

PRODUCT
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SILVER

PROVINCE OR
TERRITORY

PROVINCE OU
TERRITOIRE

British Columbia

N.T.S. AREA 82 K/13
RÉGION DU S.N.R.C.

REF. Ag 7
RÉF.

NAME OF PROPERTY
NOM DE LA PROPRIÉTÉ

BIG SHOWING, SCOUT

OBJECT LOCATED
OBJET LOCALISÉ

showing at 5300' elevation

UNCERTAINTY 300 m
FACTEUR D'INCERTITUDE

Lat. 50°52'20" Long. 117°34'30"

Mining Division Revelstoke
Division minière

District
District

County
Comté

Township or Parish
Canton ou paroisse

Lot
Lot

Concession or Range
Concession ou rang

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OWNER OR OPERATOR/PROPRIÉTAIRE OU EXPLOITANT

DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSIT/DESCRIPTION DU GISEMENT

Precambrian limestone and chlorite schist of the Lardeau Series (Map 235A) underlie the property. The silicified and chloritized limestone locally contains a fairly strong replacement by sulphides, mainly galena with some sphalerite and pyrite and a little chalcocopyrite over a width of as much as 30 feet; the galena carries silver values.

Lead, copper

HISTORY OF EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT
HISTORIQUE DE L'EXPLORATION ET DE LA MISE EN VALEUR

The property is located at elevations of 5000 to 6500 feet on the northerly side of the north spur of Mount Goldsmith (Goat Mountain) some 50 km southeast of Revelstoke. The showing are on the west wide of the narrow v-shaped canyon of Goldsmith creek. The Mammoth property (82 K/13, AG 6) adjoins to the south.

The Big Showing group of 5 claims was owned by John Leask and associates, of Cranbrook. Work prior to 1914 included an adit at 5,000 feet elevation driven some 200 feet, mainly in the footwall of the showing. The Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company Limited held an option on the property in 1926; preparations for diamond drilling were not completed.

The property was held in 1980 as the Ruby Silver (18 units) and Goldy (4 units) by J.M. Leask, of Castlegar; geological mapping was reported.

The Scout group of 6 claims, located at elevations of 5,600 to 7,800 feet on the opposite (west) side of the ridge, was staked by George Goldsmith & associates, of Cranbrook. Work prior to 1941 included trenching, an adit at 5,900 feet elevation driven 185 feet, and a lower adit, at 5,300 feet, driven only a few feet.

In the early 1980's, the Big Showing and Scout were restaked as the A to F group of 6 two post claims. The property was held by P.F. Explorations Ltd. and subsequently optioned to Summer 90 Resources Ltd. and re-optioned in June 1984 to New Campbell Island Mines Ltd. Work in the following years included geological mapping and geochemical soil and rock sampling. Property evaluations were carried out by H.A. Simmons (International) Ltd. and W.J. Olsson & Associates Ltd. Reserves, presumably in the Big Showing, were estimated at 239,885 tons probable at 22 oz/t Ag and 439,693 tons possible at 14 oz/t Ag plus values in gold, lead and zinc. (New Campbell Island Mines Limited, 1987 Annual Report).

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REMARKS/REMARQUES

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