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HIGHLIGHTS

Goldstream (Orphan Boy Resources Inc.) - reported that angular massive sulphide boulders up to 1 m across have been found at the Boutwell Discovery in the C-1 grid area, some 10 km west of the Goldstream mine. The prospect occurs within a 600 m long Cu-Zn-Ag anomaly. The massive sulphides are comprised of pyrrhotite with minor chalcopyrite, sphalerite and galena, have a "durchbewegung" texture similar to Goldstream, and are interpreted to occur at about the same stratigraphic position (near the "garnet horizon"). Assays show the boulders are anomalous in copper (to 1553 ppm Cu). The prospect is at a low elevation in the Goldstream valley and should be the focus of further trenching and drilling in 2002.

Spire (Imperial Metals Corp) - no official news release has come out, but the Imperial Metals website includes an Adobe presentation with photos, maps and results from their recent trenching program. The best result was a channel sample in a new trench which graded 3.4% Cu and 2.9% Zn over 1 m. The prospect also has similar geology and ore textures to the Goldstream mine, 7 km NE. Thi Goldstream area north of Revelstoke could be busy in 2002.

**EXPLORATION NEWS** 

Duke Copper (MF92ISW076) - Southern Rio Resources acquired this copper prospect located 20 km west of Craigmont in the Guichon Creek batholith. Drilling of 12 holes in the 1960's returned up to 0.63% Cu over 57.9 m. Southern Rio is returning to BC from Chile to take advantage of the flow through tax credit, according to Lindsay Bottomer (former President of BC and Yukon Chamber of Mines and Exploration Manager for Echo Bay).

ED Property - Lyra Resources has optioned an 82 unit claim group adjacent to their ED 1-20 block, located near Edith Lake south of Kamloops.

## OTHER:

Merritt Area till paper - wrote up and submitted a short section on Regional Geology and Metallogeny for a paper on surficial geology in the Merritt area, to be published by Bobrowsky et al. in Geological Fieldwork, 2001.

Exploration Review Talk - continued preparation of graphics and speaking notes for presentation in Victoria on Nov. 22.

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