

October 7, 1960

Mr. Ford Converse
2885 Southwest Fairview Boulevard
Portland 1, Oregon

Dear Ford:

Following your telephone call this morning concerning your seven mineral claims in the Quartzville district, Linn County, Oregon, I have done some research in our library. The two bulletins we have, one state, one USGS, give the impression that the deposits are smaller than those that will interest this company.

If, in the future, we make a trip through the area, we shall let you know ahead of time so that an examination can be made. We do not feel that the area is sufficiently interesting from the information available to schedule a special trip at present. Consequently, you should feel free to interest other parties immediately if you desire. Thank you for giving us the opportunity for examination.

Very truly yours,

R. L. Anderson
Field Engineer

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MEMORANDUM

Date: June 16, 1988

To: FILES

From: Elton R. Modroc

Re: Falls Creek, Quartzville Dist., Oregon - Reconnaissance for Bulk Mineable Gold Deposits

Seven man days were spent doing reconnaissance sampling - mapping in the Falls Creek, Quartzville districts. The results of these samples are enclosed in assay sheets and maps.

Falls Creek:

Twenty-three samples were collected from this highly altered, stained, pyritized volcanic belt. No large cut samples ran any gold or other trace elements. Current sampling evidence shows that alot of geochemical gridwork has been completed around the Golden Eagle and Ironside Mine areas. It appears, from posted location notices, that much of this district is controlled by Ariadna Chevnaska, P.O. Box 848, Station A, Vancouver, B.C. Canada.

In view of the generally discouraging geochemical results, it is recommended that no further reconnaissance activity be conducted in the Falls Creek district. However, because of the dense vegetation and lack of outcrop, mineralized areas may exist and their discovery is a function of ongoing road building for logging operations.

Quartzville District:

It appears that the northern part of the district (Dry Gulch north) is controlled by Utah International who subleased their lands to Orvando-Canadian Junior Company working out of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. The northern part of the district has about nine patented claims. The southern part of the district, which has about 30 patented claims, and is considered the Lawler claims, is controlled by a party in Minnesota. These claims are still open for leasing.

Fourteen samples were collected from this district and several samples returned anomalous results in gold and mercury. In order to do a good reconnaissance job on the Lawler claims, it will be necessary to obtain permission and a key to access these lands. Several prospects here, as described in Oregon Bulletin 61, show some potential for large low-grade bulk mineable deposits. However, the best bulk

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mineable prospects - Bob and Betty - (low grade gold in large wide shear); Lucille - (70' wide silicified iron-stained sheared zone) are tied up by Orvando and, as such, may represent "slim pickings" for newcomers.

Additional work on the Lawler claims may be advisable, but it probably will not be worth a special follow-up trip to determine ownership.

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