KELOWNA CLAIMS TO BE EXPLORED - Tillicum Gold Mines Ltd. director Jonathan W. George has reported that the recently

underground workings which explore several quartz veins ranging from narrow fracture fillings to veins 4 feet thick.

Froduction from the mine in 1935 was reported at 5 tons grading 10 oz.gold/ton and 3.6 oz.silver/ton obtained from over

500 feet of underground workings.

Grab samples from vein exposures in 1972 show gold assays ranging from 0.005 oz./ton to 2.72 oz./ton, silver from trace to 7.85 oz./ton, copper 0.10% to 0.30% and lead from trace to 6.47%. No drilling has been done on the property. Tillicum plans to start in April a program of detailed soil sampling, sampling of the adits and trenches, geophysical surveys and surface stripping. Appraisal of this proposal will determine the extent of possible drilling.

The company also plans work on claims in the Horsefly gold camp and in the Burton area of B.C. An option on the Big 3-1 and Big 3-2 claims near Burton was dropped 31Dec83.

Tillicum Gold Mines VSE-TLC
Tillicum has recently acquired a 12 unit mineral claim, the Dawn #100, nine miles northwest of Kelowna, B.C. in the Vernon Mining Division. The property encompasses the old Blue Hawk Mine which produced 5 tons of ore in 1935 grading 10 ounces of gold and 3.6 ounces of silver per ton. Development work is planned for this April and will consist of soil sampling, sampling of the adits and trenches, geophysical surveys and surface stripping.

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