

- still bills to be paid, more to sample helicopter (systematic Northwest) at best - one day recee

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Sept. 22/98 ~3 hr. drive from Williams Lk.

- chat with Andrew Smith, VP Expl'n
- plan to use BC Expl'n Tax Credit Program (cancelled Premier's site program)
- spent ~ \$750k on "Pellaire" project; incl.

Possible resource = 100,000 lbs of Au

a) Lord River (Pellaire) high-grade Au-Te vein system - 9' ddh, plus bulk sample, trucked out (av. grade = 1 opt Au) → doing column leach testing on North Shipy. → telluride/gold metallurgy

→ Andrew working with Lloyd Twaites (Chemex) re-telluride/gold metallurgy → previous bottle roll tests >95% Au recovery

- good colour air photographs
- good satellite maps

b) Regional (reece) work

c) New Discovery - NW Charlie

→ "Northwest Copper"
[Location = 2 valleys west of Mintile "Charlie" (#920043)]
Future Access not a problem. ~~Chita~~ - leached cap, incl. intense argillic (clay) zone on top of ridge, plus native copper in veinlets (west slope) + azurite

- good RGS (silt) + rk. chip, Cu ± Au values
- area of interest heads west into Chiko Park (see McLaren's Bulletin #81).

- Host intrusion(s) = Granodiorite - currently being dated, as part of UBC (Lori Snyder) study.

- Paul Schiamiza visited for couple of days
* Rio Algom (Al McMurt) has been on site 'crawling over' property + reviewing data ["afraid of increased taxes in Latin America"]

d) Chita - par. Cu-Au (downslope to west) target
few holes drilled, by Bethlehem (Evanston) → mapping, geochem + IP ~ \$0.10k