Geology and Geochemistry of the

BOLO PROSPECT

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I. Introduction

The Bolo prospect is located on the east flank of the Hot Creek Range (Nye County) in unsurveyed Sections 17, 20, and 29 of T. 8 N., R. 50 E. The Bolo prospect was discovered by Lyle F. Campbell in March, 1974. The prospect consists of a 30-claim group covering masses of gold-bearing jasperoid in early Paleozoic carbonate rocks. These masses are in part fault-controlled and in part strata-controlled. Campbell's sampling revealed the presence of gold in anomalous amounts, ranging from tenths of a ppm to 4 ppm (a little over 0.1 oz/ton).

Campbell leased the property to Chevron Resources in 1975. Their staff resampled the area and obtained comparable geochemical results. The gold values were accompanied by elevated values of silver, antimony, arsenic, and mercury. These results are available in reports compiled by Campbell and by Chevron.

Chevron conducted a modest reconnaissance drilling program in 1975 to evaluate areas of higher gold values. Chevron collared 4 holes (of approximately 150-300') in areas of bedded jasperoid and 4 in areas of fault-controlled jasperoid. The 4 holes in bedded jasperoid (1, 1A, 2, 4) established that the bedded jasperoids were 25-40' thick and contained gold values of tenths of a ppm to 2.3 ppm. Limestones beneath the bedded jasperoids carried values of 0.02 to 0.10 ppm. The 4 holes in

fault-controlled jasperoid were completed in two separate areas. One isolated hole (5) intersected 0.1 to 0.4 ppm in silicified carbonates along the main fault zone. A second cluster of three holes (3, 8, 9) tested another area of the fault, achieving 60' of 1.5 ppm in the hole closest to the fault (3), and little detectable gold in two offsets (8, 9) drilled further away in the hanging wall block.

Canerta Resources, Ltd., of Calgary, Alberta, leased the property in 1983 and recruited the writers of this report to remap and resample the property. Their objective was to establish tighter control on the geology than had been exercised to date and, in so doing, develop additional drill targets. This report is the result of that effort.

In view of the fact that much of the area of jasperoid outcrop had never been drill-tested, and the fact that we were unable to recover Chevron's sample locations, our first priority was to establish a 200' grid to establish accurate ground control for geologic mapping (at 1"=500') and geochemical samples.

The grid is marked by fluorescent orange survey stakes, and extends 3,400' north-south along the main fault zone and from 400' west of the fault to 2,000' east of it.

The grid and claim block are shown on Plate I. Plate II is the geologic map. Plate III shows sample sites, while Plates IV - VII present the geochemical results for gold, silver, arsenic, and antimony.

II. Geologic setting

The Hot Creek Range is a north-trending uplift cored largely by early Paleozoic carbonates and truncated on the north by the perimeter of the Hot Creek Caldera complex.

Tertiary mineralizing activity is manifest at three places along the east flank of the range.

To the south, plugs and dikes have intruded the area known as the Tybo district, about 10-12 miles due south of the prospect. Here, silver-lead-zinc replacement bodies are developed in fissures in the limestones in contact with intrusives. Intermittent production over a 60-year period yielded \$10,000,000 worth of metal. Somewhat farther north (5-6 miles south of the prospect), dikes have produced small bodies of copper-lead-zinc skarns which have been worked as small open pits. Their value is unknown. Ten miles to the north, within the area of caldera development, the Morey district produced about \$500,000 worth of silver from fissure veins.

The dominant feature of the east flank of the range is the complex of steeply-dipping longitudinal faults, which segment the range into north-south belts of distinctive carbonate assemblages. These faults have two effects: they progressively expose, from west to east, older carbonate units (Mississippian to Cambrian), and they provide numerous conduits for small intrusives and the related alteration and mineralization found in the several mining districts, and on the Bolo property itself.

III. Geology of the Bolo prospect

A. General

Before discussing the details of the Bolo prospect proper, it is important to recognize that the local nomenclature we have developed is an extension of the stratigraphy established by the U.S.G.S. for the Tybo 15' quadrangle, which adjoins the Bolo area on the south. Our nomenclature differs from that employed by Campbell/Chevron, and the cause may lie in the fact that the Tybo sheet was not published until 1974, and may not have been available to them. To establish our nomenclature, we relied on two techniques: field examination of the Tybo area, and northward projection of geology (by geomorphology and linears) from the Tybo onto the Hot Creek 15' quadrangle.

A major north-south fault (the Mine Fault) follows the western edge of the prospect, and the rocks west of it are massive limestone, while those east of it are thin-bedded limestones containing jasperoid replacement bodies. Campbell/Chevron call these Ordovician and Cambrian, respectively, while we term them Devonian and Cambro-Ordovician. Under either terminology, the sense of stratigraphic throw is the same (down on the west); yet the attitute of strata at the fault plane makes us wonder whether this is entirely correct. This problem is dealt with in detail in the discussion on structure.

The fault, in addition to marking the limits of massive vs. thin-bedded carbonate, also hosts a nearly continuous zone of pink to brownish-red silicification. The intensity and width of this silicification varies along the fault, and is particularly well-developed in the vicinity of Chevron's holes 3 and 5.

In the thin-bedded carbonates east of the fault, we find laterally extensive bodies of bedded jasperoid, of apparent replacement origin. They may occur at one, or possibly two, lithologic horizons. They generally cap local summits, and their relationship to overlying (eroded) units is not clear. Beneath them, however, there is a progressive decrease in silicification over a 50-100' interval, and, within the jasperoids and their underlying silicified limestones, there is evidence of vertical feeders.

In addition to the main complex of fault-controlled jasperoid, and spatially related bodies of bedded jasperoid, we have located chain-like belts of massive jasperoid, which we interpret as fracture-controlled bodies of limited extent. In the same area are isolated masses of bedded jasperoid, some of which are truncated by faults which may have been feeder zones for them.

B. Stratigraphy of principal units.

Dunderberg Shale

The Cambrian Dunderberg Shale (Cd) underlies the area east of the Mine Fault. It is exposed in two areas: along the north wall of Hot Creek Canyon, and in inliers in the main drainage through the prospect, a drainage we will call Hot Draw for the sake of clarity.

The shale is fissile and variegated, ranging from olive green to chocolate brown. The base is not exposed, and its top is conformable with the overlying formation. Bedding attitudes are horizontal to gently east-dipping, but, in the vicinity of the Mine Fault, the Dunderberg is severely crumpled,

and portions of it have been severed from the main outcrop and caught up in the fault plane. Quinlivan and Rogers (1974) estimate the thickness at Tybo at 500-600'.

Hales Limestone

The Cambro-Ordovician Hales Limestone (OCh) is the principal rock unit east of the Mine Fault, constituting most of the bedrock from the fault eastward to the pediment spurs bordering the range. Two varieties are recognized: a light to dark grey massive limestone, and a thin-bedded variety. The latter type hosts the bedded jasperoid.

The massive variety crops out in limited areas and often appears in fault contact with the thin-bedded limestone. The massive unit is distinctive in containing contorted l" thick bands of brown chert, which may amount to 20% of the rock.

The thin-bedded limestone, by far the predominant type, usually contains alternating bands of blue-grey limestone to 2" thick, and layers of brown siliceous limestone up to 1" thick. The thin-bedded limestone is clearly the product of near-shore deposition, as float in Hot Draw contains abundant worm tubes and burrows.

This unit (OCh) is that mapped by Campbell/Chevron as Cambrian carbonate (Cc). As indicated earlier, our assignment is based on correlations from Tybo. Of the 1,675' reported by Quinlivan and Rogers (1974), only the lowermost 300' is exposed on the property.

Nevada Formation

The Devonian Nevada Formation (Dn) comprises the bedrock west of the Mine Fault. It is continuously exposed from Hot Creek Canyon north to the caldera complex, where it is buried in intermediate volcanic flow rocks.

Generally, it is a coarsely crystalline, partially dolomitized and massive limestone, forming bold escarpments and craggy outcrops. On a large scale, the dolomitization has produced a striped sequence of alternating light to dark grey dolomites, each tens of feet thick.

This unit was mapped by Campbell/Chevron as Ordovician carbonate (Oc). Again, our correlations from Tybo suggest that it is Devonian. Parenthetically, Chevron shows this unit in depositional contact with an underlying thin-bedded carbonate (their Cc, our OCh) in an area east of the Mine Fault. We believe this to be an impossible situation, first because we do not recognize this massive unit where Chevron maps it, and second because Tybo stratigraphy includes approximately 3,000' of section below the massive limestone and above the thin-bedded limestone.

Quinlivan and Rogers (1974) report 650' for the unit.

Jasperoid

Jasperoid of indeterminate age occurs in two environments, as disseminated masses along the Mine Fault, and as bedded replacements in Hales Limestone east of the fault.

The massive jasperoid (mj), while represented throughout the Mine Fault as a thin (5-10' wide) zone of intense silicification, is best developed as several distinct masses from 9,400 N to 11,000 N and as a single large pod at 11,600 N to 11,800 N. The jasperoid is reddish to pinkish-brown and consists entirely of vitreous cryptocrystalline silica. It is not clear how much of the jasperoid represents replacement of precursor limestone and how much represents simple filling of open spaces generated during the faulting. The jasperoid is monomineralic, except in the vicinity of 11,600 N where it is intruded by randomly oriented quartz veining, some of which is cockscomb in texture.

Small masses of jasperoid occur along the projected northern extension of the Hot Draw Fault, and in other isolated areas near Wood Canyon.

The bedded jasperoid (bj) crops out principally on the ridge east of the Mine Fault (at 10,000 N) and in several isolated lenses to the east and northeast. These jasperoids are texturally and compositionally indistinguishable from the massive variety, and the quantity of bedded jasperoid near the Mine Fault suggests that the Mine Fault was the main conduit supplying silica solutions to the adjacent thin-bedded limestone.

It is difficult to estimate the relative importance of vertical to horizontal flow in the formation of the bedded jasperoids. Only one outcrop area (east of Hot Draw) preserves an upper contact of jasperoid; there, the transition zone to unsilicified limestone is abrupt, occurring over a few feet. Generally, the transition zone beneath the jasperoids is 40 to 100' thick, and vertically-oriented siliceous fractures have been found in these areas. On the other hand, every single mass of bedded jasperoid, with one exception, can be shown or inferred

to be spatially connected to a jasperoid-bearing fault zone or a dike. The one exception is a landslide block.

Felsic Dikes

Tertiary (?) felsic dikes are recognized at three sites on the claim block. One lies east of Hot Draw, and underlies a bedded jasperoid. The dike is unusual in that it changes composition over a few hundred feet, progressing from andesite at the north end to kaolinitically altered quartz porphyry at the south. The dike is apparently cut off on the north by the Hot Draw Fault, and pinches out at the south.

The second dike is a short, altered zone west of Chevron hole 3, near the projected intersection of the Hot Draw and Mine Faults. A third dike of limited outcrop occurs near hole 4.

The age relations of felsic dikes to jasperoid are unclear. Since they occupy the same structures as massive jasperoid, or underlie bedded jasperoid, we believe they are contemporaneous.

C. Structure

The characteristic structural style of the Hot Creek Range is high-angle block faulting. Within the area of the property, two faults are recognized, the N-S Mine Fault, and the E to NE Hot Draw Fault.

The Mine Fault appears to drop the Devonian Nevada

Formation on the west down against the Cambro-Ordovician Hales

Limestone on the east. Since the fault plane dips steeply east,

and the older rocks are exposed in the hanging wall, the fault would normally be classified as a high-angle, reverse, probably dip-slip fault. The fact is, however, that the bedding attitudes visible at three sites along the fault are inconsistent with this interpretation. These sites are:

- the south wall of Hot Creek Canyon;
- grid coordinate 10,200 N, 9,700 E;
- grid coordinate 112,000 N, 9,900 E.

At each site, it is clear that rocks west of the fault dip east into the fault plane, and rocks east of the fault plane also dip east. When rocks in the footwall, hanging wall, and fault plane all dip in the same direction, the usual interpretation is of a normal fault. Yet the stratigraphy—if correct—argues that this is a regional reverse fault.

To reconcile this contradiction, we argue that <u>most</u> of the fault movement is "reverse"—that is, that older rocks on the east have been uplifted enough to place Devonian against Cambro—Ordovician, but that there must also have been some relaxation and the reversal of the principal fault movement, producing the present anomaly of footwall and hanging wall rocks dipping in the same direction as the fault plane.

The Hot Draw Fault is easily recognized where it truncates bedded jasperoids lying east of a pronounced topographic saddle. The course of the fault north and south of this point is somewhat more problematical. We have projected it northward along a line of prominent massive jasperoids as far as Wood Canyon. Chevron projected it southward to intersect the Mine Fault in the vicinity of hole 5; we believe this was done in the

absence of outcrop control and to preserve the straightness of the fault. Our reconnaissance has established several bases for curving the fault westward to the vicinity of hole 3. Among them are:

- the truncation of the Tertiary felsic dike next to Hot Draw;
- a pronounced color change across a slope of limestone rubble;
- an abundance of quartz veining where the curved fault trace would meet hole 3.

We have also concluded that the block east of the Hot Draw Fault has been relatively uplifted, since the bedded jasperoids east of that fault are structurally much higher than those near the Mine Fault. This conclusion, of course, rests entirely on the assumption that only one limestone horizon was ever replaced by bedded jasperoid. This relation is shown on our cross section through the Mine Fault and the dike complex of Hot Draw.

The age of the two faults is speculative at best.

Owing to their close relation to gold-bearing jasperoid and felsic dikes, we assume that they are Tertiary more than likely Oligocene or Miocene.

IV. Alteration and Mineralization

This section is limited to macroscopic observations. A detailed discussion of the geochemical results follows in Part V.

Nearly all of the visible alteration is encompassed in the distribution of jasperoid, the details of which are described above. It is abundantly clear that massive jasperoids are fault-controlled, and that proximity to the Mine and Hot Draw Faults determines the extent of replacement in the Hales Limestone.

Limonite is a common feature of weathered surfaces in the Hales Limestone, but the origin of the limonite is obscure. It is not attributable to the alteration of pyrite, as none has been found in the fresh rock matrix, and the limestone does not contain visible ferromagnesian minerals.

The dikes have produced little alteration in the enclosing rock. Surfaces in nearby limestone may be stained with hematite, but generally the most pronounced alteration is the kaolinization of the dikes themselves.

Gold mineralization reported in this prospect to date is confined to jasperoid and silicified carbonate. Nearly all jasperoids sampled carry detectable gold, silver, antimony, and mercury. Campbell/Chevron also report the presence, along faults, of barite veins and stibnite, and cinnabar in silicified carbonate, but this was not observed by the writers. This suite is typical of epithermal gold systems.

V. Geochemistry

Plates IV through VII contain plots of geochemical analyses for gold, silver, arsenic, and antimony. These plates are an enlarged (1"=200') version of the area west of Hot Draw--the area including the Mine Fault and the major areas of bedded jasperoid. Rather than contour all of the values, most of which are at background levels, we selected the values greater than 1 S.D. to highlight the significant trends, values which help explain the controls of mineralization and orient future exploration activity.

The samples collected all exceed 5 lbs. in weight, with most nearer 10 lbs. The analytical laboratory (Bondar-Clegg) was instructed to use a large pulp (1-ton assay sample; 31 grams) to ensure reliable statistical representation of even trace amounts of the specified elements. The gold and silver values are determined by A.A. analysis of an assay bead; the arsenic and antimony values are determined by A.A. on the pulp.

Gold (Plate IV)

Gold cutoffs are 0.002 oz/ton, the lower limit of detection, and 0.01 oz/ton. The map shows three isolated areas of low value gold in the stratified rocks east of the Mine Fault, and two long, continuous belts of low gold values along the Mine Fault.

One zone in the Mine Fault extends south of hole 5 for approximately 1,000'. Within it lies a 500'-long zone of significantly higher values (0.01 or more) with one sample returning 0.1 oz/ton. The other zone is 1,100' long, and extends north and south from the vicinity of hole 3. It, too, contains a higher grade core, measuring 350'.

These anomalous values are generally hosted by silicified limestone on the east side of the fault plane, but a few occur on the west side, in massive limestone.

Silver (Plate V)

Silver cutoffs are at 0.1 oz/ton (the detection limit is 0.02) and 1.0 oz/ton. In addition to one isolated stratified limestone occurrence, we find the gold pattern repeated in silver values along the Mine Fault. A southern belt begins south of hole 5, and extends 1,000' south. It contains no values as great as 1.0 oz/ton. The northern belt, as before, extends north and south of hole 3, and is 1,750' long. It contains 4 small areas of greater than 1.0 oz/ton, with two close samples carrying 7 and 8 oz, respectively.

A sample, near hole 4, of altered dike material (#210) contains 0.58 oz/ton.

Arsenic (Plate VI)

Arsenic cutoffs are at 100 and 1,000 ppm (the detection limit is less than 2 ppm).

The arsenic anomalies are far more spotty, occurring as low-grade anomalies in both bedded jasperoid and unsilicified limestone east of the Mine Fault, and as several small pods along it.

In the southern area--the continuous belt well-defined by gold or silver--there are three smaller zones, with one sample exceeding 1,000 ppm. The northern area, also well-defined by gold or silver, is recognizable in the arsenic values as a continuous zone of 950', but none of the metal values are exceptional.

Antimony (Plate VII)

The antimony cutoffs are 40 and 400 ppm (the detection limit is $2\ \text{ppm}$).

Aside from isolated low values east of the Mine Fault, our attention is again drawn to the fault itself.

The gold or silver southern zone is recognizable in antimony as a zone 850' long, with a higher grade nucleus at its southern end. The northern zone is also recognizable, but with less continuity.

Discussion

Several pertinent conclusions can be drawn from these results.

- 1. Geochemical sampling. It is apparent that As and Sb have little value as pathfinder elements, in that they are not more widely dispersed than the Au and Ag anomalies. The probable explanation is that the mineralizing system—at least at this level of exposure—is intrinsically low in As and Sb, and the sites of precipitation are more restricted. Gold and silver, in contrast, are well represented in detectable quantities along much of the length of the Mine Fault. We are inclined to believe that As and Sb sampling in future geochemical reconnaissance of the Mine Fault will prove to be redundant. Au and Ag are superior in delineating an anomalous area.
- 2. Character of property. The Bolo prospect, initially considered a disseminated gold prospect has, by virtue of the sample results, acquired other positive attributes: the silver mineralization is so persistently allied with gold that there

is reasonable hope that both can be found as disseminations in economic amounts. In addition, the property shows potential for vein-silver mineralization at depth. Samples taken from the adits in Hot Creek Canyon, about 600' below the anomalous outcrop of the Mine Fault, returned 20 oz/ton Ag over standard mining widths of 6-20'. This is consistent with Kral's (1951) report of small shipments of silver ore.

It is our belief that continued exploration along the two anomalous segments of the Mine Fault stands a reasonable chance of locating economic disseminations of combined gold-silver at shallow depths (0-200'), and economic vein-silver at depths of ± 500', in brecciated portions of the fault plane. The breccia zones will be blind, since the surface trace of the fault is a sharp, straight contact. It is to be expected, however, that the fault plane does undulate, and pipelike bodies of silver mineralization could be expected where offsets along the warped plane have created potential ore shoots.

VI. Conclusions and Recommendations

We conclude that the Mine Fault is the principal conduit supplying jasperoid to the Hales Limestone, and that this jasperoid contains geochemically interesting quantities of gold and silver. We have identified three areas of interest:

- the Mine Fault south of hole 5;
- the Mine Fault along hole 3;
- anomalous limestone in the vicinity of samples 124/125.

We believe that each of these localities is a potential area of gold/silver disseminations in limestones. We also believe that resumption of a drilling program would be premature without further exploratory surface work.

Considered in order of access and cost, we recommend that the following be considered:

- 1. New sample collections in the vicinity of samples 124/125. This area was not previously known as an anomaly, and has returned a significant gold value. We need to determine its extent.
- 2. Construction of a road (continuation of the road terminating at hole 5) to the southern area of the Mine Fault, with several strategically placed trenches across or along the fault to determine the relative importance of disseminated vs. structurally-controlled mineralization.
- 3. Trenching along the northern area of the Mine Fault, for the same reasons. Work in this area, however, will be significantly more expensive, owing to difficulty of access, and should probably be made contingent on the results obtained further south.

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Appendix - GEOCHEMICAL SAMPLE RESULTS

SAMPLE	Gold (oz/ton)	Silver (oz/ton)	Arsenic (ppm)	Antimony (ppm)
HC-01	0.004	0.51	103	76
HC-02	0.072	0.42	100	66
HC-03	0.024	20.40	G 1000	645
HC-04	0.039	0.03	200	31
HC-05	0.003	0.10	52	26
HC-06	0.002	0.44	40	72
HC-07	0.019	20.10	280	660
HC-08	0.004	0.57	110	125
HC-09	0.004	0.25	32	21
HC-10	0.002	0.06	8	6
HC-11	L0.002	L0.02	4	L 2
HC-12	0.005	1.72	82	73
HC-13	0.002	0.02	80	3
HC-14	L0.002	0.03	10	L 2
HC-15	L0.002	0.02	42	L 2
HC-16	L0.002	0.02	10	L 2
HC-17	0.002	0.02	65	5
IC-18	L0.002	0.02	13	9
HC-19	0.009	0.33	65	28
HC-20	L0.002	0.02	3	L 2
HC-21 HC-22 HC-23 HC-24 HC-25	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002	0.02 0.09 L0.02 L0.02 0.02	6 30 23 40 63	L 2 13 L 2 11 75
HC-26 HC-27 HC-28 HC-29 HC-30	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002	0.08 L0.02 0.09 0.02 L0.02	53 52 13 18 3	53 38 17 12 L 2
HC-31 HC-32 HC-33 HC-34 HC-35	L0.002 0.004 L0.002 L0.002	L0.02 0.06 0.09 L0.02 0.03	5 28 11 102 115	5 22 18 39 42
HC-36	0.004	0.02	75	22
HC-37	L0.002	0.03	150	35
HC-38	L0.002	L0.02	37	24
HC-39	0.002	0.02	57	17
HC-40	L0.002	0.07	16	17

G = greater than

L = less than

SAMPLE	Gold (oz/ton)	Silver (oz/ton)	Arsenic (ppm)	Antimony (ppm)
HC-41	L0.002	0.02	11	4
HC-42	L0.002	0.02	37	4
HC-43	0.019	0.11	G 1000	95
HC-44	0.002	0.07	26	43
HC-45	0.027	0.49	48	82
HC-46 HC-47 HC-48 HC-49 HC-50	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 0.003	0.03 0.02 0.03 L0.02 0.54	12 30 23 230 30	23 12 27 7 45
HC-51	0.002	0.63	28	82
HC-52	L0.002	L0.02	2	L 2
HC-53-	0.014	0.43	67	75
HC-54	0.043	1.21	42	86
HC-55	0.019	0.03	450	38
HC-56	0.002	0.18	310	42
HC-57	0.045	8.29	160	395
HC-58	0.005	0.06	310	31
HC-59	0.002	0.45	17	37
1-60	0.003	0.04	450	14
HC-61 HC-62 HC-63 HC-64 HC-65	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002	L0.02 L0.02 L0.02 L0.02 L0.02	400 100 270 63 500	5 L 2 L 2 L 2 L 2
HC-66	L0.002	L0.02	87	L 2
HC-67	0.021	0.29	150	140
HC-68	0.011	0.29	170	92
HC-69	L0.002	L0.02	103	5
HC-70	L0.002	1.88	10	105
HC-71	L0.002	L0.02	30	7
HC-72	0.007	0.34	50	120
HC-73	0.031	0.70	450	G 1000
HC-74	0.005	0.06	450	225
HC-100 HC-101 HC-102 HC-103 HC-104	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002	0.06 L0.02 L0.02 L0.02 L0.02	30 32 31 9 5	175 10 11 L 2 2 L 2

G = greater than

L = less than

SAMPLE	Gold (oz/ton)	Silver (oz/ton)	Arsenic (ppm)	Antimony (ppm)
HC-106 HC-107 HC-108 HC-109 HC-110	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002	L0.02 L0.02 L0.02 L0.02 L0.02	3 5 6 8 15	L 2 L 2 L 2 L 2
HC-111 HC-112 HC-113 HC-114 HC-115	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002	L0.02 0.02 0.04 0.02 0.06	22 12 20 7 17	L 2 L 2 5 28 15
HC-116 HC-117 HC-118 HC-119 HC-120	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002	L0.02 0.02 L0.02 L0.02 L0.02	20 11 30 10 7	L 2 L 2 L 2 L 2 L 2 L 2
HC-121 HC-122 HC-123 HC-124 HC-125	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 0.003 0.007	L0.02 L0.02 L0.02 0.02	3 9 17 5	L 2 L 2 L 2
HC-126 HC-127 HC-128 HC-129 HC-130	L0.002 0.012 0.002 0.002 L0.002	0.02 0.44 0.03 0.02 0.02	8 18 20 9 18	3 L 2 18 10 28
HC-131 HC-132 HC-133 HC-134 HC-135	0.002 0.002 0.002 0.002 L0.002	0.02 0.43 0.07 0.02 L0.02	3 5 17 180 52 30	14 25 1230 120 21
HC-136 HC-137 HC-138 HC-139 HC-140	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002	0.02 0.02 L0.02 L0.02 L0.02	20 7 5 28 10	6 L 2 L 2 13 L 2
HC-141 HC-142 HC-143 HC-144 HC-145	L0.002 L0.002 0.002 L0.002 L0.002	L0.02 L0.02 0.76 0.02 L0.02	11 7 38 11 20	L 2 L 2 L 2 44 L 2 L 2

G = greater than

L = less than

SAMPLE	Gold (oz/ton)	Silver (oz/ton)	Arsenic (ppm)	Antimony (ppm)
HC-146 HC-147 HC-148 HC-149 HC-150	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002	L0.02 L0.02 L0.02 0.02	20 30 8 41 40	L 2 25 43 30 15
HC-160 HC-161 HC-162 HC-163 HC-164	L0.002 L0.002 0.026 0.103 0.024	0.21 0.04 0.11 0.24 0.10	27 30 80 600 500	125 70 28 33 27
HC-165 HC-166 HC-167 HC-168 HC-169	0.018 0.006 0.016 L0.002 L0.002	0.12 0.16 0.44 0.40 0.19	145 400 150 110 62	26 55 48 46 39
HC-170 HC-171 HC-172 HC-173 HC-174	0.011 0.002 0.005 L0.002 L0.002	0.22 0.03 0.03 0.05 L0.02	145 60 40 20 32	35 15 14 28 15
HC-175 HC-176 HC-177 HC-178 HC-179	0.003 0.003 L0.002 L0.002	0.07 0.12 0.12 L0.02 0.02	5 11 3 170 210	7 21 29 L 2 2
HC-180 HC-181 HC-182 HC-183 HC-184	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002	0.03 0.02 0.02 0.02 0.02	28 12 5 33 47	L 2 L 2 L 2 L 2
HC-185 HC-186 HC-187 HC-188 HC-189	0.002 0.006 L0.002 0.002	0.12 0.31 0.02 0.07 0.09	27 230 10 150 150	L 2 31 L 2 14 13
HC-190 HC-191 HC-192 HC-193 HC-194	L0.002 0.005 0.006 L0.002 0.014	0.05 0.19 0.03 0.03 2.11	155 62 9 600 100	10 86 L 2 615 110

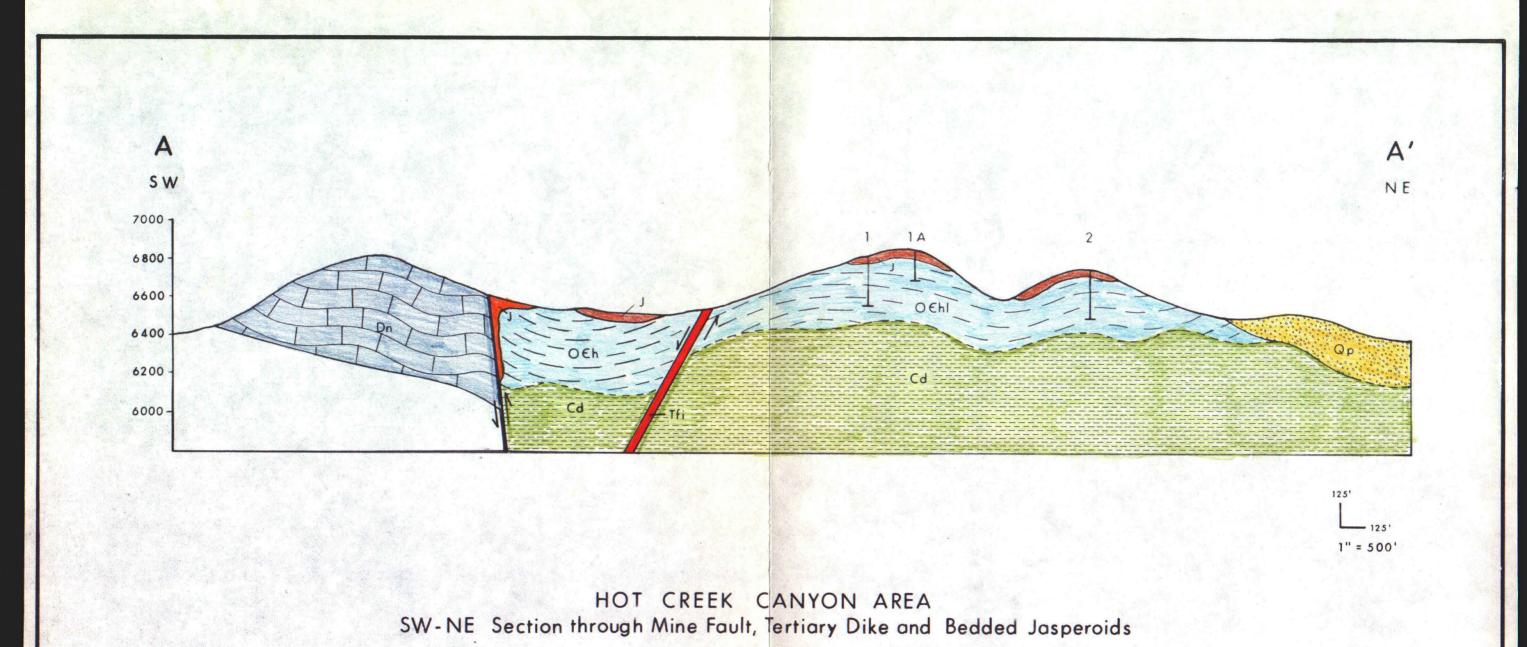
G = greater than

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SAMPLE	Gold (oz/ton)	Silver (oz/ton)	Arsenic (ppm)	Antimony (ppm)
HC-195 HC-196 HC-197 HC-198 HC-199	0.023 L0.002 0.019 0.019 0.042	7.50 0.08 0.21 0.22 0.02	105 250 82 150	495 29 1220 31 80
HC-200 HC-201 HC-202 HC-203 HC-204	0.027 0.021 0.021 L0.002 L0.002	0.46 0.17 1.13 L0.02 L0.02	170 27 62 310 160	58 54 190 68 54
HC-206 HC-207 HC-208 HC-209	L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 L0.002 0.003	L0.02 L0.02 L0.02 L0.02 0.04	115 220 16 10 17	185 45 2 8 71
HC-210	0.022	0.58	160	160

G = greater than

L = less than



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I. INTRODUCTION

The initial 1983 geochemical sampling program conducted by Canerta Resources Ltd. on the Bolo Prospect resulted in the detection of several strong Au, Ag, As and Sb anomalies. The results of the initial sampling are discussed fully in the Geology and Geochemistry of the Bolo Prospect, (Report Bolo 83-1).

In accordance with the recommendations made in that report, the area of anomalous gold mineralization along the Mine Fault south of Chevron drill hole #5 was trenched, and the area around samples 124 and 125 sampled on closer spacing. A total of 104 additional trench and surface rock chip samples were collected in the supplemental sampling program. These are listed in the Appendices.

The gold values from the trench area along the Mine Fault, south of Chevron drill hole #5, indicate a body of ore grade gold mineralization disseminated in the massive Devonian limestone along the footwall of the Mine Fault.

II. REVISED GOLD GEOCHEMISTRY

The revised Gold Geochemistry Map, scale: 1 inch = 200 feet (Plate I, in pocket) shows the locations of 9 additional rock chip samples collected around the low grade gold anomaly represented by samples 124 and 125, at grid co-ordinates 90N; 114

and 116E. The results of this follow up sampling (Appendix II) indicate that anomalous gold is confined to a narrow east-west trending zone of brecciated carbonate. No further sampling is planned for this area.

III. TRENCH AREA GEOCHEMICAL RESULTS

The Trench Area Base Map (scale: 1 inch = 50 feet) (Plate II, in pocket) shows the location of bulldozer trenching along the Mine Fault approximately 600 feet south of Chevron drill hole #5. Six trenches were completed perpendicular to the strike of the Mine Fault and the seventh trench was oriented north-south in the Mine Fault zone. The trenches uncovered rock at a depth of 12 to 18 inches. The trenches expose a large, wedge-shaped zone of dark gray, silicified limestone laced with abundant black and reddish jasperoid veinlets. The jasperoid veinlets in places coalesce into small irregular jasperoid bodies which form the outcrops in the area. The wedge shaped body of silicified limestone and jasperoid is bounded on the east by the east dipping Mine Fault, and on the west by a probable sub-parallel fault.

Ninety-five rock chip samples were collected from bedrock exposed in the trenches. Gold values ranged as high as 0.178 0/T gold (Appendix I). The samples were analyzed for gold by Bondar-Clegg, Vancouver, using a combination fire assay analytical method. In this method, a 20 gram sample is used to prepare a fire assay bead. The bead itself is analyzed by Atomic Absorption, with a detection limit of 5 ppb. If the gold value exceeds a predetermined value.

the sample is rerun with a 31 gram pulp (1 ton assay sample)

using a standard fire assay. In practice, the cutoff value used for reruns is 10 ppm (0.029 00/ton). The method combines a high degree of reproducability with a low detection limit.

Ore grade gold mineralization (greater than 0.03 0/TAu) is confined to the silicified dark gray limestone and jasperoid in the footwall (west) of the Mine Fault. Sporadic high grade gold values (greater than 0.100 O/T Au) were obtained from trench G in the Mine Fault zone, suggesting that post mineralization movement has disturbed the continunity of mineralization in the Mine Fault zone. The fault zone is composed of a mixture . of brecciated jasperoid and hematite-stained clay gouge. thin bedded limestones east of the Mine Fault contain low grade gold mineralization (greater than 0.010 O/T Au) only in proximity to the Mine Fault. Traces of pyrite occuring in milky white quartz veinlets cutting jasperoid was the only sulfide identified in the mineralized material. Specks of an unidentified gray sulfide were also observed in one sample of milky white vein quartz. Red to pink hematitic alteration is conspicuous in the trench exposures, while yellow limonitic alteration is sparse.

The Trench Area Gold Geochemistry Map (Plate III, in pocket) shows the sample intervals and gold values obtained in the Trench Area. Rock chip samples were taken over ten foot intervals in trenches A through F, and random rock chip samples were collected at points along trench G in the Mine Fault. Using a 0.030 0/T Au cutoff, the highest grade trench interval was a true width of 50 feet grading 0.106 0/T gold in trench E. Trench D contained a 90 foot interval grading 0.058 0/T gold.

Trench C contained a 150 foot interval grading 0.050 0/T gold. The area of anomalous gold mineralization is outlined on the Trench Area Gold Geochemistry Map using a 0.100 0/T Au cutoff, a 0.030 0/T Au cutoff and a 0.010 0/T Au cutoff.

The area of anomalous gold mineralization is open to the north and south, but may be terminated on the north by the wedge shape of the silicification itself. To the south, the ore grade mineralization may continue onto the existing (old) patented mining claim (M.S. #38-19606) shown on the Master Title Plat in the northwest corner of Sec. 29, T8N, R50E.

The Trench Area Silver Geochemical Map (Plate IV in pocket) shows a high degree of correlation between gold and silver.

The gold/silver ratio in the mineralized zone averages about 1:2.

The Trench Area Cross-Section (Plate V in pocket) shows the possible dimensions of the mineralized zone at depth and its relationship to the Mine Fault.

IV. CONCLUSIONS

The gold mineralization in the Trench Area is disseminated in hydrothermally silicified, massive limestone of the Devonian Nevada Formation adjacent to the footwall of the Mine Fault. The mineralized zone is up to 150 feet wide and is open to the north and south along the Mine Fault. The mineralized zone is inferred to dip steeply eastward, parallel to the dip of the Mine Fault. Anomalous, but sub-ore grade gold values (0.010 to 0.029 0/T Av) occur east of the Mine Fault in the thin bedded limestone unit.

We feel confident that a body of ore grade mineralization can be proven in the Trench Area, with a tonnage and grade

greater than that suggested by surface exposures.

V. RECOMMENDATIONS

A. Surveying

Due to the likely presence of exploitable gold mineralization on the Bolo property, we believe it is prudent to have the claim block surveyed in 1984. This would include:

- a) remonumenting the claim block with PVC pipe;
- b) establishing the location of the patented claim south of Bolo 25 and 31;
- c) establishing elevations in the Trench Area.

These steps are necessary to protect what may become a valuable property.

B. Amenability testing

A large composite sample should be collected in the Trench Area to determine the minerology of the gold ore and the conditions under which it can be leap-leached.

C. Road Construction

The narrow width and tight curves of the existing drill roads on the Bolo Property will not accommodate the wide turning radius of conventional truck-mounted R/C drills such as the Ingersoll Rand TH-60. (The Chevron holes were drilled with a smaller single-wall percussion drill). We believe the cost of upgrading the existing drill roads to accommodate truck mounted R/C rigs is not justified at this time. We propose instead to use a track mounted reverse-circulation drill rig (if available).

To use this equipment, the roads would have to be upgraded somewhat, with a D-8, to permit passage of a 1000 gallon water

truck, which is the largest piece of equipment associated with this type of drilling.

If a truck-mounted R/C rig is not available, the only alternatives left are coring, which will require the same level of roadwork, or standard R/C, which will require a significant commitment to road construction.

D. Drilling, 1984

The Proposed Drill Hole Map - Trench Area (Plate VI in pocket) shows the location of proposed drill holes in the Trench Area. A minimum drilling program of 1200' is recommended in the Trench Area. The six 200 foot holes are on approximately 100 foot centers within the 0.030 0/T Au zone. The purpose of this drilling is to delineate the extent of mineralization laterally and vertically in the Trench Area. The six proposed holes are positioned such that later fill-in holes on 50-foot centers can be completed if the project reaches the stage of development drilling.

D. Expanded Drilling Program 1984 (optional)

In light of the very encouraging trench assay results, we believe that a drilling program larger than the minimum program may be justified, subject to budgetary constraints. The expanded drilling program would include two additional drill holes in the Trench Area (D.H. 7 & 8) and perhaps two drill holes in the vicinity of Chevron drill hole #3 (Revised Gold Geochemistry Map, Plate I) which encountered a 60 foot interval grading 0.046 00/T Au.

This interval was encountered between 30' and 90'. The hole was drilled just east of a steeply east-dipping jasperoid, but the log of the hole shows that the jasperoid ended at 30'.

Therefore, it is likely that the good gold values were actually encountered in the footwall of the Mine Fault, just as they are in the Trench Area.

F. Additional geochemical sampling

Followup geochemical sampling should be considered for three areas.

- 1. The newly bulldozed road leading to the Trench

 Area exposed an area of black jasperoid where the road crosses
 the nose of the hill. The visual similarities to the mineralization in the Trench Area are striking.
- 2. The discovery of disseminated mineralization in the massive footwall limestone of the Trench Area leads us to suppose that the same conditions may exist at Chevron hole 3. That is, the massive footwall limestone may host a viable target zone, even though its surface expression may be subtle.
- 3. The jasperoid cropping out along the Mine Fault, south of Wood Canyon, was strongly anomalous (HC-2, 0.072 00/T). It too may be an area of disseminated mineralization in the footwall limestone (Refer to Plate II and III of Report 83-1).

APPENDIX I - GEOCHEMICAL SAMPLE RESULTS - TRENCH AREA

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HC-			LO.C		.0004	L0.01	
HC-			LO.0		.6005	0.01	
HC-	217		0.0	03	.0020	0.02	
HC-	218		0.0	80	.0060	L0.01	
HC-	219		0.0	01	.0010	0.02	
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HC-	221		0.0	02	.0010	0.02	
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HC-			0.0		.0640	0.02	
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HC-			0.0		0020	0.01	
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HC-			0.0		0042	0.03	
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HC-			0.1		0957	0.23	
HC-			0.0		0259	0.09	
HC-			0.0		0727	0.19	
HC-			0.1		0849	0.38	
HC-			0.0		0350	0.15	
HC-			0.0		0499	0.03	
HC-			0.0		0211	0.18	
HC-			0.0		0236	0.07	
HC-			0.0		0153	0.08	
HC-			0.0		0287	0.10	
HC-			0.0		0435	0.10	
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HC-			0.0		0405	0.13	
HC-			0.0		6449	0.19	
HC-			0.0		0470	0.12	
HC-			0.0		0208	0.08	
HC-			0.0		0/47	0.08	
HC-			0.0		0470	0.14	
HC-					0129		
HC-			0.0		0180	0.04	
HC-			0.0		0360	0.08	
HC-			0.0		0662	0.02	
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Sample	Gold O/T	Silver 0/T	
HC-257 HC-258	0.047 05	0.13 0.21	
HC-259		70 0.03	
HC-260	0.035 02	70.08	
HC-261	المن 0.031	90 0.07	
HC-262	0.071 0	70 0.11	
HC-263	0.067 03	70 0.09	
HC-264		0.01	
HC-265	(7) (A) (A) (A)	10.01	
HC-266		0.05	
HC-267		LO.01	
HC-268	D 161 100 000 100	90 0.03	
HC-269		0.26	
HC-270	0.178 ./6		
HC-271		30 0.10	
HC-272		0.03	
HC-273	0.011	0.01	
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HC-276			
HC-277	0.007 000 L0.001 000	0.02	
HC-278		0.02	
HC-279	0.001		
HC-280	0.002	0.01	
HC-281	0.001		
HC-282		40 LO.01	
HC-283	0.040 03		
HC-284	0.007 00		
HC-285	0.014 01	0.01	
HC-286	0.011 0		
HC-287	0.019 01		
HC-288	0.004 00	0.04	
HC-289	L0.001← 0K		
HC-290	0.042 039		
HC-291	0.070 06		
HC-292	0.004 000	- 3	
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HC-299	0.001 0 ³³ L0.001	LO.01 LO.01	
HC-509	×0.016	X 0.169	
HC-510	X0.009	×0.169	
HC-511	20.007	X0.035	
HC-512	% 0.016	X 0.064	
HC-513	10.062	X 0.061	
HC-514	20.069	×0.110	
M 7	/	X	

APPENDIX II - GEOCHEMICAL SAMPLE RESULTS Sample 124/125 followup

Sample	Gold O/T	Silver 0/T
HC-500	L0.001	L0.01
HC-501	L0.001	L0.01
HC-502	L0.001	L0.01
HC-503	LO.001	L0.01
HC-504	L0.001	LO.01
HC-505	L0.001	L0.01
HC-506	L0.001	L0.01
HC-507	L0.001	L0.01
HC-508	L0.001	10.01





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Drill logs, Holes 11-21 (in pockets)

I. Introduction

Previous reports on the Bolo Prospect (83-1 and 83-2) outlined the basic stratigraphy, structure, and geochemistry of the property. The latter report presented detailed information on gold mineralization at the south end of the Mine Fault, and made specific recommendations pertaining to additional work. These recommendations concerned, in particular, surveying, additional sampling, and drilling.

This report describes activities conducted in the spring and summer, 1984, and the results thereof.

I am indebted to Mike Russ (Lakewood, Colorado) for his perennial assistance in administering the project; to Gary Schrock (Claypool, Arizona) for interpretations of geologic relations in the vicinity of mineralized trenches; and to Jim Davis (Calgary, Alberta) for clarifications of carbonate stratigraphy and hypotheses about possible structural complications in the Mine Fault.

II. Surveying

Canerta Resources contracted the Nye County Surveyor,
Wallace T. Boundy, to complete four tasks (Report 83-2, p. 5).

- 1) Locate three additional claims (Bolo 32, 33, 34) north of Bolo 31, in order to fully cover the Mine Fault as far north as the Tertiary volcanics which lap on to it.
- 2) Remonument the perimeter of the original 30-claim block with accurately located PVC pipe.

These two elements are now shown on the current property maps.

- 3) Accurately survey the trench area and establish elevations at selected points. This map is shown as Plate I, at 1"=50'. Plate VII is an expanded (1"=20') version of the same information, showing topography, geology, drill holes, and additional roads added since Boundy's survey.
- 4) Reestablish the northern patent corners of the Uncle Sam Patented Mining Claim, which abuts the property south of Bolo 25 and 31. The northeast corner of the patent is shown as point 27 on Plate I.

III. Geochemical Sampling

Additional surface samples were collected in three areas:

- 1) The nose of the hill, east of the trenches, where a new road cut was made this spring (see Report 83-2, p. 7, item F1).
 - 2) The vicinity of Chevron hole 3 (p. 7, item F2).
- 3) A zone of silicified, dark gray limestone at 112 N., 96 E. This area returned a weak gold anomaly in 1983 sampling.

A. Road cut sampling.

Continuous 20' chip samples were collected along the silicified areas exposed in the new road but east and northeast of the trenches.

The results, listed below, did not appear to warrant serious follow-up.

	Ag ppm	Au	ppb
Bolo Road Cut	0.8		70 95
Bolo Road Cut	0.4		105
Bolo Road Cut Bolo Road Cut	0.4		15
Bolo Road Cut	0.4		15
Bolo Road Cut	2.4		5

B. Chevron hole 3 area.

Mike Russ completed a geologic sketch map and cross section (Plates II, III, IV) and collected 40 samples in three continuous chip traverses across the Mine Fault zone (Appendix A).

I had a bulldozer cut made, parallel to the Russ traverses, in the south-facing slope south of hole 3 (Plates V, VI) and collected an additional 10 samples (Appendix A).

At the same time, I made an attempt to build a road west of the hole 3 drill road using the bulldozer alone. This proved unsuccessful, as the slope is so steep and rocky that approximately five to seven days of blasting would be required to create enough fill material to establish a road base.

The area west of Hole 3 (Plates II, III, IV) is evidently the site of a mineralizing cell. Reconnaissance last year (Plates IV and V of Report 83-1) indicated the presence of gold and silver anomalies. Russ' traverses have defined a zone of gold anomalies 120' long on the east (hanging wall) side of the Mine Fault in the OCh, and a zone of silver anomalies almost 300' long on the west (footwall) side. The gold occurrences are closely associated with the massive jasperoids occupying the hanging wall (Plate II), but the silver distribution (Plate III) indicates a more widespread dissemination of mineralization emanating from the Mine Fault. This situation is diagrammatically shown on Plate IV.

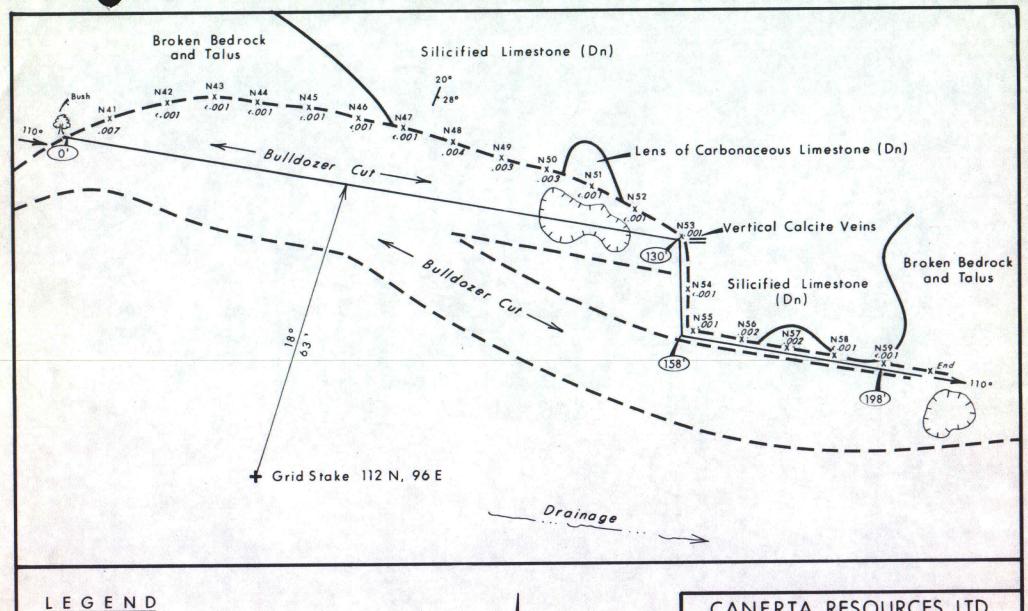
The metal values immediately to the south (Plates V, VI) are consistent with the area west of Hole 3: the gold values are limited to a narrow zone near the Mine Fault, while silver is dispersed further into the footwall.

C. Silicified limestone at 112 N., 96 E.

A ledge of east-dipping, dark gray silicified limestone is exposed in the north wall of the drainage south of Hole 3. Previous samples in this area (HC 9, 10, 68, 187) were not particularly anomalous, but it was believed that the limestone was sufficiently exceptional (visually) to justify having the bulldozer remove the talus covering much of it.

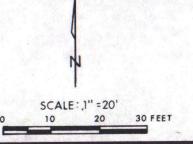
This ledge is about 15' thick, and dips east at 20°-25°. It was continuously sampled down-dip, from west to east, with 19 continuous chip samples (Fig 1, 2; Appendix A).

No portion of the freshly uncovered ledge contains as much as .01 oz/ton gold or 1 oz/ton silver. In fact, the three best bedrock samples (48, 49, 50) are merely ½ the value of a sample (41) collected in talus. Certainly, the gold tenor in the exposed ledge is low and erratic. The results are inconclusive in helping to define an exploration target in this area.



West end of channel sample (Ag/Au oz/ton) X N41 Geochem chain with footage marks Edge of hill

Spoil pile from bulldozer cut Contact



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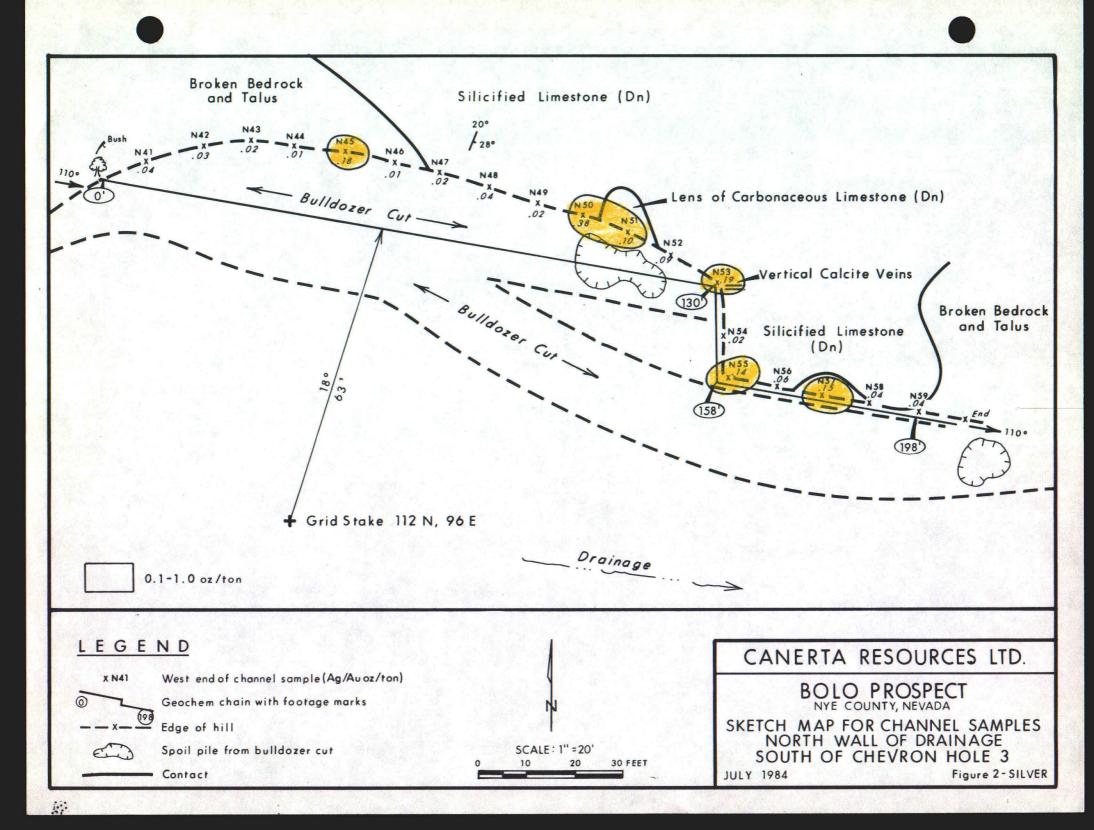
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SKETCH MAP FOR CHANNEL SAMPLES NORTH WALL OF DRAINAGE SOUTH OF CHEVRON HOLE 3

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Figure 1-GOLD



IV. Drilling

A. Introduction.

The general objective of the drilling program was to expand the area of surface gold mineralization into the third dimension, and develop a viable tonnage of rock carrying grades of .03 to .10 oz/ton to depths of 100' to 200'. The reader will recall from Plates III, V, and VI of Report 83-2 that the area of interest was shaped like a triangle, pointing north, measuring about 200' wide at its widest point (E-W) and measuring about 300' from the apex at the north to an indefinite boundary at the south. This triangle was also believed to be a silicified block of massive Devonian Nevada Formation, lying entirely on the west (footwall) side of the Mine Fault.

B. Geology of the trench area.

The concept of the Mine Fault as a single, undisturbed structure remained viable until the completion of blasting and construction of additional access roads into the trenches.

Gary Schrock, a visiting consultant, suggested that the Mine Fault might be offset in a left-lateral sense by an offsetting fault. This offsetting fault coincided with the linear west edge of the mineralized, silicified block. The true sense of motion--left lateral or dip-slip (down on the north)--is not apparent, but either would adequately account for the offset in the Mine Fault.

After reviewing Schrock's evidence, I concurred in this interpretation, and incorporated it in the geologic base map for the drilling area (Plate VII).

Jim Davis, a visiting structural geologist, concluded from study of the Mine Fault exposure in the north wall in Hot Creek Canyon that the silicified block in the trench area might be a faulted sliver splayed off of the Mine Fault during its high-angle reverse movement (Fig 3).

C. Details of the drilling program.

Contractor: A-Track Drilling
Carl Raue, Prop.
2020 Bench Road
Fallon, Nevada 89406
702-867-3333

Equipment: Chicago Pneumatic air-track rig

Chicago Pneumatic truck-mounted
compressor, 600 cfm @ 115 psi

Worthington wagon-mounted compressor,
125 cfm @ 100 psi

Drill holes:

#	11	TD	150'; 7/26/84; 9785 N; 9685 E	el	6708;
#	12	TD	150'; 7/26-27/84; 9695 N; 9655 E	el	6716;
#	13	TD	100'; 8/6/84; 9655 N; 9565 E	el	6746;
#	14	TD	55'; 7/27/84; 9600 N; 9655 E	el	6714;
#	15	TD	130'; 8/3/84; 9605 N: 9525 E	31	6765;

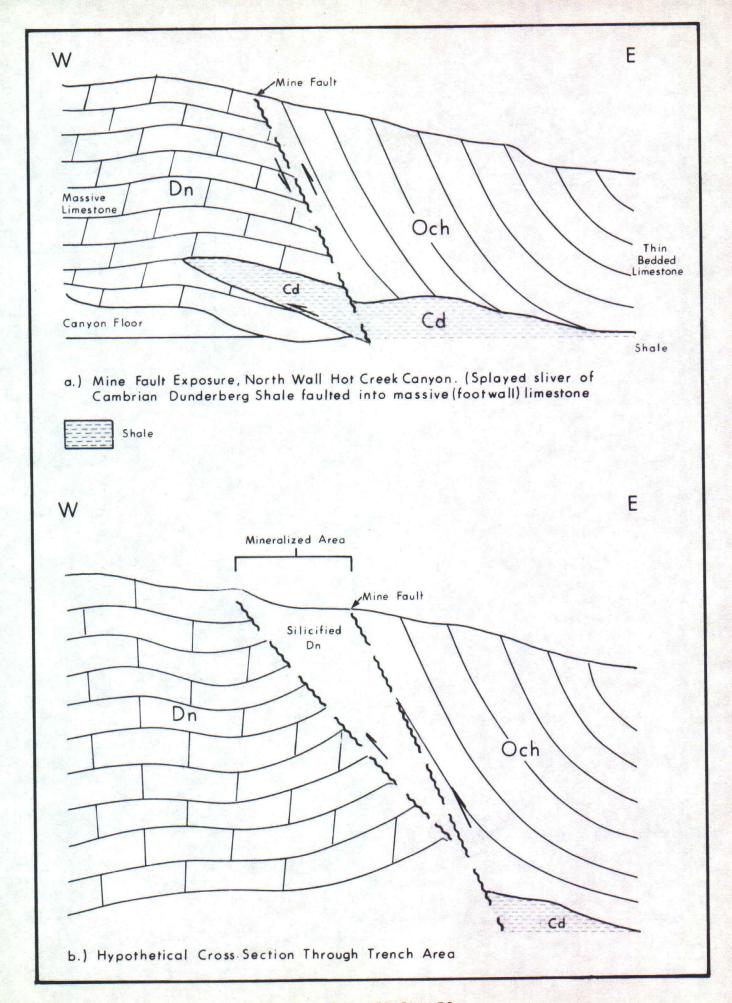


Figure 3. SPLAYED FAULTS

Drill holes (continued):

#	16	TD	145'; 8/5/84; 9540 N; 9580 E	el	6742;
#	17	TD	150'; 8/9/84; 9625 N; 9705 E	el	6678;
#	18	TD	80' 8/10/84; 9735 N; 9720 E	el	6688;
#	19	TD	120'; 8/8/84; 9815 N; 9725 E	el	6704;
#	19A	TD	20'; 8/7/84; 9830 N; 9745 E	el	6701;
#	20	TD	40'; 8/11/84; 9860 N; 9825 E	el	6696;
#	20A	TD	20'; 8/12/84; 9870 N; 9840 E	el	6695;
#	21	TD	105'; 8/12/84; 9885 N; 10255 E	el	6649;

Sample interval: 5'; recovery of chips from enclosed box mounted over collar.

D. Rationale for drill hole locations (Plate VII).

Holes 11 and 13 were spotted on existing trenches which had been previously sampled and found to contain about 0.02 to 0.1 oz/ton gold. (Refer to Plates III and VI of Report 83-2).

Holes 12 and 14 were spotted near mineralized trenches.

Holes 15 and 16 were spotted south of the area of trench-defined mineralization to help define its southern limits.

Hole 17 was collared in the Mine Fault and continued downward into the footwall Nevada Formation.

All of the above holes were previously contemplated in the program laid out last fall.

Hole 18 was added to increase the geographic coverage in the same fault as Hole 17.

Hole 19 was added to test the hypothesis that the Mine Fault was offset. Hole 19A was an unsuccessful (20') first attempt at this locality.

Hole 20 was intended as a blind test of the bedded jasperoids immediately east of the Mine Fault. Hole 20A was an unsuccessful (20') second attempt.

Hole 21 was a blind test of the bedded jasperoids several hundred feet further east of the Mine Fault.

E. Drill hole results (see rotary drill logs, Appendix B, and Plate VII).

Hole 11 was located east of the probable trace of the Mine Fault, north of a fault which offsets it. The hole encountered 20' of silicified dark gray limestone, interpreted as OCh, before passing through the offset fault at about 35' into unsilicified Dn. Gold values of more than .01 oz/ton were intercepted at 0'-5', 30'-40', and 50'55'. The hole was completed to 150'.

Hole 12 was located in the footwall Dn, west of the Mine Fault, near a mineralized trench. Silicification was encountered in dark gray limestone to a depth of 40'. The first 25' of the hole yielded .01 or more, as did 50'-60'. The hole was completed to 150'.

Hole 13 was located in a mineralized trench, adjacent to a barren outcrop of hematite-stained equigranular sandstone. Silicification was pervasive to a depth of 40'. Anomalous gold was present in two 10' sections (5'-15', 30'-40') of the silicified zone. The hole was lost in a cavity at 94'.

Hole 14 was sited south of Hole 12, in the same geologic setting. Silicification was present to a depth of 15'. Gold values of more than .01 were present at 15'-25' and 30'-45'. The hole was lost at 55' after entering a cavity at 44'.

Hole 15 was collared in the hematite-stained equigranular sandstone at the summit of the test area. The
sandstone in this hole proved to be 7' thick. Immediately
beneath, silicification began in the limestone at 15' and
continued to 50'. Gold mineralization occurred in the
first 10' of the hole. This result was mildly surprising,
as the previous trench sampling of the sandstone had shown

no gold anomaly at all. A cavity at 96' caused intermittent air circulation problems until the hole was lost at 130'.

Hole 16 was located in an unsampled area of Dn. Silicification was intermittent from the surface down to 45'. Gold mineralization occurred in three short intervals (20'-25'; 35'-45'; 55'-60'). The last value was unusual in that it occurred below the base of recognized silicification. The hole was terminated at 145' due to air loss.

Hole 17 was collared in the Mine Fault to test for mineralization in it and immediately beneath it in the footwall Dn. The hole penetrated 85' of wet clay (fault gouge), resulting in bit plugging several times. A truly vertical hole should have left the fault zone at 35', so I have drawn the hole on section E-E' as deviating east and following the fault plane for an additional 50'. Silicification in the footwall Dn began at 105' and continued for 20'.

The gold values in this hole were consistently good, especially in the footwall rocks. The mineralization began appearing at 10', and ran as follows:

10'-20': 10' of 0.05 oz/ton 25'-45': 20' of 0.02 oz/ton 50'-60': 10' of 0.02 oz/ton 70'-150': 80' of 0.04 oz/ton

While most of the values were in the .01-.04 range, one exceptional 5' intercept worth noting was 130'-135'

The hole was completed to 150'.

Hole 18, like Hole 17, was collared in the Mine Fault. In an attempt to avoid the plugging problems of Hole 17, the hold was moved to the far west edge of the trench, in an effort to leave the fault zone quickly. Nevertheless, the hole encountered alternating zones of limestone and wet clay. This relation is interpreted as a series of fault splays as described in IV.A and shown in Fig 3. Silicification of OCh(?) is limited to two intervals, 0'-10' and 40'-45'. Anomalous gold values appeared in the lower part of the fault, at 55'; with one 5' intercept (65'-70') of 0.160. The hole was abandoned at 80' due to uncontrollable plugging of the bit in wet ground.

Hole 19 was drilled as a geologic test of the concept that the Mine Fault was displaced to the west by the offset fault. The hole penetrated 65' of silicified OCh before encountering a hard zone interpreted as the Mine Fault. The hole was continued to be certain that the Mine Fault had been completely penetrated, and encountered the sandstone recognized at the surface (near Holes 13 and 15) at 85'. The hole was stopped at 120', still in sandstone.

The <u>entire</u> hole was mineralized (except for two isolated 5' intervals, 45'-50' and 100'-105'), generally in the 0.02 to 0.04 range. The discovery of mineralization in the sandstone must be considered an unexpected development. This is discussed in great detail in

following sections. Hole 19A was an earlier test of the same area, terminated at 20' due to loss of air. Its first few samples were analyzed and returned results slightly better than in Hole 19 proper.

Hole 20 (and 20A) were aborted attempts to test gold potential in the bedded jasperoids of OCh near the Mine Fault. A broken zone at 20' with much sloughing of material prevented attaining depths greater than 40'. All of the samples were silicified. Gold results were mediocre below 10'.

Hole 21 was collared in a saddle separating two large masses of outcropping bedded jasperoid. The saddle is along strike of the Offset Fault, and along the trend where jasperoids facing Hot Draw are deformed into a shallow syncline. Unexpectedly, the section drilled here was not silicified. I have no logical explanation for the apparent gap in silicification, which in this area appears to be regionally pervasive.

OCh on the east side of the Mine Fault is not known to contain gold except where bedded jasperoids occur, so it came as no surprise to find negligible gold values in the unsilicified cuttings.

F. Geologic interpretation of drill hole data.

Before outlining the interpretation that has emerged from the ensemble of drill holes, it is important to reiterate the premises behind the Bolo drilling program.

After last fall's trenching and sampling program yielded a continuous zone of surface mineralization, Russ and I conceived a model in which the Bolo mineralization was confined to a vertical zone in a structurally bounded block. In plan view, this block was triangular, apexing to the north, bounded on the east by the Mine Fault, bounded on the west by what we now call the Offset Fault, and open to the south. At its widest point, the triangle was 200' wide, and perhaps 300' long.

The main purpose of the drilling program was to establish whether this zone of surface mineralization could be carried downward to depths of 150' to 250', to delineate an area of easily exploited, bulk-tonnage, open-pit gold reserves. Reference to Plates III and V of Report 83-2 will make these concepts plain.

What we had hoped to see was fairly continuous mineralization in enough of the holes to warrant delineation drilling for open-pit development of the slope containing the trenches.

The drill holes have, on a strictly geochemical basis, eliminated that as a plausible possibility. The data have provided, however, information of a different sort that radically increases the potential for developing two other types of deposits in the vicinity of the trench

area. These are:

- -- buried manto mineralization of multi-million ton potential; and
- -- fault controlled and related mineralization of multi-hundred thousand ton potential.

These are discussed at length below.

In regards to manto-type mineralization, the cross sections (A-A' through F-F') amply demonstrate that the slope tested for open-pit potential (Holes 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16) consists of gently north and east dipping massive limestone. The upper portion of this limestone exhibits a stratabound zone of silicification which controls the topography. The silicification is pervasive in the uppermost portion of the limestone, and gold mineralization is sporadically present in this zone, occurring in 10' to 20' intervals. These intervals are weakly correlative; that is, there can be no assurance that mineralized zones in one horizon on the cross sections are truly physically continuous. This uncertainty arises from the nature of the zones relative to the separation between holes. The silicified zone itself is a much better stratigraphic marker, since it is clearly "regional" and predictable. After the first hole on that slope was completed (Hole 11), I predicted and found silicification (reflecting topography) in each of the subsequent holes.

What was not anticipated, however, was the discovery of mineralized sandstone, both at the outcrop (Hole 15) and in the subsurface (Hole 19). THESE TWO HOLES,

PROPERLY INTERPRETED, PERMIT THE CONSTRUCTION OF A COHERENT SPATIAL MODEL FOR SOME OF THE BOLO MINERALIZATION, AND ALSO INDICATE THE POSSIBILITY OF FINDING ECONOMIC MINERALIZATION IN A PREVIOUSLY UNEXAMINED AREA. In my view, a coherent geometric explanation for the gold anomalies in the vicinity of the trenches must account for five facts: 1) the widespread silicification forming the dip slope; the patchiness of gold mineralization within that zone; the persistence of gold mineralization encountered in the trench sampling at the surface of the dip slope; the presence of a remnant (7' thick) of mineralized sandstone at the summit of the hill (Hole 15); 5) the presence of 35' drilled interval of mineralized sandstone in the subsurface north of the Offset Fault (Hole 19). To develop the model, I will discuss (a) the relation of the two mineralized sandstones; a model known for other gold prospects in Nevada; (b) (c) the most logical theory that fully accounts for

- all five facts.
- (a) Gary Schrock had hypothesized, as stated earlier, that the Mine Fault was displaced by the Offset Fault.

Although the sense of displacement could not be demonstrated at the time, the apparent movement could be accounted for by left lateral movement, dip slip, or a combination of both.

Schrock's hypothesis was based on the observation of a thin line in the floor of the northernmost N-S trench, a line apparently separating massive bedded Dn on the west from red, bedded OCh jasperoids on the east.

I located an unscheduled hole to test this hypothesis, starting it in the hanging wall jasperoids and drilling at a 45° angle due west through the Mine Fault into the footwall (Plate VII; G-G'). Not only did the hole pass out of jasperoid into unsilicified limestone at the predicted point (65' on G-G'; 42' on C-C'), but also seemed to encounter the same pink sandstone (85' on G-G'; 56' on C-C') that crops out on top of the hill by Hole 15.

The question arises: Is this the same sandstone?

The grain size and texture of the quartz grains

are identical, as are the average grades of the intervals

drilled in the two holes (0.024). The thickness cannot

be compared, as one hole cut a 7' erosional remnant,

while the other did not reach the basal contact after

35' (25' minimum true thickness). A structural argument

can be made, however, that they are one and the same.

The argument rests on the assumption that the true thickness of the sandstone is no less than 25'-30'. By comparing the effects of a vertical displacement of

the basal contact with the apparent horizontal displacement of the trace of the Mine Fault, it is possible to evaluate the plausibility of the hypothesis.

mately 6758; the base of the subsurface sandstone is unknown. The fact that the sandstone interval drilled was 35' (on a 45° angle) means that the true thickness of that intercept cannot be less than 25'. Now, since we know the top of the said interval was at 6640, the base cannot be any higher than 6615. Therefore, the minimum dip slip for a 25' sandstone is 143' (6758 exposed base less 6615 calculated base for the downthrown block).

The geometry of this relationship means that each additional foot of sandstone thickness would create a corresponding additional foot of dip slip, since the base of the drilled sand is unknown.

Thus, we have:

SS Thickness* Base	of Buried Sand	Dip Slip**
25 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100 110	6615 6610 6600 6590 6580 6570 6560 6550 6540 6530	143' 148' 158' 168' 178' 188' 198' 208' 218' 228'

^{*} unknown because drill did not penetrate base; 25' required

^{**} relative to exposed base at 6758

A dip slip fault of 150' to 250' throw will simultaneously drop the buried sandstone by the stated amount of throw and cause the trace of the Mine Fault to migrate by an amount proportional to the dip angle of the fault plane. The observed lateral separation of the Mine Fault trace (north and south of the Offset Fault) is in the order of 40'-50'. The question is: Is there a dip slip motion, consistent with the range of Mine Fault dips and sandstone thicknesses, that will generate an apparent displacement of 40'-50' of the Mine Fault trace?

The enclosed chart has been constructed to show the numerical solutions for such an exercise. The high-lighted area shows that there is a series of geometric results which generate offsets of 40'-50' in the Mine Fault trace. They range from

25' ss thickness - (143' dip slip) - 70° fault dip

140' ss thickness - (258' dip slip) - 80° fault dip.

Steeper fault dips require still thicker sandstone sections.

The thrust of these numerical arguments is that, whether the drilled sandstone is only 25' or 140'+ thick, a single dip slip motion could be responsible for both down-faulting the sand and causing apparent migration of the Mine Fault trace. This enhances the supposition that the down-faulted mineralized sandstone is indeed the northern counterpart of the mineralized sand exposed on the hill to the south.

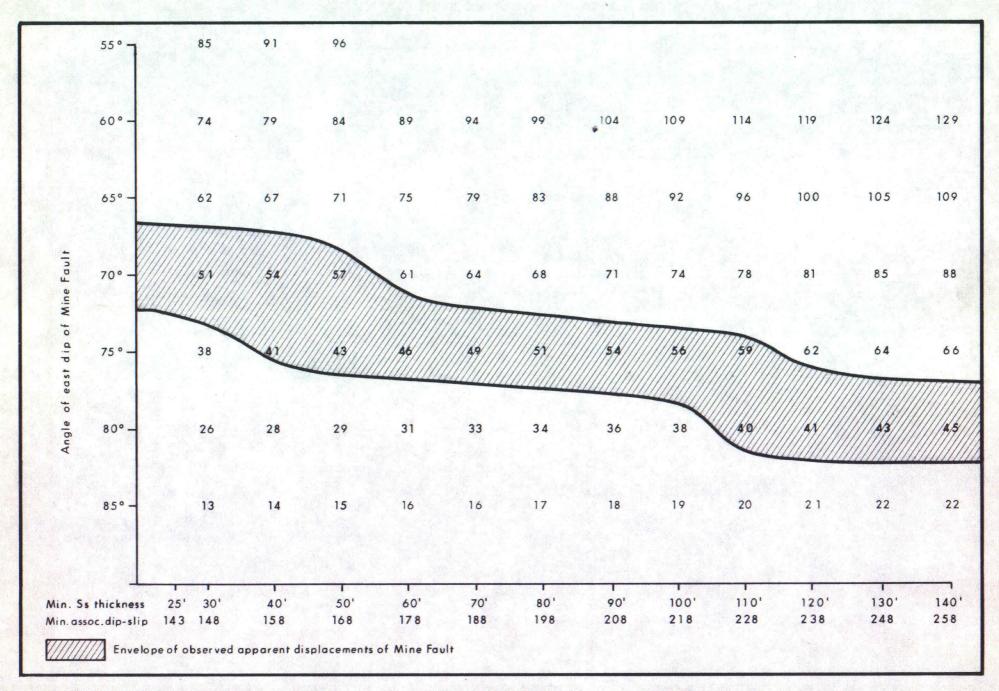


CHART SHOWING HORIZONTAL MIGRATION (APPARENT DISPLACEMENT) OF TRACE OF MINE FAULT (as function of sandstone thickness and fault plane dip)

- (b) Dean Webb had suggested (personal communication) that the situation at Bolo (before drilling) recalled to him instances he had seen of prospects where gold mineralization had entered a carbonate or volcanic section by ascending a steeply dipping fault plane, spreading laterally in permeable units beneath a capping impermeable layer, and subsequent erosion had removed both the cap rock and the gold mineralization, leaving only a barren, sometimes silicified footwall zone devoid of all but a few residual gold anomalies (Fig 4). He had surmised privately that the trenched area might be a silicified footwall of an eroded gold zone. He also speculated that the volcanic cover preserved far to the north might have played such a role at Bolo. For that to be essentially true, however, the prevolcanic topography would have to resemble very closely the topography of today.
- (c) My decision to drill 15 and 19 where I did had unintended consequences. Hole 19, as stated, was principally a test of structural concept (displacement of the Mine Fault). Hole 15 was intended to be where it was, generally, but I was careful to collar it in the sandstone to obtain better control for cross sections. At the time of trench sampling, neither Russ nor I had any idea as to its structural attitude or thickness, as the exposures consisted of surface rubble.

The results of Hole 15 bear repeating:

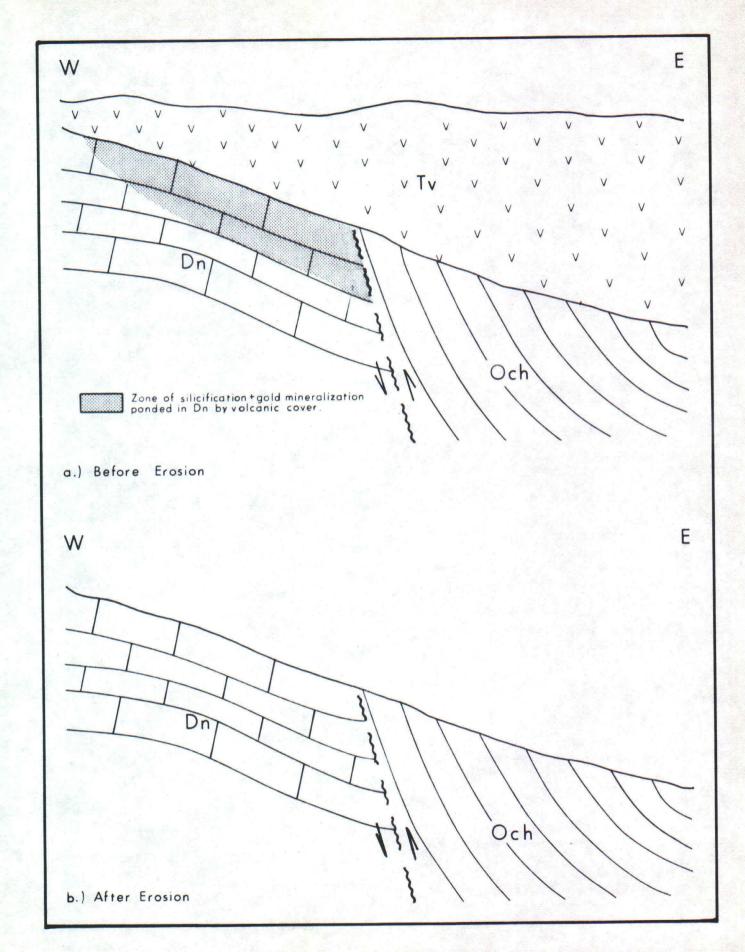


Figure 4. DEAN WEBB HYPOTHESIS FOR SILICIFICATION AND GOLD MINERALIZATION AT BOLO.

0'- 10' -- mineralized, (0.024) of which the first 7' were in sandstone.

10'- 50' -- barren silicified limestone.

And Hole 19, after crossing the Mine Fault:

65'- 85' -- dark gray unsilicified limestone, averaging 0.051.

85'-120' (end) -- medium brown sandstone, averaging 0.024.

If we postulate that the two sandstones are identical, that the "regional" barren silicification of the dip slope with residual surficial gold anomalies is spatially significant, and that the mineralized sandstones must overlie the barren silicified limestones, then the only logical reconstruction of the sequence is that the sandstone is a principal mineralized horizon, with possible diffusion of gold into an indefinite halo in the unsilicified limestone above (see Hole 19). The barren silicified limestone is the footwall of the complete system, with infrequent mineralization. What mineralization there is in the silicified limestone is concentrated at its upper contact. (This, by the way, accounts for the persistent gold mineralization in surface sampling and its patchiness in drilled intervals beneath the surface.) The structural and topographic relations of such an environment are sketched for Bolo in Fig 5.

The significance of these inferences cannot be overemphasized. They mean that there is very probably a recognizable spatial organization of the mineralizing

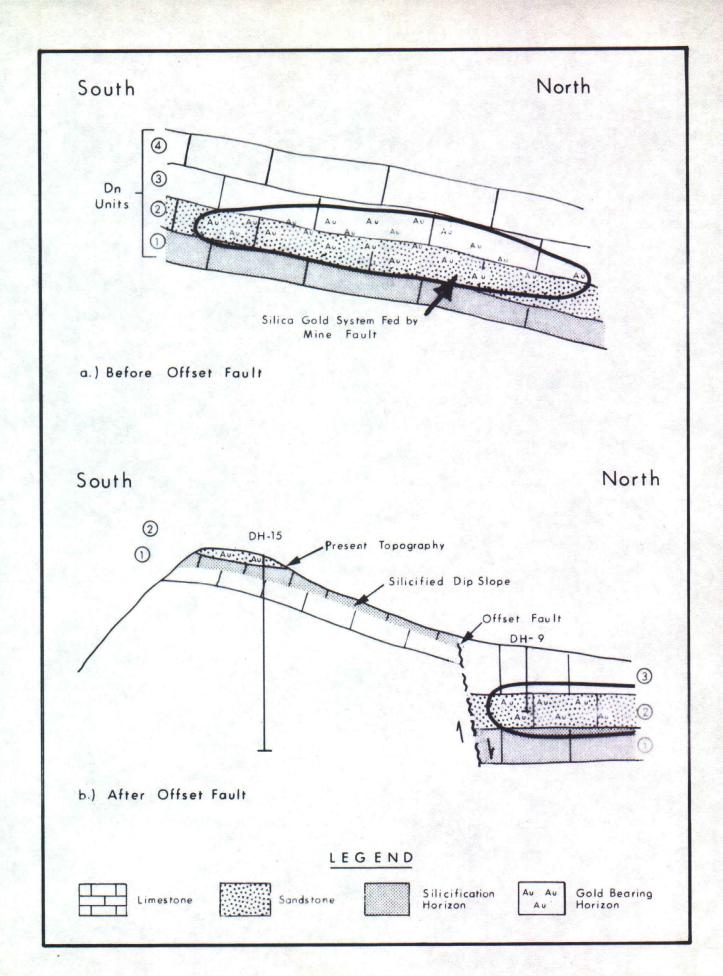


Figure 5. CONCEPTUAL MODEL OF GEOMETRY OF BOLO MINERALIZING SYSTEM (View West, of Rocks West of Mine Fault)

system in this area, and that there is an excellent chance of finding concealed economic mineralization by systematic testing of the sandstone horizon immediately north and west of the faults bounding the buried portion of it.

The true tonnage potential of this area cannot now be estimated, but it is likely to be large. This is so because the mineralized zone appears to be no less than 25' thick and open in two directions. The area of mineralization, which is accessible by a decline (G-G'), is really limited only by the dimensions of the sandstone and the natural limits of the mineralizing system within it.

Even if, for example, the sandstone is a lenticular or elongate marine sand, as I surmise, its lateral dimensions can easily measure in thousands of feet, and it is likely to extend for at least 1,000' both north and west of its intersection in Hole 19. This could warrant establishing another row of claims west of existing Bolo 31-34, and immediate drill testing in fairly accessible areas along the Mine Fault:

- a) west of Hole 19,
- b) west of Chevron Hole 5,
- c) west of Chevron Hole 3. (See Plate IV.)

A conservative estimate of the type of tonnage involved is approximately two million tons $(1,000' \times 1,000' \times 25' \div 13 \text{ cu ft/ton})$. This is an

exciting development, in view of our earlier expectations of perhaps 500,000 tons to be recovered from the area we now recognize as the silicified dip slope.

Fault-controlled and related mineralization is also demonstrated by the Bolo drilling (Holes 17 and 18, B-B'; D-D'; E-E').

Hole 17, which remained in fault gauge and exotic blocks for 85', was mineralized nearly continuously from 10' to the bottom of the hole, which included 65' of inferred footwall. Included in that footwall zone was a 5' intercept of 0.178.

Hole 18 encountered no significant gold in the upper part of the fault plane, but began to intercept gold values at 55', as it began to enter the footwall, and stayed in them to the bottom of the hole. This hole also produced a high 5' interval (0.160).

It is possible that there are buried mineralized horizons in the footwall which abut the Mine Fault and extend some distance west of the fault.

It is also possible that the good grades recorded in the shallow tested portions of the Mine Fault (Hole 17) represent a leakage halo from more intense mineralization at depth.

V. Conclusions

- 1) The area trenched and sampled last year (and drilled this year in the expectation of delineating a bulk-tonnage, open pit resource) turned out to be the surface of a patchily mineralized, silicified zone approximately 50' thick in the Dn.
- 2) Interpretation of the drill holes completed this summer permits the construction of geometric models which can explain two types of mineralization occurring at Bolo: manto and fault-controlled.

Manto mineralization is recognized from the fact that drill holes encountered the same mineralized sandstone in two different fault blocks. In one, mineralized sandstone crops out and overlies 50' of silicified but barren (below the contact) limestone. In the other block, mineralized sandstone lies beneath a thin zone of mineralized but unsilicified limestone.

On the assumption that the two sandstones are part of the same horizon, restoration of the two blocks to their pre-fault positions compels the conclusion that a gold-bearing fluid preferentially mineralized the sandstone, some of the overlying limestone, and the surface of the underlying silicified limestone. The silicification itself is a significant regional phenomenon found in the footwall of this system.

Fault-controlled mineralization exists in parts of two holes drilled through the Mine Fault zone. One hole (17) has significant mineralization throughout its length, and both holes (17 and 18) encountered mineralization in the zone where the footwall Dn abuts against the fault plane. Thus,

both the fault plane itself and the footwall rocks adjacent to it may be a worthwhile target to pursue at depth.

Continued testing of the Mine Fault area should focus on both deeper drilling of the fault plane and identification of footwall mineralized zones abutting it, lying at levels 50' to 100' below the surface of the present silicified dip slope. This can be accomplished by drilling both angle and vertical holes from the existing road containing Holes 17 and 18, and the same for a road or roads to be cut 30' to 50' below the existing one. This type of potential test is illustrated in Fig 6.

3) The manto model markedly increases the tonnage potential and value of the Bolo property.

The apparent minimum sandstone thickness is 25'. This sandstone may, regionally, have a marked asymmetry if it is a marine shelf or strandline sand. However, its lateral dimensions ought to be measurable in hundreds, if not thousands, of feet, and the sandstone should continue without stratigraphic interruption for some distance to the west of the Mine Fault and north along it. Furthermore, the sandstone should continue northward along the Mine Fault at about the same elevation. It is a blind body, in that it is not exposed northward, even in the floors of drainages that cut the Mine Fault, but no structural complications are yet recognized along the escarpment of Dn that would materially change its elevation or cause its structural disappearance. Finally, the gold anomalies detected at many places along the Mine Fault in last year's sampling

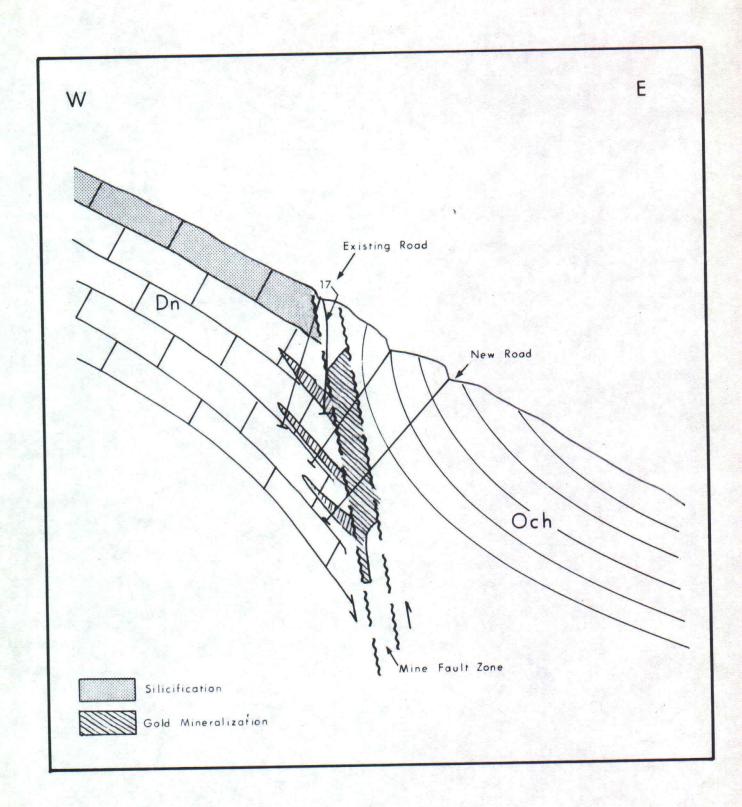


Figure 6. POSSIBLE TESTS OF MINE FAULT ZONE

(see Plate IV of Report 83-1; Plate I of Report 83-2) may indicate one or more places which gold-bearing fluids ascending the Mine Fault have gained access to the sandstone on the west (footwall) side of the fault.

Thus, drill reconnaissance of this sandstone should include not only the area in which it was discovered (Hole 19), but other accessible areas along the Mine Fault (Chevron Hole 5 and Hole 3 areas).

4) The exploration program should continue, as the drill holes completed in summer, 1984, have expanded the geographic area in which economic mineralization might be found. More importantly, they have begun to provide a conceptual framework to build on.

VI. Recommendation

The program results suggest the following lines of continued work:

Claims:

- 1) Prudence dictates establishing yet another row of claims west of Bolo 31-34, especially Bolo 31. This will almost certainly require helicopter support.
- 2) Fresh consideration should be given to establishing a line of millsite claims down Wood Canyon to the mouth of the canyon.

Manto mineralization (buried sandstone horizon):

- 1) The immediate objective should be to cut three benches, on the hillside west of Hole 19, to drill a minimum of six and perhaps 20 reverse circulation holes to test the sandstone horizon for depth, thickness, and (mineral) continuity.
- 2) Contingent on, or concomitant with, the bench cutting and drilling, we might consider rehabilitating access at Chevron Holes 5 and 3, and drilling two 300' to 500' holes at each site to determine northward continuity and mineralization in the sandstone. The Hole 5 area is recommended for its proximity to the trenches, and Hole 3 for its known mineralization in outcropping massive jasperoids.

Fault-controlled mineralization (Mine Fault):

1) At the least, a series of angle and vertical holes should be completed in the existing trench road.

These should number at least four and be completed to depths of 250'.

2) Cutting one or two parallel roads below the existing road will permit systematic testing of the lower reaches of the Mine Fault. In particular, angle holes will provide a sensible estimate of the thickness of mineralized fault material.

APPENDIX A

Surface Geochemical Sample Results

1. Russ traverses - Chevron Hole 3 Area

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
	×		- 0.3	L .005
N- 1	5	L .001	L 0.2	.16
N- 2	35	.001	5.6	.44
N- 3	75	.002	15.0	3.04
N-4	215	.006	G 50.0	
N- 5	400	.012	31.0	.90
N- 6	85	.002	14.0	.41
N- 7	180	.005	10.0	. 29
N- 8	915	.027	1.8	.05
N- 9	705	.020	2.8	.08
N-10	330	.010	1.2	.03
N-11	35	.001	5.6	.16
N-12	15	L .001	15.0	. 44
N-13	30	L .001	12.0	.35
N-14	55	.022	G 50.0	2.74
N-15	30	L .001	33.0	.96
N-16	115	.003	G 50.0	2.80
N-17	80	.002	21.0	.61
N-18	225	.006	7.8	.23
N-19	600	.017	3.2	.09
N-20	780	.023	5.4	.16
N-21	1910	.055	0.4	.01
N-22	175	.005	L 0.2	L .005
N-23	35	.001	L 0.2	L .005
N-24	25	L .001	1.7	.05
N-25	55	.002	1.9	.05
N-26	65	.002	2.1	.06
N-27	15	L .001	1.0	.03
N-28	40	.001	3.0	.09
N-29	95	.003	G 50.0	4.59
N-30	85	.002	24.0	.70

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
N-31	90	.003	6.8	.20
N-32	60	.002	3.2	.09
N - 33	470	.014	16.0	.47
N-34	405	.012	20.0	.58
N-35	190	.006	5.1	.15
N-36	335	.010	19.0	. 55
N-37	95	.003	7.4	.22
N-38	35	.001	0.8	.02
N-39	10	L .001	0.6	.02
N-40	5	L .001	L 0.2	L .005

2. Ridgley traverse - Silicified Limestone at 11 2N, 96E

	Au ppb	Au	oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag	oz/ton
N-41	230		.007	1.4		.041
N-42	10	${f L}$.001	0.9		.026
N-43	10	L	.001	0.6		.017
N-44	15	L	.001	0.5		.014
N-45	25	L	.001	6.1		.178
N-46	10	L	.001	0.5		.014
N-47	30	L	.001	0.8		.023
N-48	120		.004	1.4		.041
N-49	110		.003	0.8		.023
N-50	115		.003	13.0		.379
N-51	20	L	.001	3.6		.105
N-52	30	L	.001	3.2		.093
N-53	50		.001	6.4		.187
N-54	30	L	.001	0.8		.023
N-55	45		.001	4.7		.137
N-56	65		.002	2.0		.058
N-57	75		.002	5.0		.146
N-58	15	L	.001	1.2		.035
N-59	15	L	.001	1.3		.038

3. Ridgley traverse - Bulldozer Cut South of Chevron Hole 3

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
N-60	25	L .001	4.2	.122
N-61	65	.002	21.0	.612
N-62	395	.012	G 50.0	4.05
N-63	155	.004	18.0	.525
N-64	595	.017	1.6	.047
N-65	245	.007	0.4	.012
N-66	200	.006	0.2	.006
N-67	90	.003	L 0.2	L .005
N-68	55	.002	L 0.2	L .005
N-69	5	L .001	L 0.2	L .005

APPENDIX B

Drill Cuttings Results

		A. mmh	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
		Au ppb	Au OZ/ COII	219 PP	
Ho	le 11				
	05 10 15 20 25	475 145 245 125 140	.014 .004 .007 .004	3.6 2.8 0.8 1.1 1.9	.10 .08 .02 .03
	30 35 40 45 50	55 485 485 265 250	.002 .014 .014 .008	0.4 2.1 30.0 16.0 7.3	.01 .06 .87 .47
	55 60 65 70 75	485 185 170 150 105	.014 .005 .005 .004	5.0 1.8 3.8 9.0 5.3	.14 .05 .11 .26 .15
	80 85 90 95	8 0 9 0 4 0 6 0 5 5	.002 .003 .001 .002	11.0 7.1 2.4 2.4 0.9	.32 .20 .07 .07
	105 110 115 120 125	40 45 95 135 80	.001 .001 .002 .004 .002	0.6 0.5 27.0 11.0 0.7	.02 .01 .79 .32
	130 135 140 145 150	65 35 70 50 30	.002 .001 .002 .001 L .001	0.6 0.6 0.4 2.2 2.0	.02 .02 .01 .06

	Au ppb	Au c	z/ton	Ag	ppm	Ag	oz/ton
Hole 12							
05 10 15 20 25	900 330 875 800 400		.026 .010 .026 .023		1.8 0.6 1.3 2.0		.05 .02 .03 .06
30 35 40 45 50	95 45 105 60 65		.003 .001 .003 .002		2.3 6.6 4.8 2.8 2.6		.07 .19 .14 .08
55 60 65 70 75	500 420 145 210 160		.014 .012 .004 .006		4.9 4.8 6.2 6.3		.14 .14 .18 .18
80 85 90 95 100	85 15 10 20 9	L L L	.002 .001 .001 .001	2	2.0 2.1 0.6 0.4 0.2	L	.64 .06 .02 .01
105 110 115 120 125	10 5 25 35 50	L L L	.001 .001 .001 .001	L	0.2 0.2 0.2 0.7 4.6	L L	.01 .01 .01 .02
130 135 140 145 150	120 70 35 25 20	L L	.004 .002 .001 .001	L	4.2 2.6 1.0 0.4 0.2	L	.12 .08 .03 .01

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
Hole 13				
05 10 15 20 25	90 480 940 125 65	.003 .014 .027 .004 .002	1.0 2.5 3.4 0.5 0.6	.03 .07 .10 .01
30 35 40 45 50	80 555 680 285 120	.002 .016 .020 .008 .004	0.4 2.0 0.4 L 0.2 L 0.2	.01 .06 .01 L .01 L .01
55 60 65 70 75	90 115 30 30 65	.003 .003 L .001 L .001 .002	L 0.2 0.8 0.6 L 0.2 1.0	L .01 .02 .02 L .01 .03
80 85 90 95	35 20 30 30	.001 L .001 L .001	L 0.2 L 0.2 14.0 2.5	L .01 L .01 .41 .07

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
Hole 14				
05 10 15 20 25	230 145 55 1300 670	.007 .004 .002 .038 .020	1.0 0.2 L 0.2 1.7 2.7	.03 L .01 L .01 .05
30 35 40 45 50	115 465 2200 1800	.003 .014 .064 .052	0.8 2.5 6.7 7.5	.02 .07 .20 .22
55	230	.006	5.3	.15

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
Hole 15				
05 10 15 20 25	1090 535 65 110 120	.032 .016 .002 .003	3.0 1.0 0.7 0.6 0.6	.09 .03 .02 .02
30 35 40 45 50	65 75 50 85 85	.002 .002 .001 .002	0.4 L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2	.01 L .01 L .01 L .01
55 60 65 70 75	35 30 10 20 30	.001 L .001 L .001 L .001	L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2	L .01 L .01 L .01 L .01
80 85 90 95 100	10 15 10 20 20	L .001 L .001 L .001 L .001	L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2	L .01 L .01 L .01 L .01
105 110 115 120 125	30 20 15 10 15	L .001 L .001 L .001 L .001 L .001	0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2	.01 L .01 L .01 L .01
130	20	L .001	L 0.2	L .01

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
Hole 16				
05 10 15 20 25	20 20 30 105 1010	L .001 L .001 L .001 .003 .029	0.4 0.5 1.0 1.9 2.2	.01 .01 .03 .06
30 35 40 45 50	170 115 660 580 135	.005 .003 .019 .017	0.6 0.4 0.6 1.2 1.0	.02 .01 .02 .03
55 60 65 70 75	260 3280 240 50 35	.008 .096 .007 .001	2.2 13.0 1.1 L 0.2 L 0.2	.06 .38 .03 L .01 L .01
80 85 90 95 100	40 15 15 10	.001 L .001 L .001 L .001	4.4 0.4 0.5 1.2	.13 .01 .01 .03
105 110 115 120 125	10 10 10 L 5 15	L .001 L .001 L .001 L .001	0.2 0.4 L 0.2 0.2 0.3	.01 .01 L .01 .01
130 135 140 145	15 10 15 15	L .001 L .001 L .001 L .001	3.1 2.8 1.7 1.3	.10 .08 .05 .04

		7. 07/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppin	9
Hole 17				
05 10 15 20 25	10 15 715 2660 230	L .001 L .001 .021 .078 .006	0.2 0.2 2.9 5.8 0.3	.01 .01 .08 .17
30 35 40 45 50	605 540 1240 590 220	.018 .016 .036 .017 .006	1.6 0.9 2.9 2.8 2.5	.05 .03 .08 .08
55 60 65 70 75	770 840 280 80 2380	.022 .025 .008 .002	8.0 1.9 1.2 0.8 9.0	.23 .06 .03 .02
80 85 90 95	800 1520 1780 590 410	.023 .044 .052 .017 .012	3.9 5.2 45.0 1.9 2.6	.11 .15 1.31 .06
105 110 115 120 125	660 630 685 855 1090	.019 .018 .020 .025 .032	2.0 1.0 1.6 2.0 1.9	.06 .03 .05 .06
130 135 140 145 150	1130 6110 925 810 465	.033 .178 .027 .024 .014	2.6 20.0 2.1 2.1 1.5	.08 .58 .06 .06

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
Hole 18				
05 10 15 20 25	25 80 175 95 30	L .001 .002 .005 .003 L .001	2.0 2.7 2.0 0.9 0.4	.06 .08 .06 .03
30 35 40 45 50	80 120 70 45 65	.002 .004 .002 .001	1.4 0.6 1.0 0.6 1.0	.04 .02 .03 .02
55 60 65 70 75	100 475 1940 5470 2400	.003 .014 .057 .160	1.3 5.0 23.0 G 50.0 19.0	.04 .14 .67 2.53 .55
80	765	.022	13.0	.38

		Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
F	Hole 19				
	05 10 15 20 25	635 735 620 750	.019 .021 .019 .022	1.6 3.0 1.8 2.1	.05 .09 .05
	30 35 40 45 50	880 1060 865 425 255	.026 .031 .025 .012	2.7 5.4 4.4 2.0 2.0	.08 .16 .13 .06
	55 60 65 70 75	465 780 650 1110 1610	.014 .023 .019 .032	5.0 3.2 3.6 21.0 13.0	.14 .09 .10 .61
	80 85 90 95 100	2530 1760 2300 845 620	.074 .051 .067 .025	28.0 39.0 30.0 13.0 11.0	.82 1.14 .87 .38
	105 110 115 120	300 500 920 440	.009 .015 .027 .013	8.4 6.8 26.0 18.0	.24 .19 .76 .52

APPENDIX B (continued)

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
Hole 19A				
05 10 15 20	1310 1270 1680 1000	.038 .037 .049 .029	13.0 5.2 4.2 4.3	.38 .15 .12

APPENDIX B (continued)

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
Hole 20				
05	390	.011	20.0	.58
10	565	.016	15.0	. 44
15	195	.006	4.8	.14
20	90	.003	3.3	.10
25	80	.002	1.4	.04
30	160	.005	3.0	.09
35	175	.005	3.0	.09
40	90	.003	2.5	.07

APPENDIX B (continued)

	Au ppb	Au oz/ton	Ag ppm	Ag oz/ton
Hole 21				
05 10 15 20 25	L 5 L 5 L 5 L 5	L .001 L .001 L .001 L .001	L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2 L 0.2 D 0.2	L .01 L .01 L .01 L .01
30 35 40 45 50	5 5 5 10 5	L .001 L .001 L .001 L .001	0.5 0.4 0.4 0.9	.01 .01 .01 .03
55 60 65 70 75	5 15 10 5 60	L .001 L .001 L .001 L .001	0.8 1.0 0.7 1.2 2.0	.02 .03 .02 .03
80 85 90 95	5 5 10 L 5 5	L .001 L .001 L .001 L .001 L .001	1.0 0.9 0.9 0.5 0.4	.03 .03 .03 .01
105	5	L .001	0.6	.02

CANERTA RESOURCES LTD. HOLE No. 13 Air Track Rotary Drill Log Inclination: -90° Scale: / = 20 Property: Bolo Date Drilled: 8/6/84 State & County: Nye Nevada Depth: T. 8N R. 50 E Logged by: V Ridgley Elevation: 6746 Sec. ____29 Grid Co-ordinates: 9650 9565E ASSAYS Gold Silver Sample REMARKS DESCRIPTION Depth 0/1 No. 0/1 1003 05 03 Medium gray powder -Medium dark gray solic LS 07 10 .014 产 15 .10 .027 20 .004 01 25 .02 ,002 30 ,01 .002 35 .016 106 ,020 ,01 Med Sown punder. Lt brown silve LS Lt grace gray punder Med gy LS 45 LOI ,008 50 ,004 401 55 Lt gray to punder - Mal- gy LS .003 401 60 T 60 .02 ,003 65 Loul .02 20 1.01 Loui 25 .03 .002 80 601 .001 - 82 85 Loul. 401 90 94-98 cavity LouI .41 Litgran gry punder Miligray LS 95 ,07 LouI No Sample 1 100 Hule terminated due to los TO 1001 of air at 94-98 cavity

CANERTA RESOURCES LTD. HOLE No. 14 Air Track Rotary Drill Log Scale: /"=20' Inclination: -90° Property: Bolo Date Drilled: 7/27/84 Depth: ____/50' State & County: Nye, Nevada Logged by: V Ridgky Elevation: 6714 Sec. 29 T. SN R. 50E Grid Co-ordinates: 9600 N 9655 E Graphic Log ASSAYS Gold Silver Sample REMARKS DESCRIPTION 0/+ No. 05 ,03 Med. gray powder - Dark gray .007 10 .004 Silve. LS 1.01 10 15 Lul .002 Light gray powder - Med gray LS W/minur hem coatings 20 .05 .038 - 20 25 .020 .08 .02 30 .003 - 30 ,07 35 .014 Pink-gray powder; medgy LS w/gtown .20 40 .064 cavity 44-51 ,22 45 Lt gray powder - Medgy LS .052 No sample. 50 No Sample Recovered -50 Lostair 55' 55 .15 Ltgory powder - Med gy LS .006 T.O. - 60 55' Hole terminated due to loss of air at ss'

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CANERTA RESOURCES LTD. Rotary Drill Log Air Track Scale: /"=201 Inclination: -90° 145' Property: Bolo Date Drilled: 8/5/84 State & County: Nye Nevada Depth: Elevation: 6742 Logged by: VRidgley Sec. 29 T. FN R. 50 E Grid Co-ordinates: 9540 # 9580 E Graphic ASSAYS Silver Gold Sample REMARKS DESCRIPTION olt. 0/1 No. 1-1-1 05 01 2001 Dark gray powder - Dk gray silve LS Loul 10 01 15 Lt pinkish gray punder - Tansilu LS 03 4001 06 20 .003 25 .029 Med-gray powder - Dark gy silic .06 30 .005 .02 01 35 .003 02 019 -Ten silve L5 Lt sy powder 41-46 hard 45 ,017 .03 Greensh-gray - Darkgray Silve LS I so .004 50 .03 52-54 hard. Med-gray - Med gy and fan silve powder LS 800 .06 60 .38 .096 - W 65 Pinkish gray punder. Med gy LS- Lem. .03 .007 yellow -white - Tan LS .001 LOI 7-70 65-80 suft powder LUI 001 .13 80 1001 'Lt gray powder - Med gy LS 85 .01 Loui .01 90 95 .03 195-105 hard .04 -100 105 ,01 110 Green-gray powder . Med gy LS .01 -110 115 401 120 120 .01 125 Very It gray punder - Met gy LS .01 /30 130 .00 Lt brown punder - Mcday than LS 120-145 soft 135 Brown- groy powder - Med gy than LS 108 140 140 Med brum ponder - Tan LS 105 145 04 TD Hule terminated due to 145 loss of air at 145'

CANERTA RESOURCES LTD. HOLE No. /7 Air Track Rotary Drill Log Scale: /= 20' -900 Property: Inclination: Date Drilled: 8/9/84 Depth: 150' State & County: New New ola Logged by: V Ridgley Sec. 29 T. SN R. SUE Elevation: 6678 Grid Co-ordinates: 9625 N 9705E Silver Gold DESCRIPTION Sample REMARKS Depth 0/1 0/1 No. Ten LS W Med red punder. 2001 05 .01 Flesh brun punder. hem clay 10 Luoi -01 Bruk red puwder. 15 021 .08 4 - 1 -078 20 bren gy powder. OKgy silve LS .17 Lt grangy powder. .006 25 .01 OK 17 LS 30 .018 It salman pork powder. .05 w/ hcm 30 OK salmon pink punder. 35 .03 .016 Brek red powder 40 .036 08 40 Orange brown purder. .08 45 ,017 Bruk red powder. 006 -07 50 V dk red powder. Small spl .23 .022 V dk red powder. Small spl. 60 ,025 .06 60 It reblish brown purder. 38-85-,008 03 15 Soft clay Met boun powder bit plugging 002 102 70 Olive from powder w/ blect 25 .069 26 Motord yellow punder. pour air chet .023 .11 return Olive brown powder. ,044 115 Med gy punder med my w 1052 1.31 95 ,017 .06 -08 ,012 100 Park gry powder .019 .06 105 DK 97 Charal black powder. .018 .03 110 breensh block powder .05 ,020 115 It charmal black person LJ .025 06 120 - 120 Chercuit black powder ,032 .06 125 Lt gy purder .033 130 Med gy LS .08 - 130 It boum powder. .178 .58 135 Med of powder ,027 .06 140 - 140 .024 .06 145 \$ 140-150 150 ,014 .04 - 150 completed to TO projected TO. 150 Mine Fault 0-85 hale probably deviated to east (binding steel) On (fod wall) 85 - 150

CANERTA RESOURCES LTD. HOLE No. 18 Rotary Drill Log Air Track Scale: /1220' Inclination: -90 Property: Date Drilled: _ Depth: Nye Nevada State & County: _ Logged by: V Kidgley Elevation: 6688 T. SN R. SUE Sec. 29 Grid Co-ordinates: 975N 9720E ASSAYS Silver Gold REMARKS Sample DESCRIPTION Depth olt. 0/1 No. 05 4,001 06 Greenuk gy puwder - Med gy LS 10 002 .08 15 .06 .005 Orange Sown punder. 20 .003 .03 Lt Soven purder googe 21-24 hard. 1001 25 .01 .04 30 002 Med 14 LS breach sy powder 35 004 .02 Olive gy powder. 40 ,03 .002 Lt greenish sy powder. 45 .001 .02 breenish sy punder. .002 50 .03 Tan-grey powder. 55 brunsh - 94 powder. .04 ,003 Oark pink pouder. 60 .14 .014 water and Fault 65 Med red powder. .67 .057 clay; gorge 2.53 70 .160 V dk red pewder. bit plugged 75 Med love ponder .55 .070 Meday LS 80 022 ,38 _1_- 80 Black- brown powder TO Hule terminated at so' due fu' to loss of air; constant plugging of bit by clay and water mixed. Limestones interpreted as high-angle revise thrust spligs of OCA into featurall

CANERTA RESOURCES LTD. HOLE No. _/9 Air Track Rotary Drill Log Inclination: -45° 278° 67 Scale: /= 20' Property: Bolo Date Drilled: 8/8/84 State & County: Nye Nevada Depth: Logged by: V Ridgley Sec. 29 T. FN R. 50 E Elevation: 6704 Grid Co-ordinates: 9815 N 9725 E ASSAYS Gold Silver Sample REMARKS DESCRIPTION Depth olt No. Pink-med gy powder - Tan, pink and red NONE 019 .05 10 Jasp. .09 15 021 .05 019 20 .022 25 .06 .08 30 .026 Small Spl. Greenish by powder - Tan, port + .031 35 .16 Small spl. .025 40 red unsp; med-.13 dk sy sihe LS 45 Smell spl. .06 .012 50 007 .06 Small spl. Greensh brown posseder - Med-dt 55 .014 14 gy sike LS 60 .09 64-69 v hard 023 65 .019 10 70-73 Uhard. Med-brown powder - OK gy LS 032 .61 Small spl. 25 047 38 Smell spl. T-80 .82 80 074 .051 1.14 85 - 90 Small spl. Light Salowa pink powder -.067 .87 90 ,38 95 small spl. clear to light .025 .32 100 for equipranter .018 - 100 med grained .009 .24 105 110 ,015 19 Sands time - 110 small spl. ,027 .76 115 013 52 120 -120 Hule terminated at 120' in TO 1201 Sandstone with objectives satisfied Coross Mine Fault and doll into footwell On) Mine Fault at 64-69 or 70-73 00 80-85. Och above; On below.

CANERTA RESOURCES LTD. HOLE No. 19A Air Track Rotary Drill Log Property: Bolo Inclination: -45°, 23° by Scale: /"= 20'

State & County: Nyc Nevada Depth: 20' Date Drilled: 87 Date Drilled: 8/7/84 Sec. 29 T. FN R. SUE Elevation: 6701 Logged by: V Ridgley Grid Co-ordinates: 9830 N 9745E ASSAYS Graphic Log Gold Silver Sample REMARKS Depth DESCRIPTION No. Pinkish grey puwder-Tan-pink visip 038 .38 05 Med my punder - Med my LS .037 10 .15 .049 .12 15 . 029 20 ./2 - 20 Hule terminated due to 20'