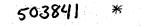
PRODUCT	GOLD (PLAC	ER)	PROVINCE OR Br TERRITORY	itish Columbia N.T.S. AREA 93 J/14 REF. AU 2				
NAME OF PR	OPERTY	McLEOD RIVER		HISTORY OF EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT McLeod River flows northeasterly into McLeod Lake, some 70 miles				
LOCATION	n de service de la companya de la co Na companya de la comp	Lat. 54°56'	Long. 123°11'30"	north-northwest of Prince George. Placer leaseshave been located on the river for a distance of 3 miles downstream from the McDougall River junction.				
Mining Division	Caribco	District	Cariboo	The first reported placer activity was on a lease owned by C. Nelson in about 1931. In 1933 a lease held by Messrs. Armstrong and				
County		Township or Parish		Porter covered this same ground; adjoining downstream was a lease held by R.W. Alward & associatos. The Cluckhoot lease, owned by J.E				
Lot		Concession or Range		Hawkins & associates in 1932, was located upstream from the above mentioned leases and about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile below the mouth of McDougall River				
Sec.	Tp.	R.		The above operations were apparently confined largely to hand nethods. No activity was reported after 1933.				
OWNER OR O	PERATOR AND	ADDRESS						

DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSIT

Placer gold, and also metals of the platinum group, occur in gravels 3 to 6 feet deep overlying rock benches which flank both banks of the river; the benches are situated only 2 or 3 feet above the river. Some of the placer is well worn, but the coarser pieces show little wear. A rock bench about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile below the mouth of McDougall River is overlain by 6 feet of gravel, of which the 3 feet above bedrock contains the "pay". Pieces of gold vary in size up to about 15 cents; the indicated value (1933) on this bench is about \$1.25 per cubic yard. A sample of black sand concentrate, from which gold had been removed by amalgametion, assayed: Gold, trace; platinum, \$4,500 per ton; iridium, \$780 per ton. The gravels contain boulders of pyroxenite and garnetiferous rock.



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HISTORY OF PRODUCTION

Recorded production from the McLeod River, for the period 1931-1940, totals 260 cunces of placer gold.

Shipping point			•	Distance from	mine
Material shipped		•		Carrier	
Destination	an a				

MAP REFERENCES

Map 2-1962, McLeod Lake, (Geol.), Sc. 1":4 miles.
Map 93 J/14 E, Carp Lake, (Topo.), Sc. 1:50,000.
Map 1562 G, Carp Lake, (Aeromag.), Sc. 1":1 mile (1964).
Map 1204 A, McLeod Lake, (Geol.), Sc. 1":4 miles.

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