

PRODUCT PRODUIT	COPPER	PROVINCE OR TERRITORY	PROVINCE OU TERRITOIRE	British Columbia	N.T.S. AREA 104 A/4 RÉGION DU S.N.R.C.	REF. CU 13 RÉF.
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NAME OF PROPERTY
NOM DE LA PROPRIÉTÉ

AMERICA'S GIRL (GOOD ENOUGH)

OBJECT LOCATED
OBJET LOCALISÉ

UNCERTAINTY
FACTEUR D'INCERTITUDE

Lat. 56°01'10" Long. 129°54'

Lat.

Long.

Mining Division Skeena
Division minière

District
District

Cassiar

County
Comté

Township or Parish
Canton ou paroisse

Lot
Lot

Concession or Range
Concession ou rang

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Sect.

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OWNER OR OPERATOR/PROPRIÉTAIRE OU EXPLOITANT

DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSIT/DESCRIPTION DU GISEMENT

The claims are on the contact between volcanic rocks and sediments with a belt of granitic dykes which strike north-westerly across Bitter Creek. At the 1,700 foot elevation a quartz vein about 4 feet wide in volcanic rock is sparsely mineralized with pyrite and chalcopyrite. Another narrower quartz vein roughly parallel and 200 feet lower contains similar mineralization.

On the Gold Bar No. 1 claim a quartz vein 4 to 10 feet wide is reported to carry some gold. The vein was stripped at intervals for a distance of 150 feet. A similar vein, which may be a continuation of the first, outcrops about 400 feet to the west on the Blue Bell No. 1 claim.

HISTORY OF EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT

HISTORIQUE DE L'EXPLORATION ET DE LA MISE EN VALEUR

A number of mineral occurrences are located between elevations of 1,000 and 3,000 feet on the south side of Bitter Creek about 1 mile above its junction with the Bear River, some 6½ miles northeast of Stewart.

The Good Enough group and the Gold Bar No. 1 claim were located in about 1910. The War Eagle group, adjoining on the southeast, was located in about 1912. The America's Girl group, located in the vicinity of the Gold Bar, Gold Bar No. 1, and Blue Bell No. 1 claims, may be in part a restaking of the old Good Enough group.

The Good Enough group, including the Good Enough, Big Boulder, Gold Bar, Blue Bell, and Blue Bell No. 1 claims, was owned by A.E. Crosset in 1910. Exploration work was done in open cuts and one adit. On the Gold Bar No. 1 claim a quartz vein, which may be a continuation of the vein outcropping 400 feet to the west on the Blue Bell No. 1 claim, was stripped at intervals for a distance of 150 feet. On the 5 claim War Eagle group 30 feet of tunnelling was reported in 1912.

The America's (Americus) Girl group of 8 claims was located by Messrs. Duke, Campbell, and Cullen in about 1925. The group includes the Americus Girl, Sunlock, Sunkist, Tuxedo, Drummer Boy, Duke, Baker, and Le Argent claims. The property was expanded to 12 claims in about 1927.

The workings include open cuts, stripping, and 4 short adits. At the 1,500 foot elevation 2 short adits were driven, one on each side of a small creek. At the 1,700 foot elevation a crosscut adit was driven 60 feet to reach the vein, which was drifted on for 25 feet.

The Mauretania, Mauretania Nos. 1-5, S.D. and S,D, Nos.1-3 claims, located on the south side of Bitter Creek in the vicinity of the America's Girl group, were held by B.O. Erickson & Associate, of Stewart. Stewart Central Mines, Ltd. was formed in June 1924 to acquire the property and exploration work in stripping and open cutting was reported in 1925 and 1928. The S.D. and S.D. 1-3 claims (Lots 4560-4563) were Crown-granted to the company in 1928. The Betsy Fr., Betty, and Betty Nos. 1-5 claims (Lots 3461-3464, 3466, 3468, 3524) were Crown-granted to the company in 1929.

HISTORY OF PRODUCTION/HISTORIQUE DE LA PRODUCTION

REFERENCES/BIBLIOGRAPHIE

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MAP REFERENCES/RÉFÉRENCES CARTOGRAPHIQUES

Map 216 A, Bear River Sheet, B.C., (Geol.), Sc. 1":1 mile -
 accomp. Memoir 159.

Map 217 A, Bear River Sheet, B.C., (Topo.), Sc. 1:50,000.

REMARKS/REMARQUES

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