

NAME OF PROPERTY LEAD KING (EUREKA) ADAIR

OBJECT LOCATED - Eureka Crown-grant (Lot 9124).
 UNCERTAINTY IN METRES 300. Lat. 51°13'30" Long. 118°04'30"

Mining Division	Revelstoke	District
County		Township or Parish
Lot		Concession or Range
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OWNER OR OPERATOR AND ADDRESS

DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSIT

The showings occur at the southeast end of a lenticular mass of carbonate that extend northwestward to Carnes Creek. The northeasterly dipping limestones and dolomites wedge out to the southeast into grey phyllite. The carbonates and adjoining phyllites are isoclinally folded and highly sheared. The showings, consisting of 4 to 5 lenses mineralized with sphalerite and galena, are exposed along the dolomite band for about 200 feet. An adit driven on the Eureka claim (Lot 9124G. 1) in 1899 is reported to have intersected a vein over 2 feet thick mineralized with chalcopyrite.

HISTORY OF EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT

This property is located at about the 6,000 foot elevation north of the east fork of La Forme Creek, some 16 miles northeast of Revelstoke. The Mastodon mine lies about 2 miles to the northwest.

During 1897-98 numerous claims were staked in this vicinity, including the Eureka (Adair) group of 5 claims and the Uncle Jar claim. Exploration work was carried on for a number of years and included trenching and a short adit. The Eureka, Evening Star, Flora Bell, Grand View, and Morning Star claims (Lots 9121-9125) were Crown-granted to Messrs. Adair, Walsh, McMurty, Wilson, and Green in 1910.

Mastodon Zinc Mines Limited acquired the property in about 1953 as part of a group of 50 Crown-grants including the nearby Mastodon property (82 M/1, Mn 1). Some trenching was done on the Lead King showings. The five Crown-grants reverted to the Crown in 1974 and were acquired by Cobra Resources Ltd. in November 1974. The Company name was changed in June 1975 to Le Mans Resources Ltd. During 1975 reconnaissance prospecting and stream geochemical sampling were carried out.

HISTORY OF PRODUCTION

REFERENCES

Reports of Minister of Mines, British Columbia: 1898, p. 1060; 1899, p. 672; 1900, p. 809; 1910, p. 248; 1917, p. 152; 1959, p. 117 + .

Wheeler, J.O.; Big-Bend Map-Area, B.C.; Paper 64-32, p. 30, Geol. Surv. of Canada.

Mineral Policy Sector; Corporation Files: "Le Mans Resources Ltd.".

Exploration in British Columbia; British Columbia Dept. of Mines: 1975, P. E56 (Eric).

MAP REFERENCES

Map 12-1964, Big Bend, (Geol.), Sc. 1":4 miles - accomp. Paper 64-32.

Map 4404 G, Mount Revelstoke, (Aeromag.), Sc. 1":1 mile.

#Map 82 M/1 E, Mount Revelstoke, (Topo.), Sc. 1:50,000.

REMARKS

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