

PRODUCT
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PROVINCE OR
TERRITORY

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TERRITOIRE

N.T.S. AREA
RÉGION DU S.N.R.C.

REF.
RÉF.

NAME OF PROPERTY
NOM DE LA PROPRIÉTÉ

GOLD (Alluvial).
(PLACER)

PROVINCE BRITISH COLUMBIA.

MAP SQUARE C 9.

No. ~~11~~ 93 ^{A/12}

NAME OF PROPERTY / VICTORIA HYDRAULIC MINING CO.

DEVELOPMENT WORK

1890 Prospecting - construction, etc., 1890 to 1898.
Idle from 1899 to 1921.

NEAREST POST OFFICE QUESNEL FORKS.

LOCATION

Mining Division: Quesnel. District: Cariboo.
N. and S. fork of Quesnel river. Rose's Gulch & others.
County Township or Parish

Concession or Range, and Lot

L.S. Sec. Tp. R.

Equipped
Not equipped

OWNERS OR OPERATORS AND ADDRESS

- ✓ (1890) Victoria Hydraulic Mining Co.,
Mgr. John Hepburn.
- ✓ (1895) Victoria Consolidated Hydraulic Mining Co.,
Montreal. Thos. S. Holt, Pres.
- ✓ (1921) Rose's Gulch Placer Gold, Ltd.,
Vancouver. J. F. Mends, Secy.

PRODUCTION

Material shipped

Date of first shipment

TRANSPORTATION

Shipping point

Distance from mine

Carrier

Destination

DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSIT

Ore or substance : Alluvial sands.

Character of Deposit

Country Rock

Associated minerals of value

MAP REFERENCES

General and district maps

Detail maps, plans, sections

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BIBLIOGRAPHY

REMARKS

Minister of Mines Rep.Br.Col. 1890 - p.362.
 1891 - p.562.
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 1893 - p.1039.
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 1895 - p.659.
 1896 - p.516.
 1897 - p.482. (Description).
 1898 - p.982.
 1899 - p.620. (Idle).
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 1902 - p.83. (Idle for
 some years).

Mg. & Eng. Record, Vancouver, 1921 - July - p.153.

The Company has located and leased a considerable piece of ground on S.Fork of Quesnel river, 6 to 8 men employed. Prospecting the ground. John Hepburn, Mgr. (B.C.Rep.1890, - p.362).
 Pushing work ahead as fast as possible. Over 7 mi. of ditch 5ft wide bottom, 7ft wide top and 24 in. deep. Brings water from Spanish lake. Employed 10 whites and 50 Chinamen. (B.C.Rep.1891 - p.562).
 On S.Fork rushing work on ditch with 8 whites and 25 Chinamen. (B.C.Rep.1892 - p.529).
 Prospecting some gravel benches on Quesnel river, (N.Fork). Results not very satisfactory. (B.C.Rep.1893 - p.1039).
 On S.Fork work carried on on large scale with big force of men. Work nearly completed and expect good results in spring of 1895. (B.C.Rep.1894 - p.732).
 On N.Fork company employed large force of men repairing ditch. By time they were ready the head of water got so light that they could not work to advantage therefore shut down for the season. (B.C.Rep.1895 - p.659).
 Started work early in the spring on Keithley point and were progressing favourably until a freshet carried away the bridge which conveyed the pipes across the river. This caused cessation of work, for the season. (B.C.Rep.1896 - p.516).
 Company owns a number of mining leases at different points and although a considerable amount has been expended in exploring these leases, not much has been discovered except during the past summer while exploring along Rose's Gulch. Good water supply by way of the 1/2-mi. ditch from Spanish lake while dumping facilities are excellent. (B.C.Rep.1897 - p.482).
 Worked with a large force of men almost throughout the year on Rose's Gulch and on S.Fork. No information as to results. (B.C.Rep.1898 - p.982).
 Holdings of Victoria Consol.Hydr.Mg.Co., on Rose's Gulch were taken over by a new Company in 1921. (Mg. & Eng.Record, 1921 - July).