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Dewar:

This summer's Dewar Cr. Project consists of 3 jobs: ① investigate the possibility of a mineral deposit on the No. (claim) plus the Nine Lake claims; ② explore the De Gray (6 claims) + adjacent ground to find out whether the lead quartz occurrence holds any significant possibilities; ③ + last to investigate the 2 magnetic (airborne) anomalies on the Shookumchuk E. Cr. area (SE of Premier Lake).

Defer, we have done all we could on the No. claims. A combined mag + E.M. anomaly was located adjacent to the mineral showing, but no geodes. I had hope to spend a day traversing the area where the anomaly occurs. It could be done <sup>early</sup> from the camp but no time as usual. Earlier the area was covered with snow, so if you can find time, maybe stop over there on a camp move day.

No significant mag or E.M. anomaly was found during the work from Camp #1 + 2. A slightly interesting geodes occurs on the south side of Nine Cr. just below <sup>above</sup> the lake area within the G.S.C. mapped White Cr. batholith. I did not notice anything interesting in the granitic rocks. The higher geodes values could be caused by an embayment of sediments within the granitic mass or it could be caused by diorite, though some of the latter is reported. I plan on doing some Pb + W geodes assays on those samples + see what comes of it.

Camp #3 work area show more activity on the mag + E.M., though not really significant. Will have to finish this one out. I'll be bringing you up to date on this.

It is proposed that the remaining work should be done from 2 more camps (#4 + 5). #4 located on Kurt's staking camp, though I had proposed locating it on an island on Greenland Cr. near Kurt's camp, but I did not bother to go + look at it. #5 camp is around the alpine area on claim #70 approx. Work should be carried to 112<sup>nd</sup> loc. line from #4 camp.

After completion of Nine Lake claims, move camp to

Kurt's Doc. camp. Work should include trenching across the quartz shales (floor area), immediately S of the peak to find out as much as possible of the occurrence. At the same time, continue the soil survey from where we left off last fall. I planned on a 5-day camp for the job.

If time is available, now look into town & drive to the V2 mag anomaly & take a look see. I suspect the mag. is caused by diorite sills.

Not likely, I'll be talking with you by phone regarding any finds or problems which might arise now & then. If you can't get through during the day, do not hesitate to phone during the evening. Town Radio cannot signal the Vancouver part of town because the radio's tone signal is not working. The only means of getting out is by telling the operator you are standing by to make a call when she is taking other people's calls. My home phone is 926-2627. All charges are charged to Town Radio.

The boys are fine workers when in the field but they all tend to sleep in after the alarm rings. They need a little prodding. They are a lazy bunch when it comes to camp chores. This you will have to move them to get them performing. I probably have been too easy with them. I suggest that you rotate every 2 days on cooking duties, and the assigned one should get up early enough so that the crew can leave camp early to be able to do a fair days work. When they come in early, they should get to work on mag. calculations and on E.M. plotting; otherwise the results will not be going out to base on camp work day. We are now behind on geochron. assay plot (a little) & far behind on mag. calculations & plot. Doug Wright has a habit of either napping or sleeping when he returns in the early afternoon. (later in leaving camp in morning, consequently not enough time to make another line & back) His drafting is sloppy & must be watched to make sure he is not drafting as he likes.

Good luck.

Paul