, 1941. The ore will be transported by trucks from the lower terminal of the tramway to the *Monarch* concentrator.

[Reference: Annual Reports, 1935 and 1938, Part E.]

COPPER DEPOSITS.

BURNS LAKE AREA.

Reid Group. This group consists of the *Golden Glory No. 1*, *Good Luck*, *Echo No. 1*, and *Echo No. 2*, with which are associated the *Hyland* and *Echo* claims. It is owned by W. Reid, A. Ostrem, and associates, of Burns Lake.

The claims are located on the south side of Decker Lake, opposite Decker Lake Station and about 1½ miles from the lake-shore in the canyon of Reid Creek, around altitude 1,990 feet (altitude of Decker Lake, 1,800 feet).

In one place on the *Golden Glory No. 1* claim, a sparse and irregular mineralization of galena and sphalerite associated with seams of chalcopyrite in a quartzose gangue occurs.

This mineral deposit has been known for a number of years and open-cutting and a small amount of underground exploration has been carried out on it from time to time. Most of the old workings are caved. No appreciable mineralization was observed in the workings and outcrops examined.

In order to determine the degree of values associated with the mineralization, samples were taken and assayed as follows:—

(1.) *Hyland* mineral claim, elevation 2,025 feet. Pyritized dioritic rock intrusive into red andesitic breccia: Gold, nil; silver, nil; copper, 0.2 per cent.

(2.) *Golden Glory No. 1*, sample of 13 tons of mineralized material in a collapsed bin (reported by W. Reid to have been extracted from an adjacent caved shaft): Gold, 0.01 oz. per ton; silver, 2.9 oz. per ton; copper, 4.4 per cent.

[Reference: Annual Reports, 1926, 1927, and 1930.]

SIMILKAMEEN RIVER AREA.

PRINCETON.

Company office, 675 Hastings Street West, Vancouver, B.C.; mine **Granby Consolidated** office, Copper Mountain, B.C.; Julian B. Beaty, President; A. S. Mining, Smelting & Baillie, General Manager; B. E. Perks, Secretary; A. W. Seaton, Power Co., Ltd. Treasurer; W. R. Lindsay, Mine Manager. Capital: 600,000 shares, \$5 par; issued, 450,260. The company owns and operates the *Copper Mountain* mine, 12 miles south of Princeton. During the year a 10,000-k.v.a. unit was added to the steam-electric power plant. The coal-supply for the steam generators is from the company's own coal-mining operations in the Princeton district.

TOPLEY* 1955

Gold-Silver

**Topley Richfield
(Silver Standard
Mines Limited)**

(54° 126° N.E.) Company office, 602 West Hastings Street, Vancouver. This group of eighteen claims was optioned in 1955. The property is about 7 miles north of Topley, a small settlement on the Canadian National Railway between Burns Lake and Smithers. A considerable amount of development work was done on the Red

Top group (part of the Topley Richfield property) in 1926 and 1927, and work has been done intermittently since that time.

Two diamond-drill holes were started in 1955, but difficulties in drilling stopped the first hole at 293 feet and the second at 243 feet. It is reported that further attempts to drill this ground will be made with suitable equipment in 1956.

[Reference: *Minister of Mines, B.C.*, Ann. Rept., 1926, pp. 138-143; 1927, pp. 140-147; 1937, pp. C 26-27.]

DECKER LAKE*

Copper

Kerr Copper

(54° 125° S.W.) This property, consisting of about thirty-five claims and fractions, is on Gerow Creek, 1 mile south of Decker Lake. The property is reached from the village of Decker Lake by boat across the lake and by trail from the south shore of the lake. The group was optioned in 1955 by Trico Explorations Ltd. and Moneta Porcupine Mines, Limited, from A. B. Goodridge and Cyril Keyes.

Some work consisting of open-cuts and short adits was done on the property many years ago. In 1955, previous to the option being taken, Goodridge and Keyes diamond-drilled seven holes totalling 386 feet. This drilling, together with the surface showings, indicated a zone of sheared and altered volcanics partly mineralized over a length of 120 feet with chalcopyrite, sphalerite, and galena. The zone appears to strike about north 60 degrees west and to dip 40 degrees or less southwestward. The surrounding rocks are andesitic volcanics of the Hazelton group.

Trico Explorations Ltd. and Moneta Porcupine Mines, Limited, began drilling additional holes on August 1st and continued until the end of September. Six holes totalling 1,000 feet were drilled, but these deeper holes did not cut mineralization comparable to the shallower holes, and the option was dropped. R. H. Seraphim was in charge of the exploration work with a crew averaging seven men.

WHITESAIL LAKE†

Gold-Silver-Tungsten

**Harrison (Deer
Horn Mines
Limited)‡**

(53° 127° S.E.) Head office, 44 King Street West, Toronto. President, W. H. Bouck; mine manager, W. Tattrie. The property consists of thirty Crown-granted claims and fractional claims and eight claims held by record. The Harrison group is north of Lindquist Lake, 85 miles southwest of Burns Lake. The claims are in Tweedsmuir Park and also in the hydro-electric power reserve granted Aluminum Company of Canada Limited.

Fuel and mining equipment are transported by barge from Kenney Dam to the western end of Whitesail Lake, a distance of approximately 140 miles, thence by 5.7 miles of tractor-road to the mine camp at an elevation of 4,150 feet. The camp consists of cook-house, bunk-house, dry, engineering and assay offices.

* By A. R. C. James.

† By A. R. C. James, except as noted.

‡ By W. R. Bacon.