

PRODUCT PRODUIT	PROVINCE OR TERRITORY	PROVINCE OU TERRITOIRE	N.T.S. AREA RÉGION DU S.N.R.C.	REF. RÉF.
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NAME OF PROPERTY NOM DE LA PROPRIÉTÉ	GOLD. (PLACER) (P)	PROVINCE BRITISH COLUMBIA.	MAP SQUARE E8	No. 937A/12
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NAME OF PROPERTY **SEVEN-MILE CREEK**

NEAREST POST OFFICE

LOCATION On left bank of Morehead or Seven-Mile Creek.  
Mining Division Quesnel District Cariboo.

County Township or Parish

Concession or Range, and Lot

L.S. Sec. Tp. R.

OWNERS OR OPERATORS AND ADDRESS

/ The Morehead Mining Co.

DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSIT

Ore or substance Gold.

Character of Deposit Placer.

Country Rock

Associated minerals of value Platinum.

DEVELOPMENT WORK

A ditch formerly built by Chinese, to bring water out of Morehead Creek to the pit.

In 1913, an open pit about 300 ft. long and 200 ft. wide was made. It had a gravel-face 150 ft. high.

In 1989, apparently Polestar Exploration Inc. held the property. They and joint venture partner Golderand Mining Inc. carried out seismic surveys and bulk sampling. There are 192,000 cubic yards at an average value of \$6.82 per cubic yard. There are reported bedrock gravel values of \$40.00 to \$400.00 per cubic yard at gold price of \$400.00 per ounce. Some sluicing was done in 1990, but then stopped.

Production

In 1914: \$5,000.

Material shipped

Date of first shipment

TRANSPORTATION

Shipping point

Distance from mine

Carrier

Destination

MAP REFERENCES

General and district maps

Detail maps, plans, sections

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## BIBLIOGRAPHY

## REMARKS

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" " " " Ann. Rep. 1914, p. 72.

In 1913 and 1914, this Company operated an hydraulic plant about a mile or more up Morehead Creek - from its mouth. However, the tenure of title to water is too insecure to justify any very extensive installation.

"The exact amount of gold recovered is not known, but, from the deliveries to the Dominion Government Assay Office, Vancouver, it was sufficient to prove the ground very attractive with any proper water-supply. A certain amount of crude platinum was recovered from the riffles and tested in the B. C. Gov't Assay Office. The quantity was not of commercial importance, nor is it probable that without undercurrents, any appreciable proportion was collected." (B.C.Rep., 1913.) Seven-Mile (or, Morehead) Creek is a tributary of the Quesnel River.

In 1914, plans were made to increase the water-supply by tapping Eight-mile lake.

Mineral Policy Sector; Corporation Files: "Polestar Exploration Inc.": "Golderand Mining Corp."