

***YUKON MINING  
INCENTIVES PROGRAM***

**FINAL REPORT**

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### **BACKGROUND:**

The prospecting area targetted based on the history and gold production of the general McQuesten/Stewart River Region is noted on Map 115-P-12.

### **LOCATION:**

McQuesten River flows in to the Stewart River approximately eighty miles southeast of Dawson City by road. The Stewart River flows into the Yukon River approximately eighty miles from the McQuesten River. (Please refer to Topographical Map Sheet 115-P.115-0.)

The area prospected is on claim sheet 115-P-11, 115-P-12. Bar sampling also on Map Sheet 115-D-8.

The areas of sampling was done on the Stewart River downstream from the McQuesten Airstrip as well as about eight miles down stream from Lake Creek on the Stewart River.

### **ACCESS:**

Access to McQuesten was gained by truck. You can get there by boat and motor as well. Later, as the season progressed, a trail for a three wheeler was also cut from the base camp to the main road. When water is high, you can get to the samples area by boat. This year, the water was too low, so much of the travel was done on foot or by canoe.

### **WORK DONE:**

Sampling was done on seven creeks on the SW side of the Stewart River, north and south of McQuesten River.

## **GEOLOGY & VEGETATION:**

Soil geology is gravel and sand, as well as granite. Much of the area is muskeg. Near Reid Lake, granite and graniodorite with mineralization. The area samples of Partridge Creek was quartz shist. Slough Creek area consisted of white clay that produced heavy gold specks and quartz. As a result of two forest fires in the last thirty years, most of the vegetation is very thick willow, spruce, poplar and birch.

Along Tintina Trench, northeast and southwest of it, and around North Crooked Creek, is composed of coarse, light grey granite, commonly containing abundant phenocrysts of large Carlsbad-twinned feldspar. Some parts of the larger bodies near Tonsure Mountain are foliated, showing gneissic and rarely schistose structures. In this neighborhood also, bodies rich in hornblende with white feldspar occur. Some of the bodies north, south and Southwest of Lake Creek, are coarse and porphyritic, others are uniform and medium grained. The feldspar is mainly pink, and the biotite and hornblende content varies greatly. Locally much pegmatitic material is present. Much of the syenite west of Airstrip Creek is foliated, crushed and altered.

Northwest of Coldspring Mountain, very coarse, rounded stones in well-sorted deposits with open interstices, and weathered to light grey lie on the east of the passes up to 3,500 feet. West of upper Lake Creek, thick masses of brown, gravely overburden, disrupt the normal drainage pattern. A few giant, foreign boulders, only movable by ice, occur as high as 3,300 feet in this locality.

In the banks of Stewart River, above Seventeen Mile, a gently undulating sheet of till, ten to twenty feet thick, lies for several miles between two sets of gravels. A similar section occurs on lower Lake Creek, and the till at Belleview Point is like that in these sections. The till has a silty to clay-like body with scattered stones, commonly as long as six inches, and rarely striated boulders. The gravels, both above and below the till, and the till itself, are fresh, except that on Lake Creek, diorite stones in the till and in the gravel under it were seen to be crumbling. Throughout these, and in numerous other exposures of the gravels, the stones are well rounded and their surfaces are coarsely ground. The gravels vary in coarseness and are mingled with sand and silt. They exhibit the typical sorting and bedding of rapid-stream deposits. These materials are believed to be the debris and outwash deposits of the last major glacial advance of the Pleistocene Epoch.

### **CREEK # 1**

No gold.

### **CREEK # 2:**

There were a few specks of gold on a 15,000 foot level matting further up creek. 2,000 feet up, was very heavy glacier.

Panning had small specks of gold.

Set up sluice box third time out 1/2 yard through. There were only a few specks of gold.

There were a couple colors of gold that were not of interest.

### **CREEK # 3:**

There was neither water nor gold in late May. In June, I worked fifty to one hundred feet from the mouth of the creek. The samples per pan were approximately ten to twelve specks.

Set up sluice box fifty feet up from Stewart River. The gold looks to be about forty to fifty dollars per yard? (gold @ \$400/oz.) *sure... then why didn't he stake?*

### **CREEK # 4:**

Upstream about 1 to 2.5 miles there were specks of gold.

In the area of Creek 4, the seafork is de-composed granite and shist. There is no bedrock along this creek. There are a few specks of gold approximately six feet down, that's coarser than most.

### **CREEK # 6:**

No gold

### **CREEK # 7:**

Good gravel, but no gold at surface.

**REID LAKE:**

Fine specks of gold at 800' up creek (4-5 per pan). A contact showing coarse granite on South East. A small amount of mineralization at the contact.

**LAKE CREEK:**

Two miles up stream, there was fine gold on sand bars.

**INDEPENDENCE CREEK:**

1000' upstream there was fine gold. Fine gold 1000 feet upstream.

**ICE CHEST REEF:**

Panning had small specks of gold.

**PARTRIDGE CREEK:**

Specks of gold approximately every third pan.  
The area samples on Partridge Creek was quartz shist.

**SLOUGH CREEK:**

The area of Slough Creek, west of Barlow Lake consisted of white clay, produced heavy gold specks and quartz.

**VANCOUVER CREEK:**

No gold. The rock is quartzite shist.

**STEWART RIVER:**

Panning on Stewart River brought few very small specks of gold. Most of the gold is very fine. The Valley Creek Bar on the Stewart River had approximately one to two hundred colors per pan of very fine gold. The Stewart River bar had twenty to one hundred colors per pan.

## CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Vancouver Creek to Ice Chest Mountain is a very interesting area. It would take a long time to prospect this whole area. You need a four-wheel drive, plus a boat and motor. The Stewart River flows at about fifteen miles an hour in high water. In low water, there are a lot of rocks. The McQuesten is the same. Prospecting is very hard because you have to cut your way to get up the creeks and on the North side of Ice Chest Mountain. You have approximately thirty-five hundred feet of Muskeg and high nigger head, willow and spruce. It's very hard to walk through.

Lake Creek on the South side of Ice Chest Mountain could be traveled part way up by canoeing in the spring during high water. This year, the water was too low.

I think there will be a lot more people prospecting in this area in the next five years or so. I myself, would like to spend another year or two prospecting the area. The spring is the best time, for the leaves are green. I have spent over one hundred-five (105) days in the area this past year and I have turned in a daily report with maps.

Myrl Currie

# **PROSPECTING REPORT**

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### **DAILY LOG**

MAY TO AUGUST 1994

**May 1, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Left Whitehorse to McQuesten River with boat and motor plus grub. Arrived at McQuesten at 9:30 pm. Hired one man, Jim McLay. Because of fast water on Stewart River, \$1,000.00 per month.

**May 2, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Staking leas with Bob on Stewart River. I have part interest in Lease.

**May 3, 1994**

Weather: Sunny and Cloudy

Prospecting on Lease panning and Hand sluice boxing 10km south of McQuesten Bridge. Bob, Jim and myself. Approximately \$20.00 per yard gold, at \$400.00 per ounce.

**May 4, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

McQuesten to Whitehorse to turn in prospector agreement.

**May 5, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Whitehorse to McQuesten. Arrived 9:00 pm.

**May 6, 1994**

Weather: Cloudy

Panning on Stewart River. Lease area. Heavy ice on Stewart River plus skating lodges  
See Sketch # 1

**May 7, 1994**

Weather: Rain Showers

Worked around Base Camp, cut wood, panned out samples.

**May 8, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Cut trail to Stewart River for three wheeler to carry gas for Boat plus equipment.  
See Sketch # 2

**May 9, 1994**

Weather: Showers

Prospecting and sampling along Stewart River, got stuck with truck.  
See Sketch # 1

**May 10, 1994**

Weather: Rain Showers in after noon

Prospecting and sampling along Stewart River, a few specks of gold one or two per pan ground still frozen: Frost, more work to be done when frost out. Maybe in June.

**May 11, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Finished cutting trail to Stewart and sampling along McQuesten and Stewart River. Samples back to camp.

See sketch # 2

**May 12, 1994**

Weather: Rain showers  
Panned out samples at Camp. A few specks of gold per sample.

**May 13, 1994**

Weather: Rain all day  
Put boat in McQuesten River and took it down to Stewart River. Water high and a lot of logs coming down stream. Stewart approximately 16km per hour.

**May 14, 1994**

Weather: Showers (afternoon)  
Cut chain saw line across Stewart River towards Ice Chest Mountain. 3000' of swamp.  
See sketch # 2

**May 15, 1994**

Sampling along Stewart South side of river, down stream. Small specks of gold in some samples.  
See sketch # 2

**May 16, 1994**

Weather: Sunny/Cloudy intervals  
Sampling creek # 1 across Stewart River south. No gold. No out crop ground. Still frozen.  
See sketch # 2 for creeks. Very thick bush. No trails.

**May 17, 1994**

Weather: Sunny  
Went to Whitehorse for advance cheque only. \$1,000.00. Cheque not ready.

**May 18, 1994**

Received cheque on prospector assistance. Picked up grub.

**May 19, 1994**

Whitehorse to McQuesten. Arrived 12:00 noon.

**May 20, 1994**

Weather: Light showers(afternoon)  
Sampling on creek # 2. A few specks of gold on 15000 Level Matting further up. 2000 and up very heavy glacier. Not much water yet. Bush very thick all see growth. Will work on Lower area later on and try to get down deeper. Frozen ground.  
See sketch # 2  
Small area of Broken granite possibly out crop.

**May 21, 1994**

To Dawson Gold Show. Very poor.

**May 22, 1994**

Weather: Sunny  
Sampled on creek # 3. No water. Only took a few samples. No gold.

**May 23, 1994**

Weather: Rain showers  
Sampled up stream on Stewart to # 3 creek. Only got a few specks of gold in samples. I think I hit a grave. It is marked on Sketch # 2. Possibly an old building at one time. Same area. I thought it might be an old digging.  
See sketch # 2

**May 24, 1994**

Took a couple of days off. Went to Whitehorse.  
Arrived back on May 26 at 5:30pm.

**May 27, 1994**

Weather: Light rain (afternoon)

Went down stream about 1 mile and tried to walk up to top of Ice Chest Mountain. Got approximately 3 miles or more and gave up because it was too dirty and there was very thick under growth.

See sketch # 2

**May 28, 1994**

Weather: Cloudy and cold

Prospecting on Reid Lake. Creek one sample had a small speck of gold out crop about 800 ft up creek. A contact showing coarse granite on southeast granodiorite to the northwest a small amount of mineralization at the contact.

See sketch # 2

Sketch as out crop on page attached to be assayed. Rick sample # 1

**May 29, 1994**

Weather: Rain showers

Panned out samples at camp. Worked on chain saw and out board motor. Spare out board motor.

**May 30, 1994**

Weather: Cloudy

Panned on Stewart River down stream to airport. Got a few specks of gold. Took more samples on Stewart across from McQuesten.

**May 31, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Panned out samples. Took boat down to airport for loading for Lake creek going down to Lake creek tomorrow. Unable to get over Ice Chest Mountain. Will likely do more work on # 2 creek. Very interesting area.

See sketch # 2

**June 1, 1994**

Weather: Rain showers all day

Went down Stewart River to Lake creek. Water low on Lake Creek. Impossible to get up with boat. Walked up stream approximately 2 miles. Panned Creek. Fine gold on sand bars in the creek. Trapper cabin on creek. A new cabin built on North side of Stewart River. Old cabin with no roof on South side of Stewart River. Will likely take a canoe up creek next month in July.

See sketch # 3

**June 2, 1994**

Weather: Rain showers

Panned on Stewart River. Stayed at old cabin over night. About ever 3<sup>rd</sup> pan, you get two or three small colors on the Stewart River.

See sketch # 3

Camped at Independence Creek

**June 3, 1994**

Weather: Light Rain Showers

Panned on Independence Creek. Fine gold at 1000 feet up stream and 6 inch pump and sluice box plus 1 small shack at 1000 feet upstream old cat road from river up to sluice box workings. Approximately 5 or 6 years old. Independence Creek on Map Sheet # 115p-12

**June 4, 1994**

Weather: Light Showers(afternoon)

Stayed in shack on Independence Creek. Up Stewart to Chapman Bar. Small operation at Chapman Bar. They are getting very fine gold by using Mercury in sluice box. Back to McQuesten.  
See Map Sheet 115p-12

**June 5, 1994**

Weather: Rain Showers

Went up Creek # 4 across Stewart River approximately 2 ½ miles. Panned up creek from 1 miles to 2 ½ miles up. Gold small specks. They stay in the pan. A small canyon about ¼ mile in. Will go back later. An interesting creek. The sea fork is de composed granite. 1000 up is de-composed shist. Will be worked on later on.

See sketch 2-B

**June 6, 1994**

Weather: Light Showers

Panned up Creek # 6. No gold in samples

See sketch # 2

**June 7, 1994**

Weather: Light Showers(afternoon)

Panned up Creek # 7. Good gravel but no gold. Likely deep. Needs more sampling later on.

See sketch # 2

**June 8, 1994**

Weather: Sunny/Cloudy intervals

Worked on Creek # 4 at Canyon area. All broken rock and large. No gold samples. Glacier gravel on out crop. No signs of old workings on creek.

See sketch # 2-C

**June 9, 1994**

Weather: Light Showers

Panned on island on Stewart River North of Creek 1 and 3. Small specks of gold

See sketch # 2-B

**June 10, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Panned on island on Stewart River upstream from Reid Lake Creek ¼ mil. 4 or 5 specks of gold per pan. Very fine.

See sketch # 4

**June 11, 1994**

Weather: Cloudy/Sunny intervals

Panned up Stewart River from fish camp to ½ mile from Stirling Bend. A few very small specks of gold.

See sketch # 4

**June 12, 1994**

Weather: Rain Showers

Panned out samples at camp plus worked on steering on boat, and chain saw.

**June 13, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Worked on Creek # 2. Put hole down. Will have to spend another day with sluice box. A few specks of gold in pan.

See sketch # 2-B

**June 14, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Went down to Ice Chest Reef sampling and panning. Stayed over night in pop tent. Quite cool.

Panning had small specks of gold.

See sketch 115-P-12

**June 15, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Ice Chest Reef area. Took a few more samples. Back to McQuesten. 2 hours down, 5 hours back. A lot of logs and trees floating down river. Water high

See sketch 115-P-12

**June 16, 1994**

Weather: Showers all day

Worked on # 3 Creek. 50 feet to 100 feet from mouth of Creek. Samples per pan approximately 10 to 12 specks. Larger than most area. Will likely set up sluice box for a day if water stays in creek.

See sketch # 2-B

**June 17, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Went up Partridge Creek. Sampled and panned. Creek's approximately ½ mile up from old cabin.

See sketch # 5

**June 18, 1994**

Weather: Rain Showers

Stayed up Partridge Creek over night. Went up Creek approximately 2 ½ miles from old cabin. Panned west and East Creeks. Went up another mile. Stayed over night.

See sketch # 6

**June 19, 1994**

Weather: Rain Showers

Panned Creek East and West. Cut out old road to take 3 wheeler up next time. I got a few specks of gold on all creeks approximately every 3<sup>rd</sup> pan. Back to Base Camp. Rock on Creek Quartz Shist.

See sketch # 6

**June 20, 1994**

Weather: Cloudy

Went down Stewart River with Elmar, to Rosebud Creek. Took samples for Elmar. He staked a Dredging Lease. Water too high for proper sampling. 35 Horse motor on boat.

**June 21, 1994**

Weather: Heavy Rain showers all day

Panned out samples at camp. Too wet to go out prospecting.

**June 22, 1994**

Weather: Showers(afternoon)

Set sluice box on Creek # 3. 50 feet up stream from Stewart. Got about 1 yard shoveled through. Looks about 40 to 50 dollars per yard. Gold at 400.00 per ounce. Two to three feet down Frozen ground.

See sketch 2-B

**June 23, 1994**

Weather: Cloudy

Set sluice box up on Creek # 2. Put ½ yard through. Ground frozen at 3 feet. Only a few specks of gold. Have to work on it next month. Cleaned off some area so it can thaw out.

See sketch # 2-B

**June 24, 1994**

Weather: Showers (late afternoon)

Worked on 3 wheeler clutch almost finished. have to get parts next month. Panned out samples at camp.

**June 25, 1994**

Weather: Cloudy/Sunny intervals

Went in to Slough Creek white clay area. I sampled in there in 1992. Old workings. I took a few more samples. Small specks of gold very heavy with quartz. I looks like white channel, approximately 50 feet in width.

See sketch C.1

West of Barlow Lake.

**June 26, 1994**

Weather: Rain all night/Showers all day

Panned out samples and finished work on 3 wheeler. (it's working). Worked on Books.

**June 27, 1994**

Weather: Rain showers (late afternoon)

Went down the Stewart with Elmar prospecting. Elmar woman was with him. Her name was Hilda, staked a Drudging Lease, 10 miles, took a few samples, very fine gold.

**June 28, 1994**

Weather: Cloudy/Sunny Intervals

Went across Stewart River cutting trail up Creek # 2. I would like to get up approximately 4 miles. Glacier at 2000 feet level. Very dirty bush. I still think there is gold up there.

**June 29, 1994**

Weather: A few showers(afternoon)

Went up to Clear Creek. Road is about 4 miles. Looking for old road to two Sisters Hill. I did not find the old road. I will try next month. Part of the creek I would like to get to is on Map Sheet 115-P-12. Left canoe North west corner.

**June 30, 1994**

Weather: Showers(afternoon)

Worked on # 2 Creek. Sluice box and panning. Tried to drill hole with hand auger, only got down approximately 10 inches. I will likely try blasting down later on.

See sketch # 2-B

**July 1, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Sluice boxing on Creek # 3. Got down approximately 12 inches in premed frost, not melting. Panned out talings same as before. Very fine gold.

See sketch 2-B

**July 2, 1994**

Weather: Sunny with Afternoon showers

Worked on building longer sluice box. Panned out samples at camp. Whitehorse on Sunday. Out of grub, and money.

**July 3, 1994**

There is a Mag High on Creek # 4. No bed rock along creek. Glacier on Creek yet ground is frozen under moss. I am going to try and get a hold down this month. See Mag Map attached.

To Whitehorse - Evening.

The next 2 months working on showing with the best gold samples. That's Creek # 2, 3, 4 Map Sheet 115-P-12 and prospecting up Lake Creek Map Sheet 115P-6 and 5 plus East side of Ice Chest Mountain. Better detailed map at end of season. End of September, 1994.

**EXPENSES****July 3, 1994**

Prospecting	\$52.85 per day @ 60 days	\$3,171.00
James McLay (hired)	\$1,000.00 per month @ 2 months	\$2,000.00
Boat	For 3 months plus rent	\$1,000.00
Motor	For 2 months plus rent 9.8	\$1,000.00
Two way Radio Phone	2 months	\$300.00
Truck transportation	\$0.38.5 per km.	\$412.72
1 trip	1 trip to Whse to Dawson return	\$335.72
	Whitehorse to McQuesten return	
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>\$8,219.44</u></b>

**July 5, 1994**

Weather: Rain Showers

Whitehorse to McQuesten. Worked on Boat, patched another leak.

**July 6, 1994**

Weather: Sunny w/rain showers

Worked on #2 creek, blasting hole down and panned approximately 6ft. down. A couple of colors of gold not of interest.

See sketch # C-1

**July 7, 1994**

Weather: Rain all day

Panning out samples around camp.

**July 8**

Weather: Sunny

Worked on Creek # 4 blasting hole down and panning samples. A few colors.

See sketch # C-1.

**July 9, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Working on Creek # 4 approximately 6ft. down a few specks of gold. But coarser than most. Moved equipment up to magnetic area.

See sketch # C-1.

**July 10, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Down Stewart River with Elmer panning and testing on Bar's smiles upstream from Rosebud creek. Also Valley Creek Bar on Stewart River approximately 100 to 200 colors per pan, very fine gold.

**July 11, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Went up Vancouver Creek. It has been re-staked in March 11994

See sketch # C-4

**July 12, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Worked on Creek # 4. Mag high blasted down approximately 4ft. I got a couple of specks of gold on the first 6 inches, and nothing further down.

See sketch # C-1

**July 13, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Finished on Creek # 4 for the present time. Might go back later on. Down approximately 5ft. on hole.

See sketch # C-1.

**July 14, 1994**

Weather: Sunny/Rain showers

Prospecting up Creek and old road cut out old road 2 miles up. I did not find anything of interest. I heard that there is a silver showing up that way. I will likely go back later and have another look.

See sketch # C-2.

**July 15, 1994**

Weather: Sunny/Scattered showers

Went back up old road north of highway prospecting, testing and sampling gravel. I still have to go back up there when the leaf is off the trees. Bush is very thick.

See sketch # C-2.

**July 16, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Worked on truck. Heater leaking in cab, panned out samples at camp. Gold nil.

**July 17, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Went to Whitehorse to pick up cheque from Government for prospecting and more grub. A few days off.

**July 21, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Whitehorse to McQuesten.

**July 22, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Prospected in to creek south of Two Sisters Hill. Found old sluice box. Took samples and panned them out below old sluice box. No water up creek. Stayed over night.

**July 23, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Finished panning out samples. No gold. Walked back out, panned on Clear Creek. No gold.

See sketch # C-3.

**July 24, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Panned on bar at mouth of McQuesten on Stewart River 40 to 100 colours per pan. Water on Stewart River low.

**July 25, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Panned out samples at camp. Worked on clutch on 3 wheeler.

**July 26, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Went down river with Elmer and woman tested on Bar's most places got 100 colors of gold per pan. Water low had to pull boat up over rapids by hand. Sheared off a couple of rivets on boat.

**July 27, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Packed boat and put bolts in holes. Panned on Bar on Stewart and McQuesten. Got enough gold to see in the bottle.

**July 28, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Prospecting up Vancouver creek and part way up thoroughfare Creek. Took samples and panned service gravel's. No gold. Gordon has staked on a small creek. Drains in to thoroughfare creek. I got no gold, in sample's. It's re-staked.

See sketch # C-4.

**July 29, 1994**

Weather: Rain showers/hot

Stewart River very low. Tested gravel Bar on river at Bob Lease. Approximately 50 colors per pan next to water.

See sketch # C-1.

**July 30, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Panned on McQuesten around bar. Low water some places 15 to 20 colors per pan. 10 feet away, nil, very spotty.

**July 31, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Went up past airport on Stewart Map Sheet 115P-12 seen Bob Stirling set up. Nobody around, they have a good setup. They're getting gold, fine.

**August 1, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Checking low water gravel Bar from airport down stream very good. Color approximately 150 to 250 colours per pan for 1 ½ miles.

**August 2, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Panned out all samples around camp and worked on truck and boat motor. It needed new spark plug.

**August 3, 1994**

Weather: Sunny/Rain

Day off. Special Occasion. Wedding at McQuesten in shell of New Lodge. Dan son got married.

**August 4, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Went to Whitehorse.

**August 7, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Whitehorse to McQuesten.

**August 8, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Went up stream on Stewart River from McQuesten 3 miles up sheared off rivets on Boat and bent prop on motor. Water very low. Got boat back to McQuesten River mouth of McQuesten River approximately 14 inches of water. Trouble to get boat up to landing.

**August 9, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Patched boat and panned on Bar at the mouth of McQuesten and Stewart River.

**August 10, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Prospecting up Vancouver Creek road. The mountain in between Vancouver creek and the Creek west. The rock is quartzite shist some vertical and horizontal broken up quite a bit most of it has 1/8 inch of limestone coating on Rock. Very rough ground to walk through.

See sketch # C-4.

**August 11, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Prospecting on Stewart River Bar's. It is approximately the same as the most places. 20 to 100 colors per pan were I got good good color three years ago. This year I got nil. High water must have moved it.

**August 12, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Up thoroughfare Creek with Gordon. We did some panning. No luck. We had to walk. Clutch gone on my 3 wheeler. Geology crew camped at McQuesten. I talked to them. Bob was one from Whitehorse and a woman from N.W.T. The rest from the south.

**August 13, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Some people from Calgary came up and camped on Branigan claim for to do some panning for gold, so I showed them the train to Stewart River. They panned on Stewart and McQuesten Bar. Names: Dennis and Shelley.

**August 14, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Helped Dennis and Shelley. They screened out 1/2 of a 5 gallon pail of sand. After panning it out they got approximately 100 dollars in gold, all of it very fine gold.

**August 15, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Prospecting on Ice Chest Mountain up Creek # 2. Panned a few samples quite high up. Did not find anything of interest.

**August 16 to 20, 1994**

Weather: Sunny

Prospecting on Ice Chest Mountain and Stewart River. Mostly checking out the places I have tested in case I missed something. There is a lot of prospecting to do yet. I would like to spend more time on Ice Chest Mountain.

**August 21 & 22, 1994**

Weather: Rain for 2 days

Panned out samples and worked around camp. Started up drag line and moved it. Trouble with pump motor. Pumped up tires.

**August 23, & 24, 1994**

Weather: Cloudy/Sunny intervals

Packing up equipment for this season. Fixing up camp.

**August 25, 1994**

Last day for this season of prospecting. Whitehorse tomorrow.

Gravel

On most of my sampling and panning, I only got gold on the surface approximately 12 inches of gravel I got the same on the 2500 level as well as the Stewart River Bar, also McQuesten River.

**Rock**

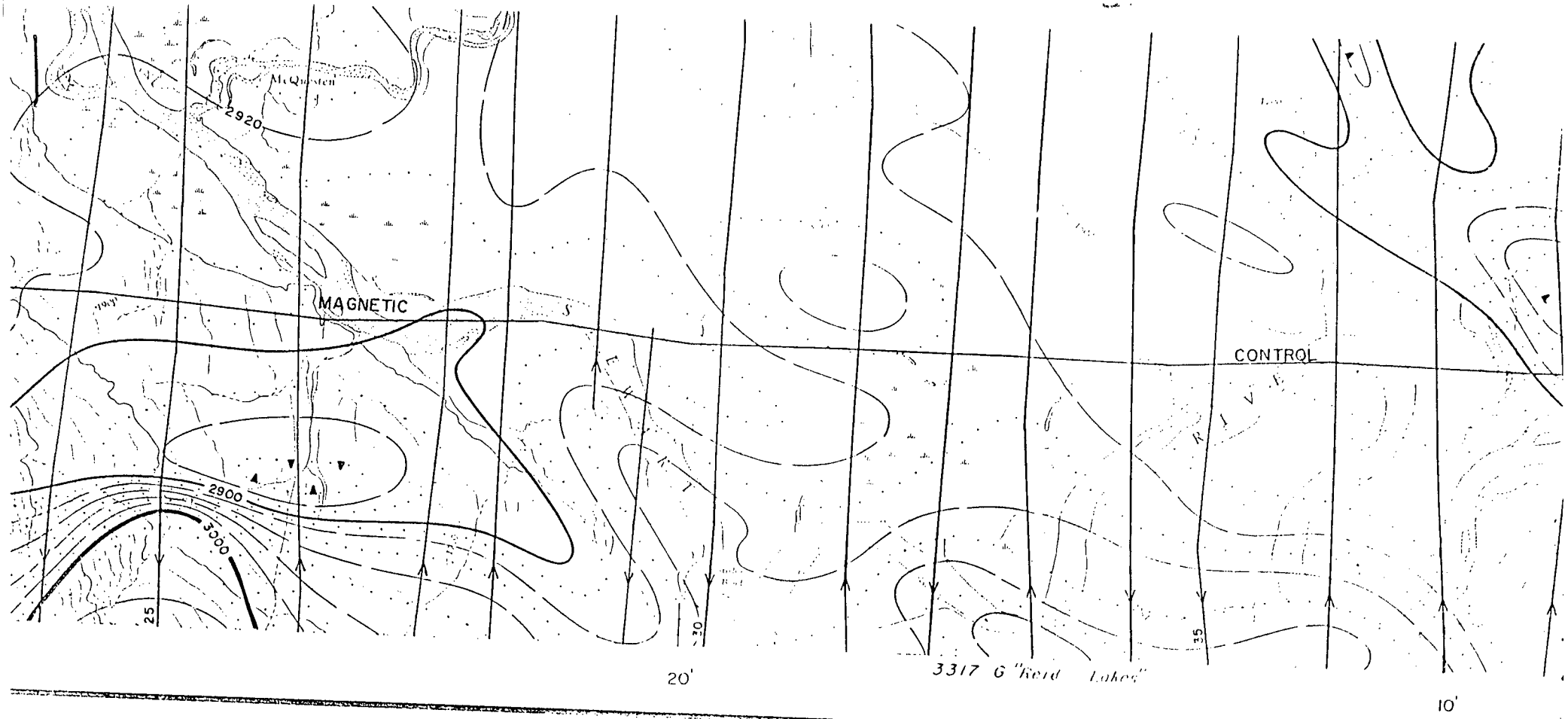
Most of the rock is quartzite. Quartzite shist coated with lime stone, basic rock granite, some decomposed.

I showed some samples to Bob the geologist that was up here. None of great interest to get assayed. I will bring a sample down.

**CURRENT EXPENSES**

Days prospecting @ \$52.85 per day	\$2,378.25
Truck transportation 38.5 cents per km. 1 trip Whse to McQuesten return	\$335.72
60 days two way radio phone (2months) No receipt. Dan in Dawson	\$300.00
Propane - 100lbs. no receipt	\$50.00
Gas and Oil for outboard motor, 3 wheeler and chainsaw	\$100.00
James McLay Wages \$1,000.00 per month	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>\$4,163.97</u></b>

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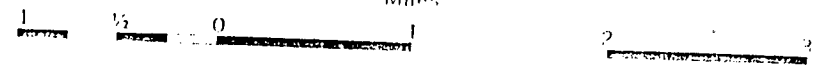


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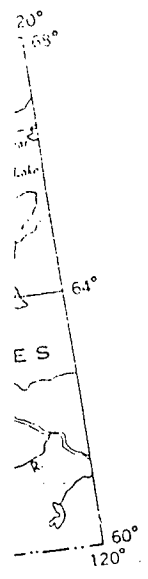
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## YUKON TERRITORY

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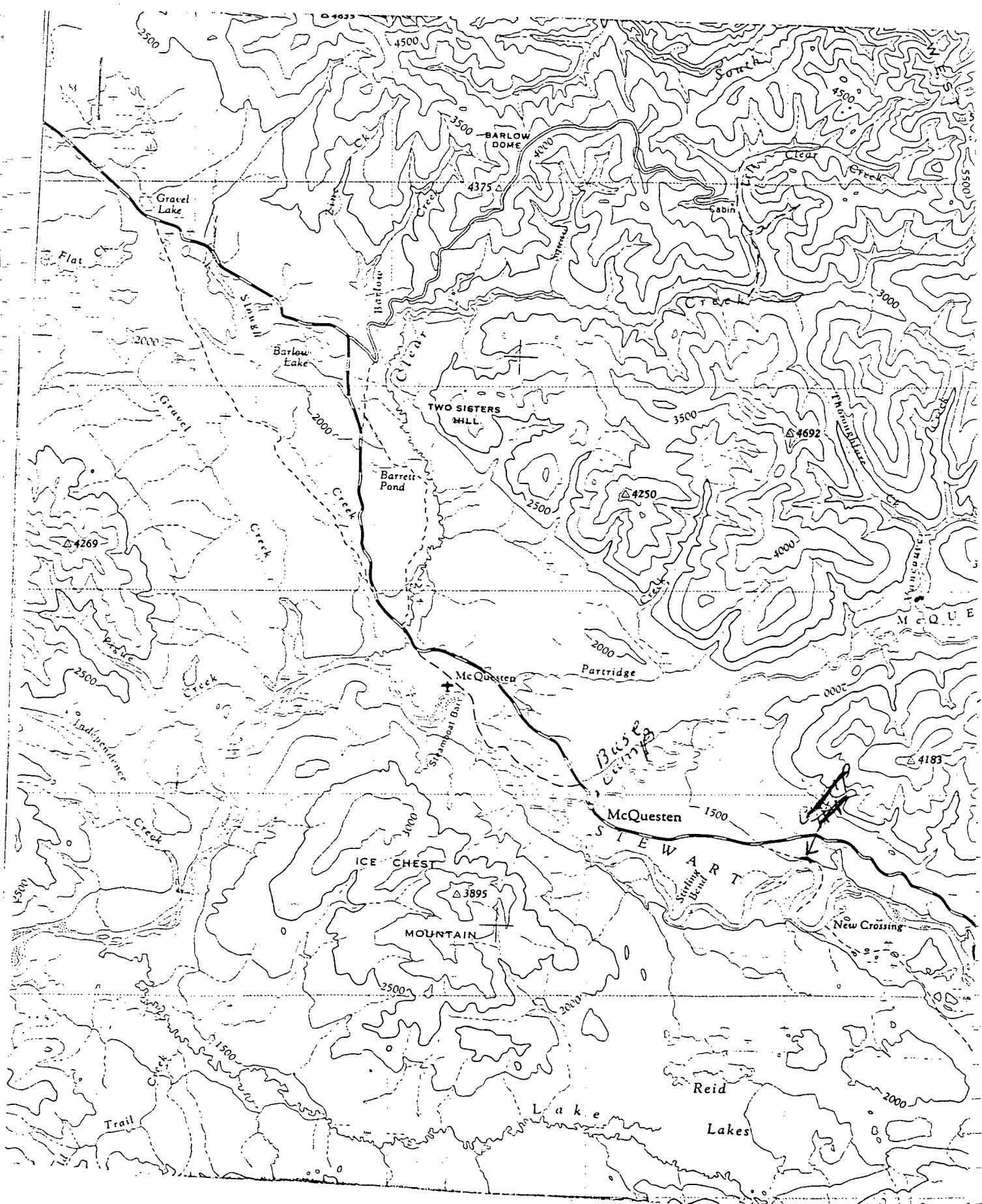


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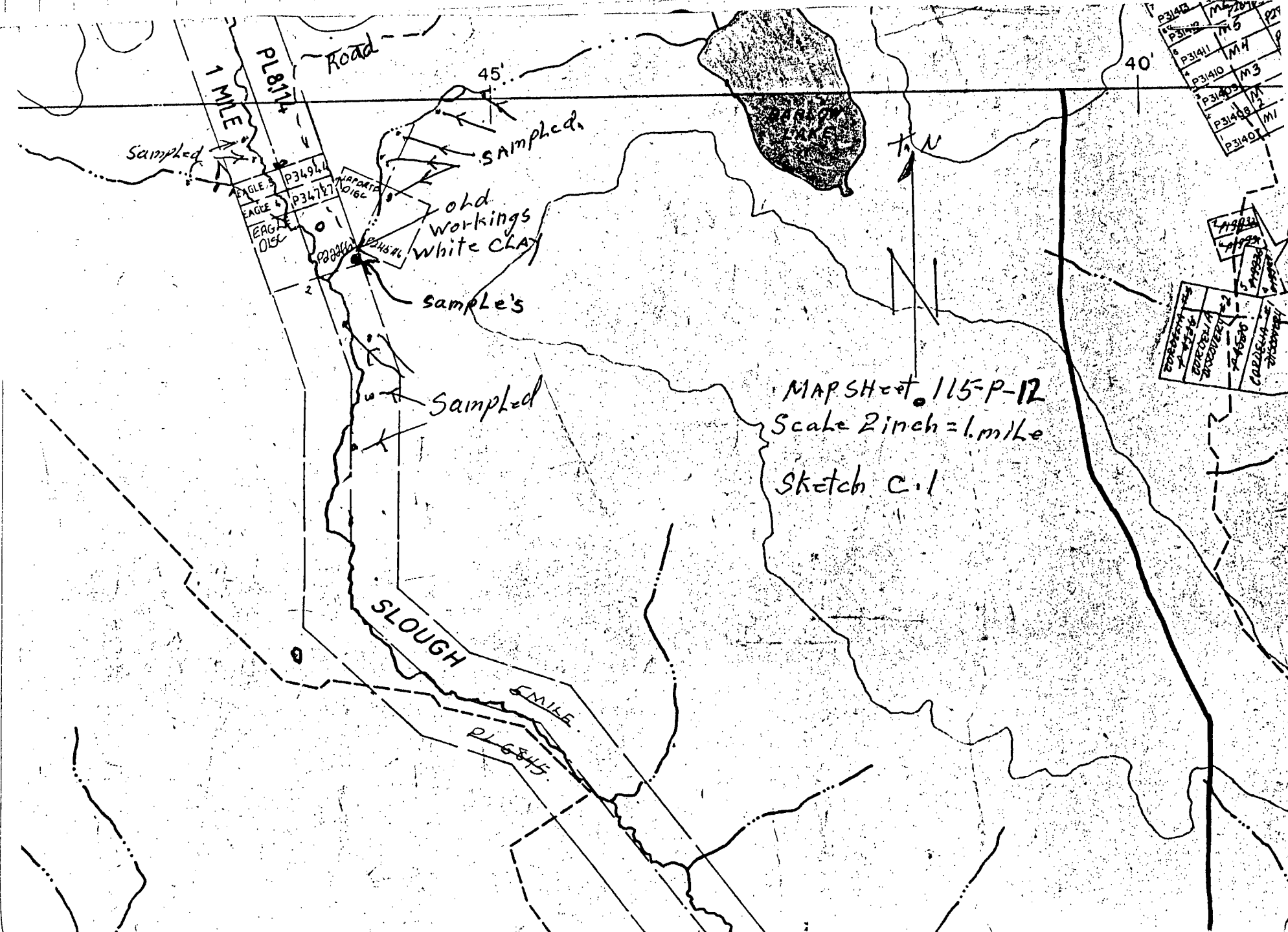


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4 mile = 1 inch



1 MILE  
PL 8114

Road

45'

sampled

old workings  
white clay

sample's

sampled

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SLOUGH

1 MILE

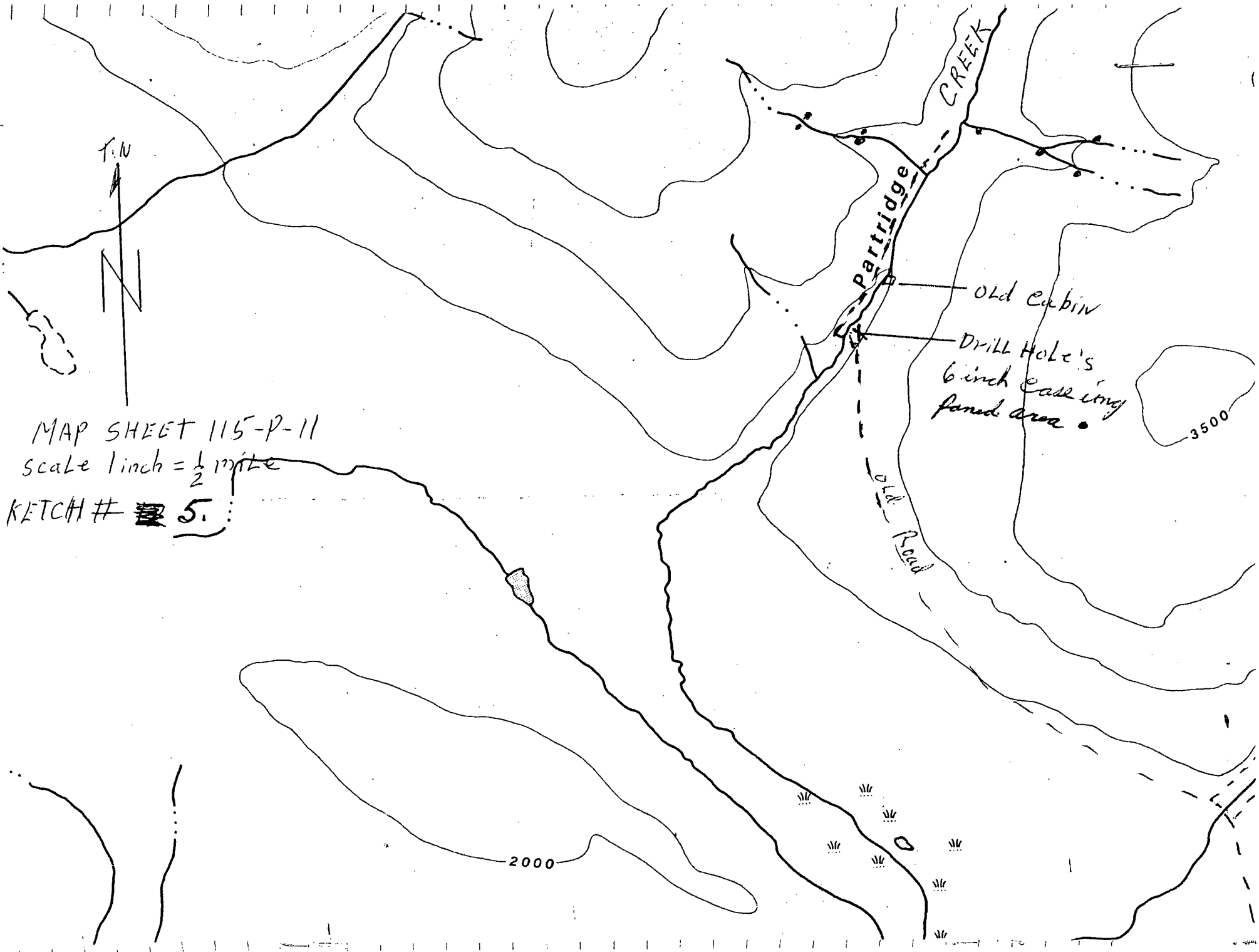
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MAP SHEET 115-P-12  
Scale 2 inch = 1 mile  
Sketch C.1

40'

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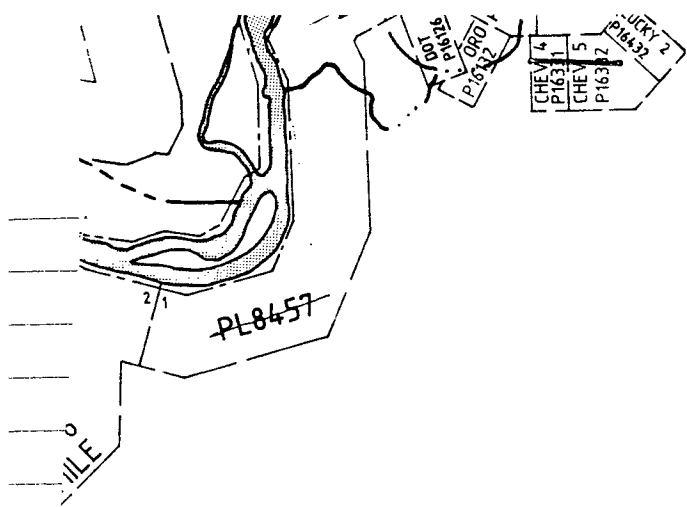
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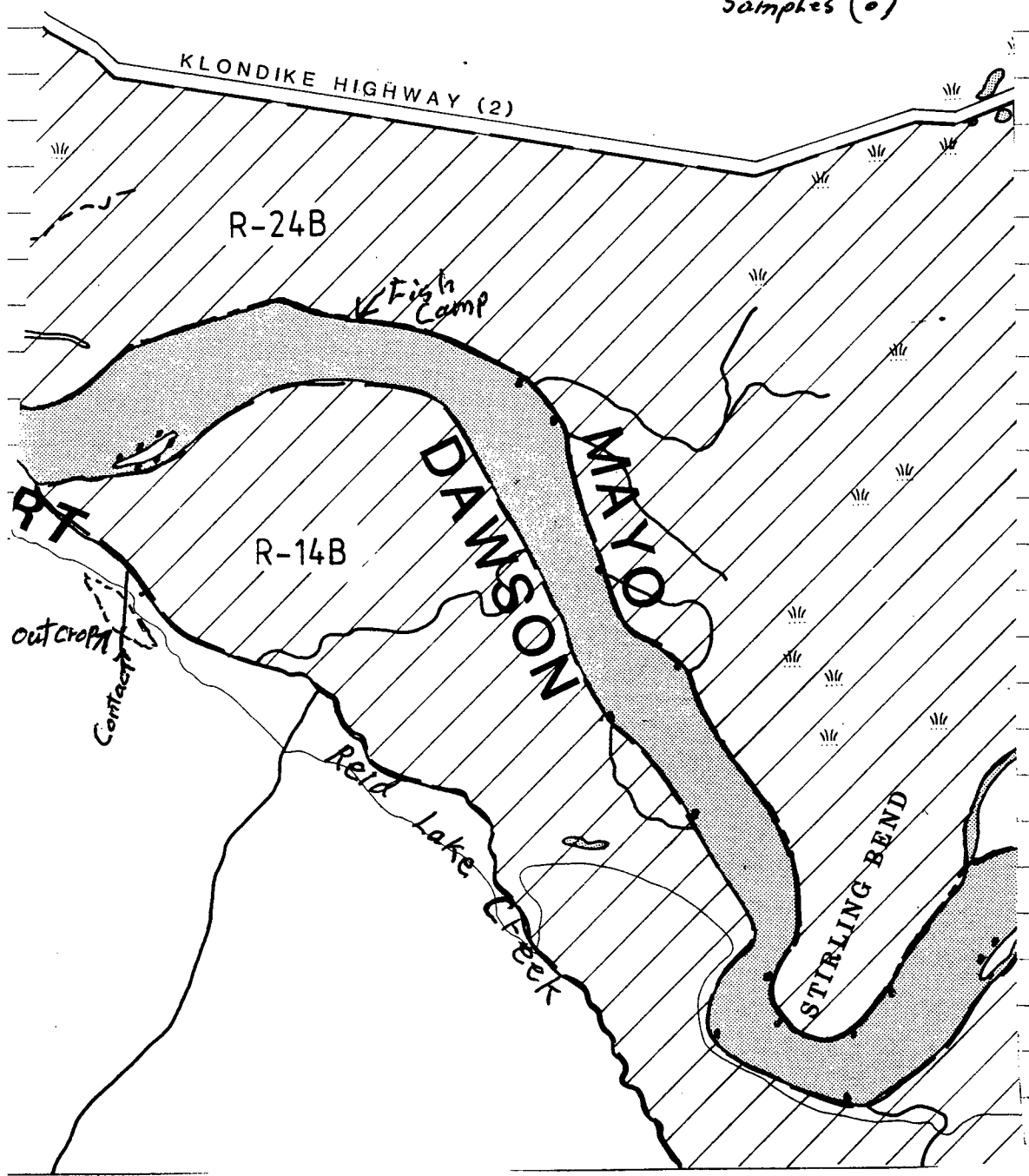
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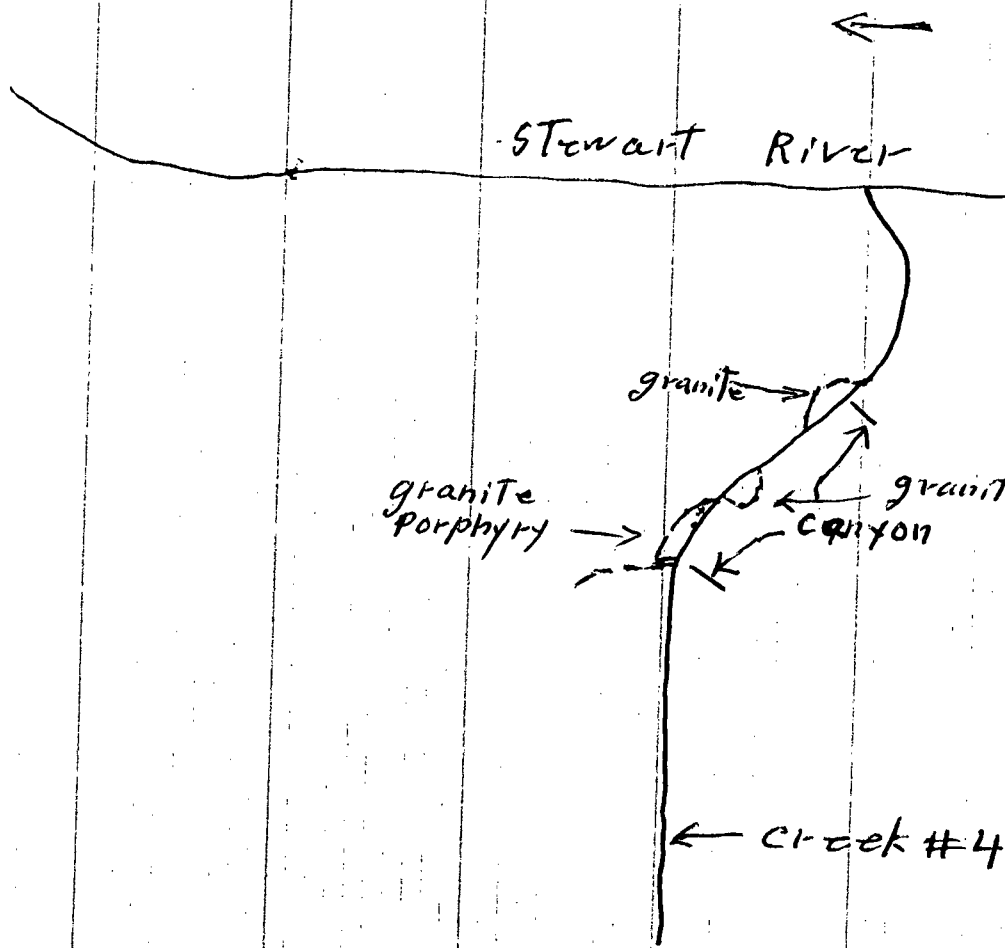
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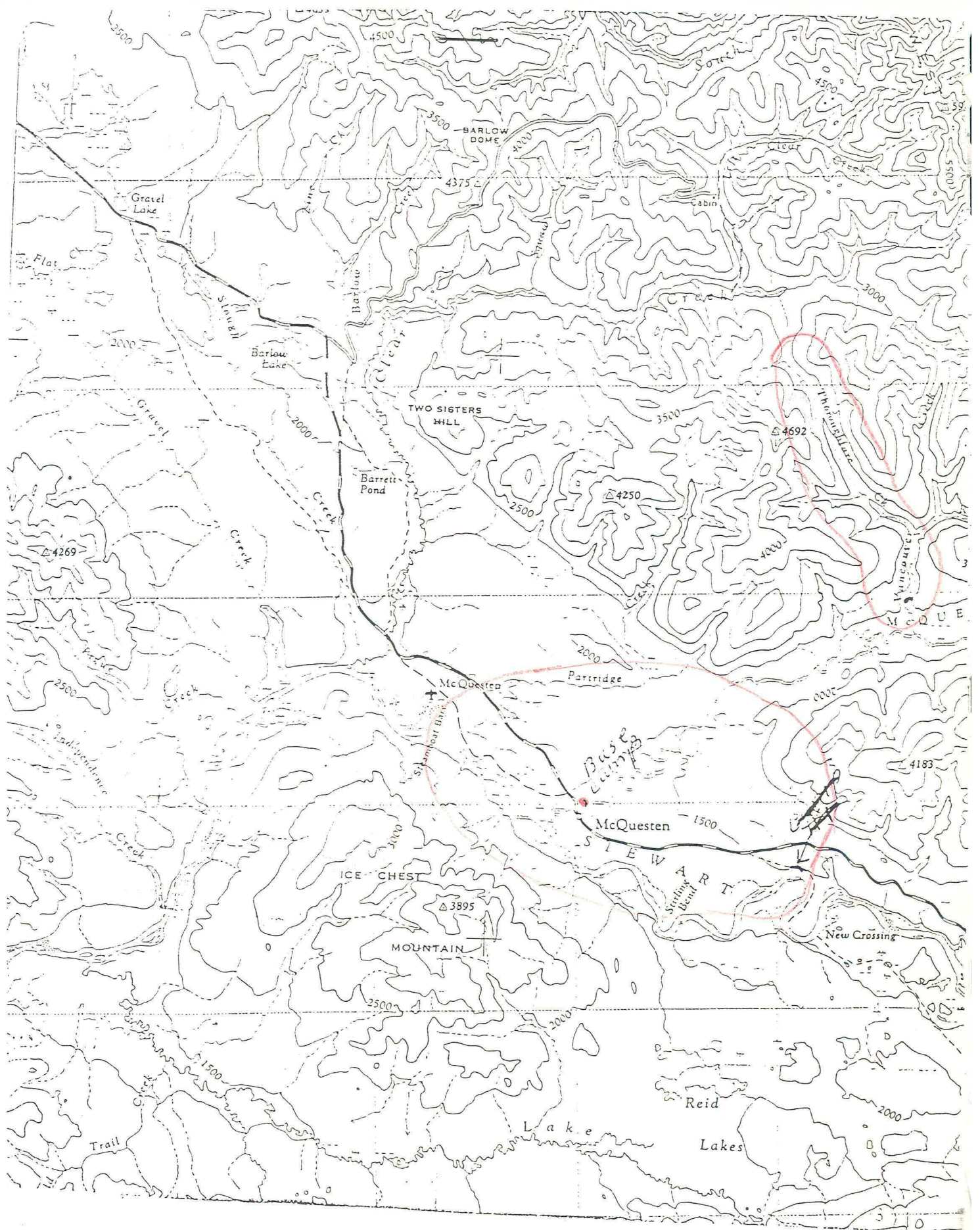


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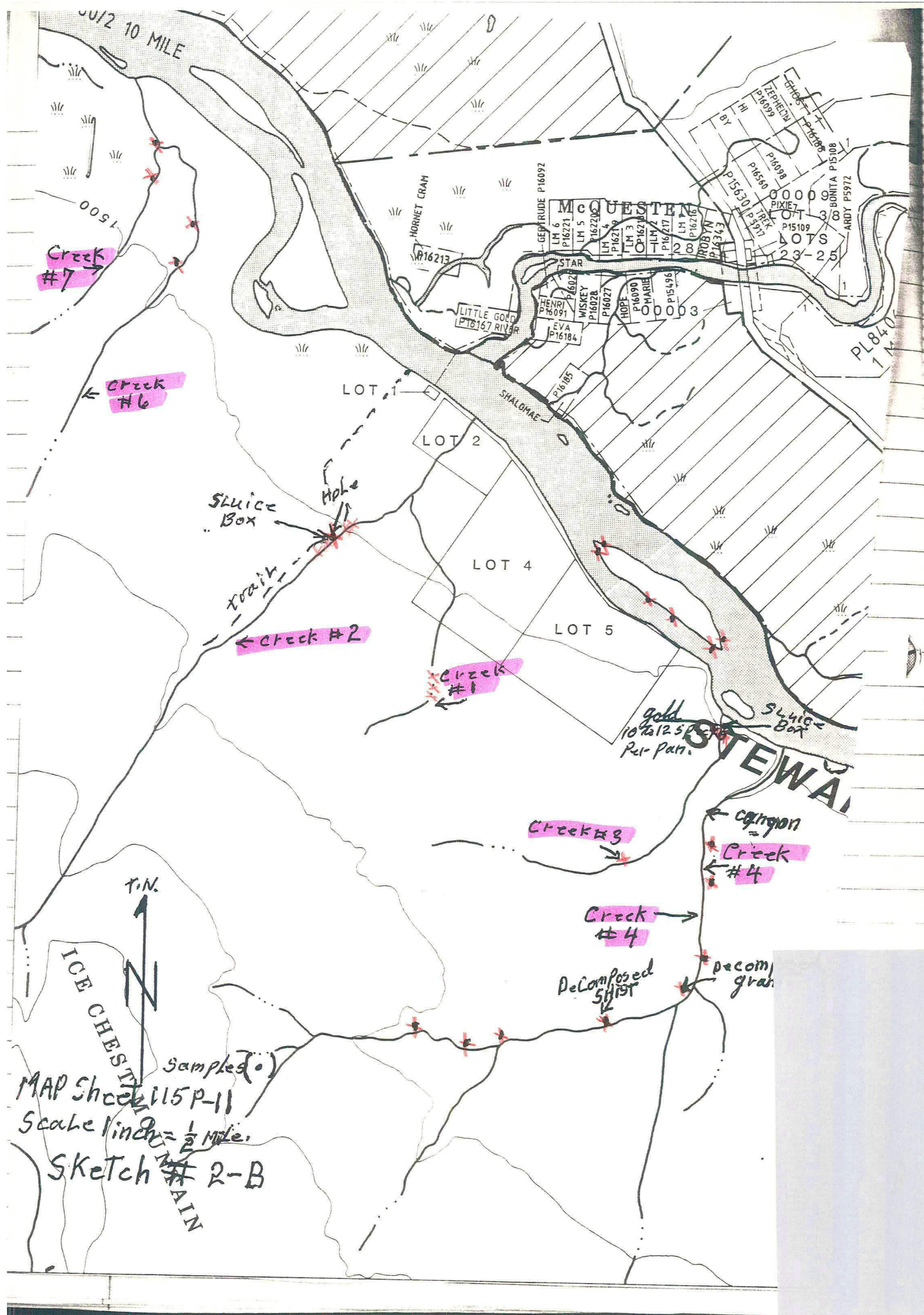


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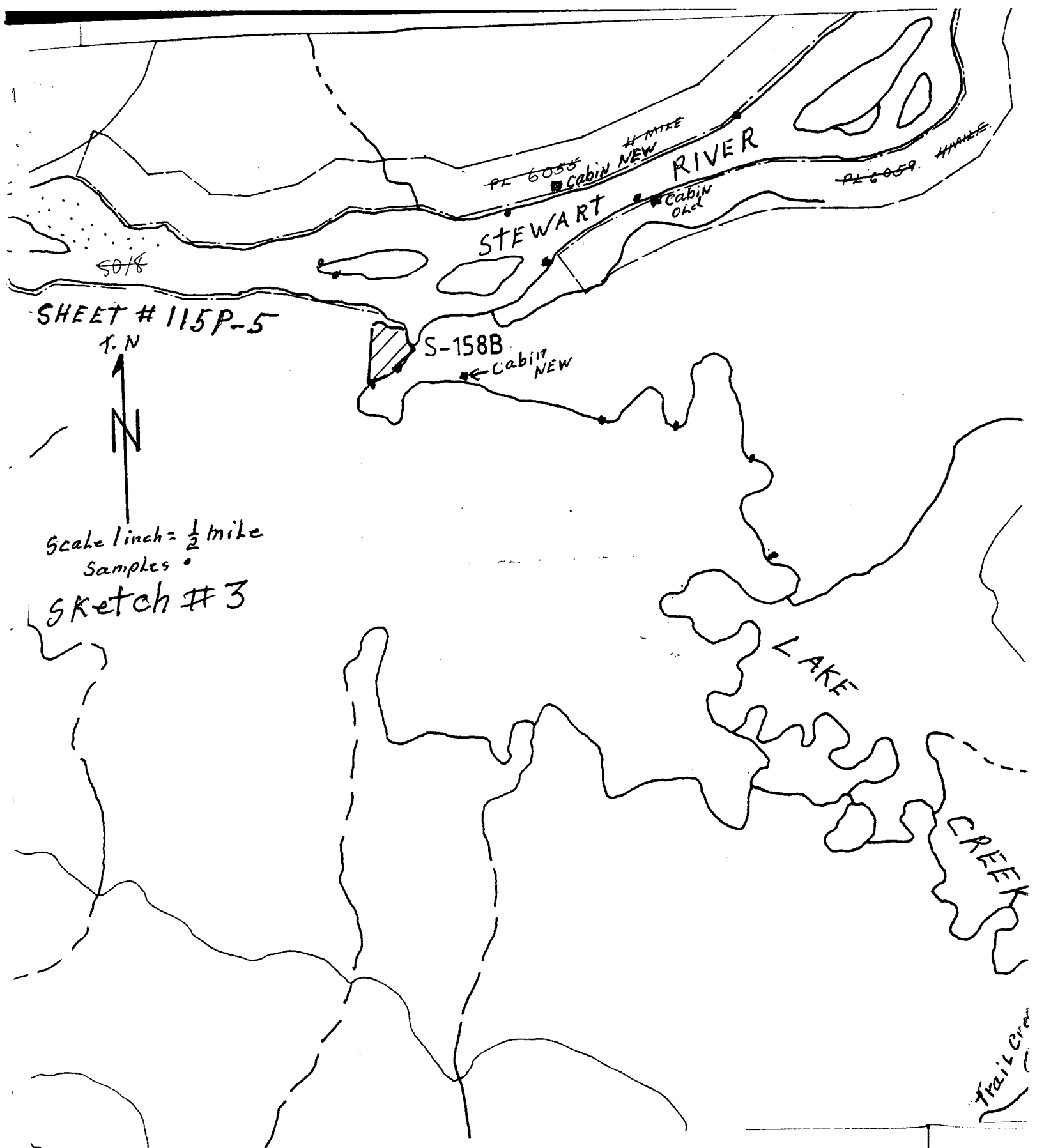




4 miles = 1 inch



Creeks  
 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7  
 Sampling  
 &  
 Location



SHEET # 115P-5

T.N



Scale 1 inch = 1/2 mile  
Samples •

Sketch # 3

PL 6035 Cabin NEW  
STEWART RIVER  
Cabin OKed  
PL 6059

S-158B  
Cabin NEW

LAKE

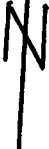
CREEK

Trail Cr.

MAP SHEET 115P-11

Sketch # 1

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1500 Scale 1 inch = 1/2 mile

• Samples A

Lease  
Re Staked

PLANT  
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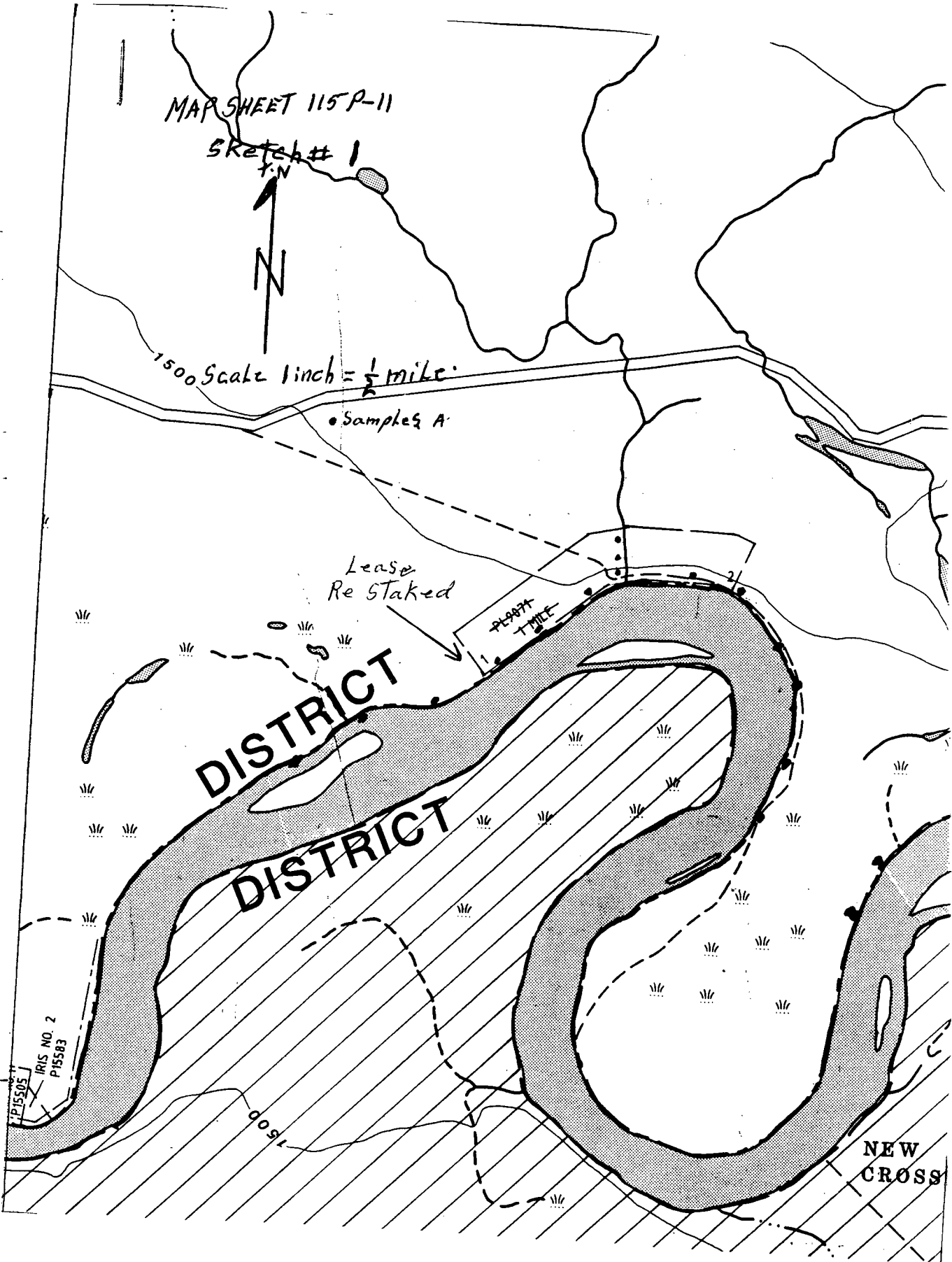
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P15583

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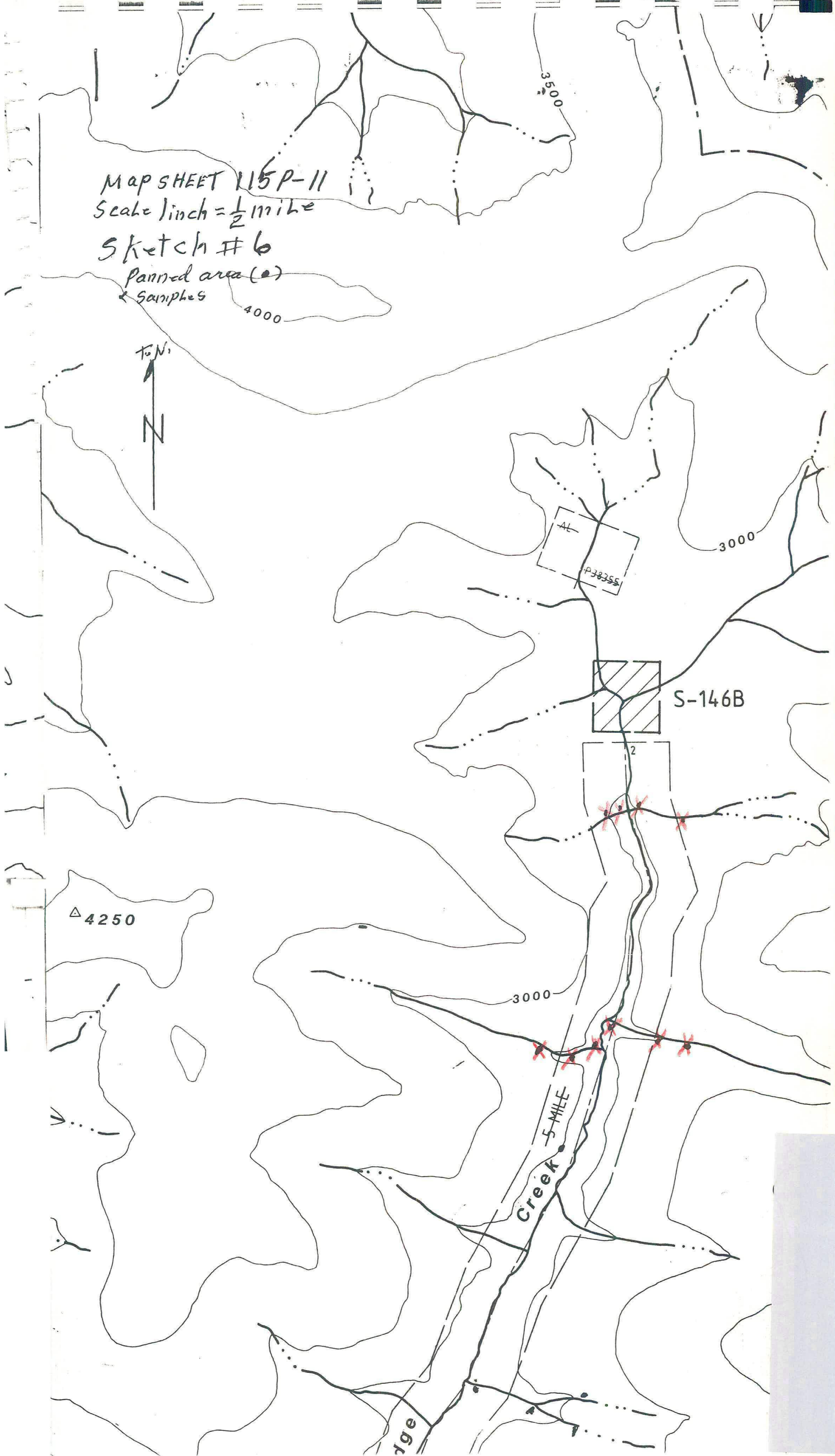


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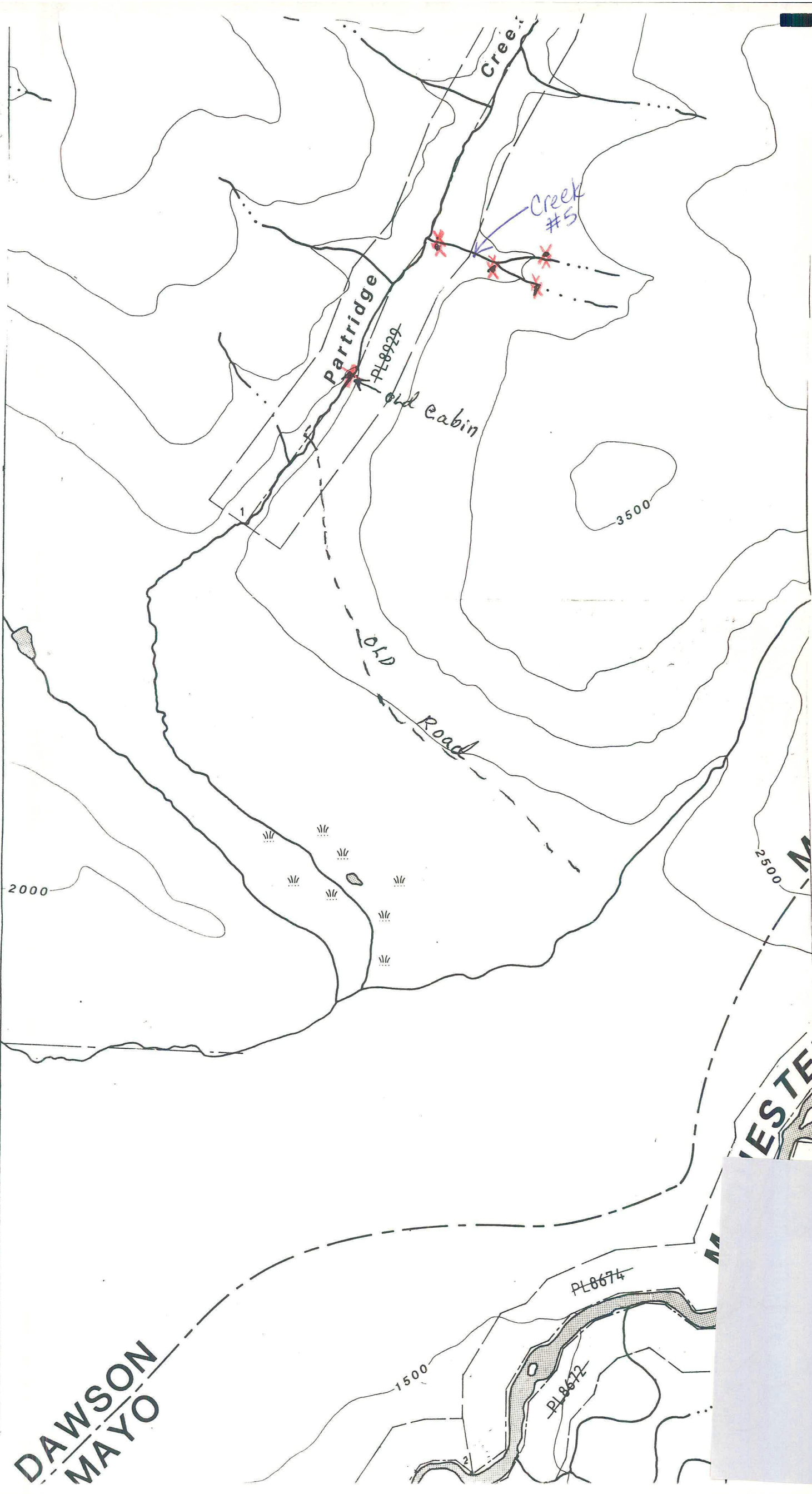
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Panned area (e)  
← Samples



Partridge  
Creek  
Sampling

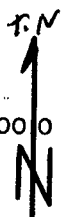
DAWSON  
MAYO



Creek 5  
location  
+  
Sampling

Sketch # 2  
Scale 1 inch = 1/2 mile

Sampling area  
+ Grave AREA?



R-28B

DL 80/2 10 MILE

CREEK #7

Creek #6

My walking line

Chain saw line

ICE CHEST MOUNTAIN

30° 37' 30"

Mc CUSTEN

TRUBY

PL 8673

PL 9259  
1 MILE

LOT 1

LOT 2

Swamp

LOT 4

R-3

LOT 5

Creek #1

Creek #2

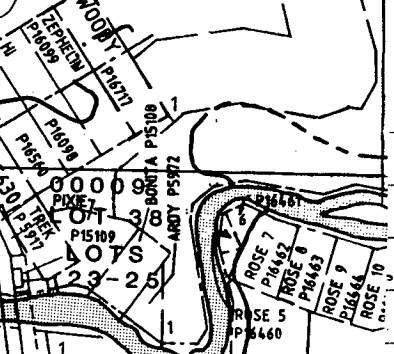
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STEWART

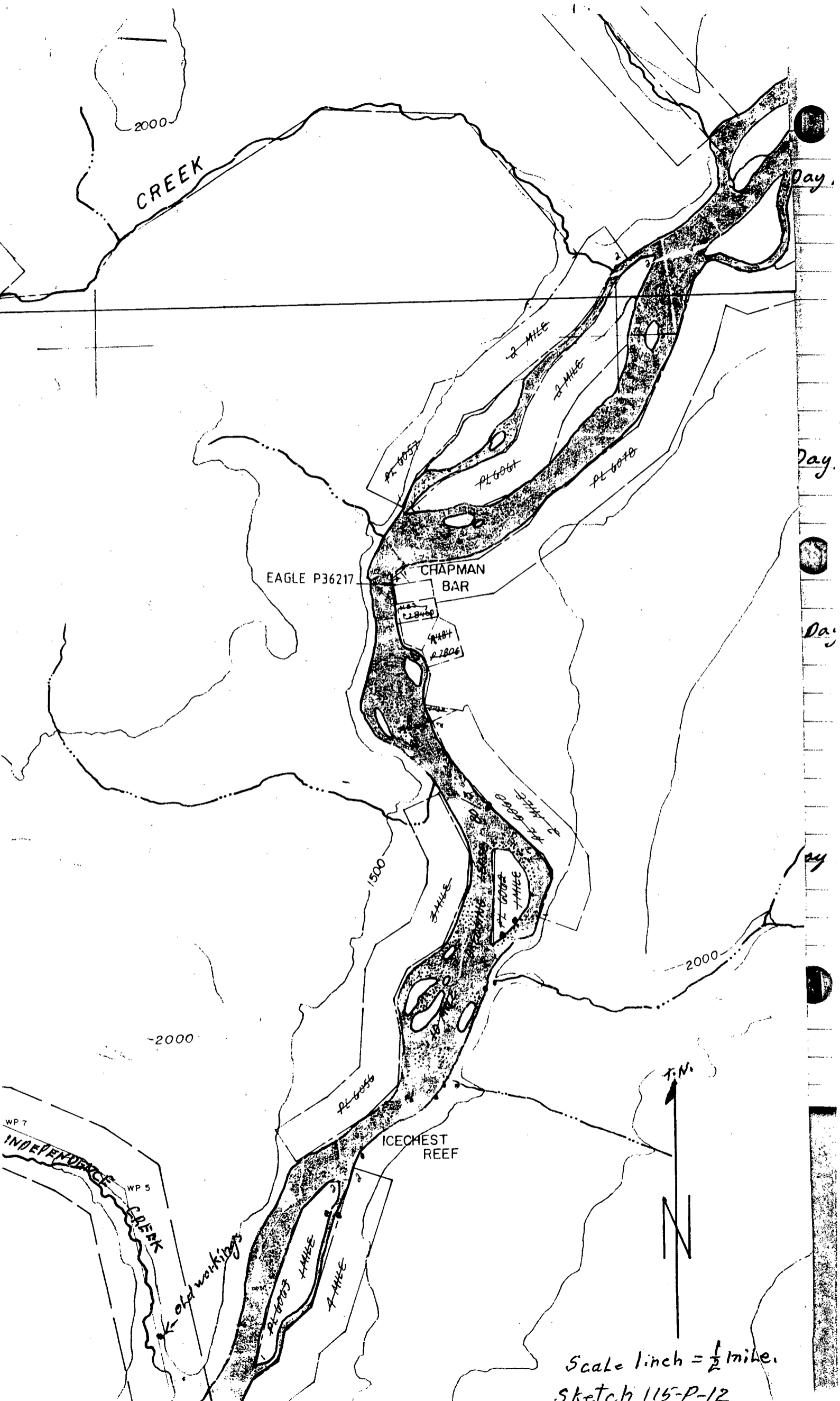
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contact

Creek #4







CREEK

2000

Day

Day

Day

Day

Day

EAGLE P36217

CHAPMAN BAR

PL 6086  
PL 6084  
PL 6082

1500

2000

2000

ICECHEST REEF

WP 7  
INDEPENDENCE CREEK

WP 5

old workings

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Scale 1 inch = 1/2 mile.  
Sketch 115-P-12

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3000

2500

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9

10

Low water  
Gravel bar

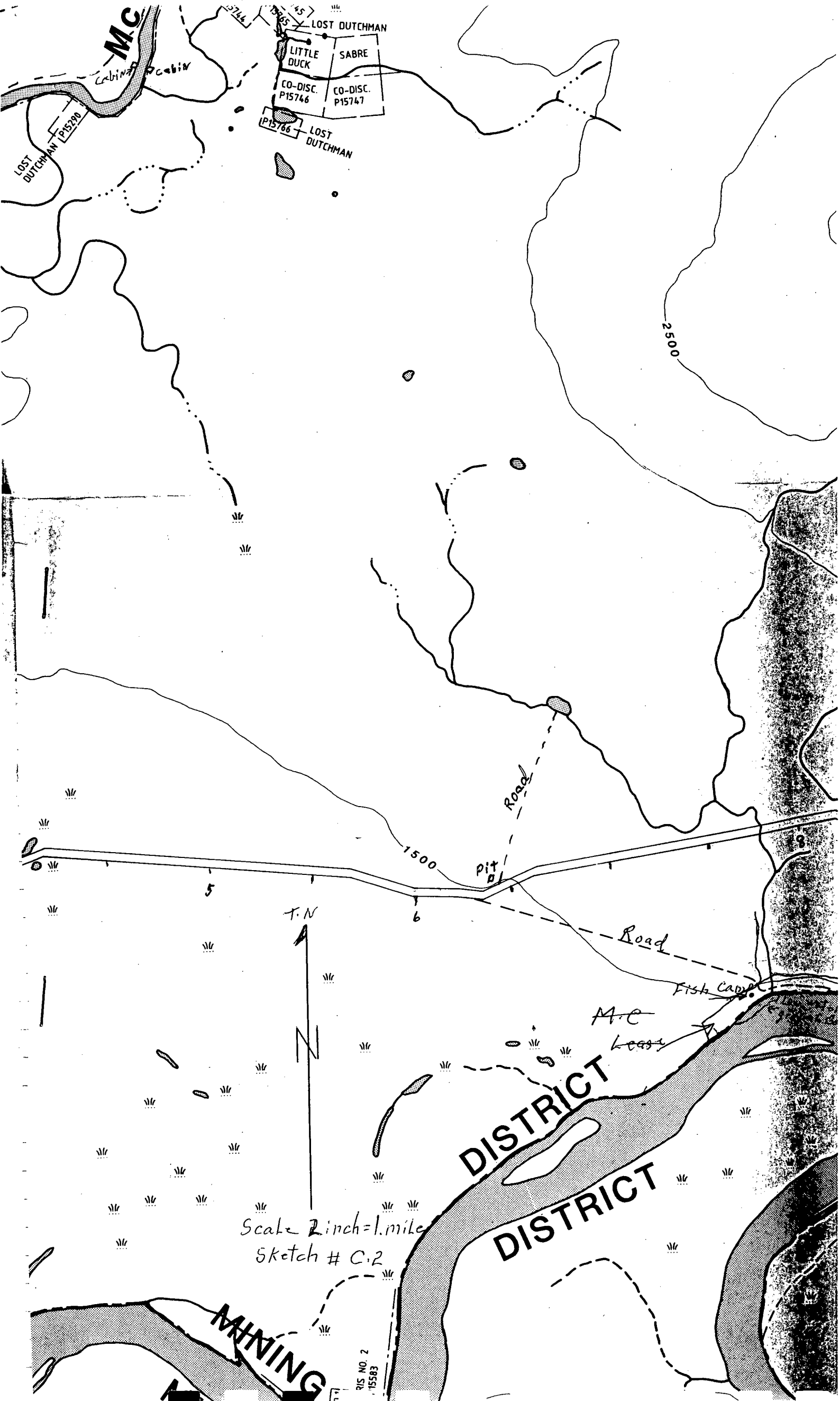
NEW  
CROSSING

RIVER

10'

05'





MC

Cabin Pcabin

LOST DUTCHMAN P15766

LOST DUTCHMAN

LITTLE DUCK

SABRE

CO-DISC. P15746

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LOST DUTCHMAN

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1500

Pit P15766

Road

Fish Cabin

Mc Lease

DISTRICT

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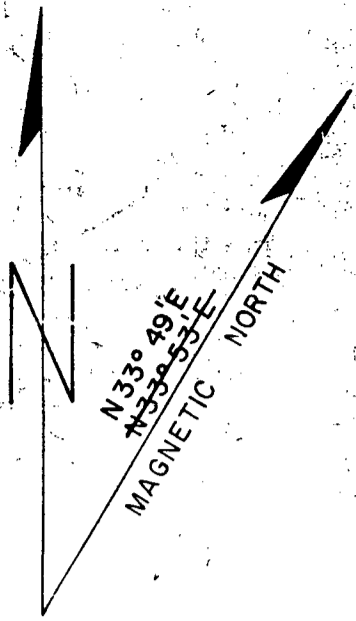
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Scale 2 inch = 1. mile

Sketch # C.2

MINING

RIS NO. 2 15583

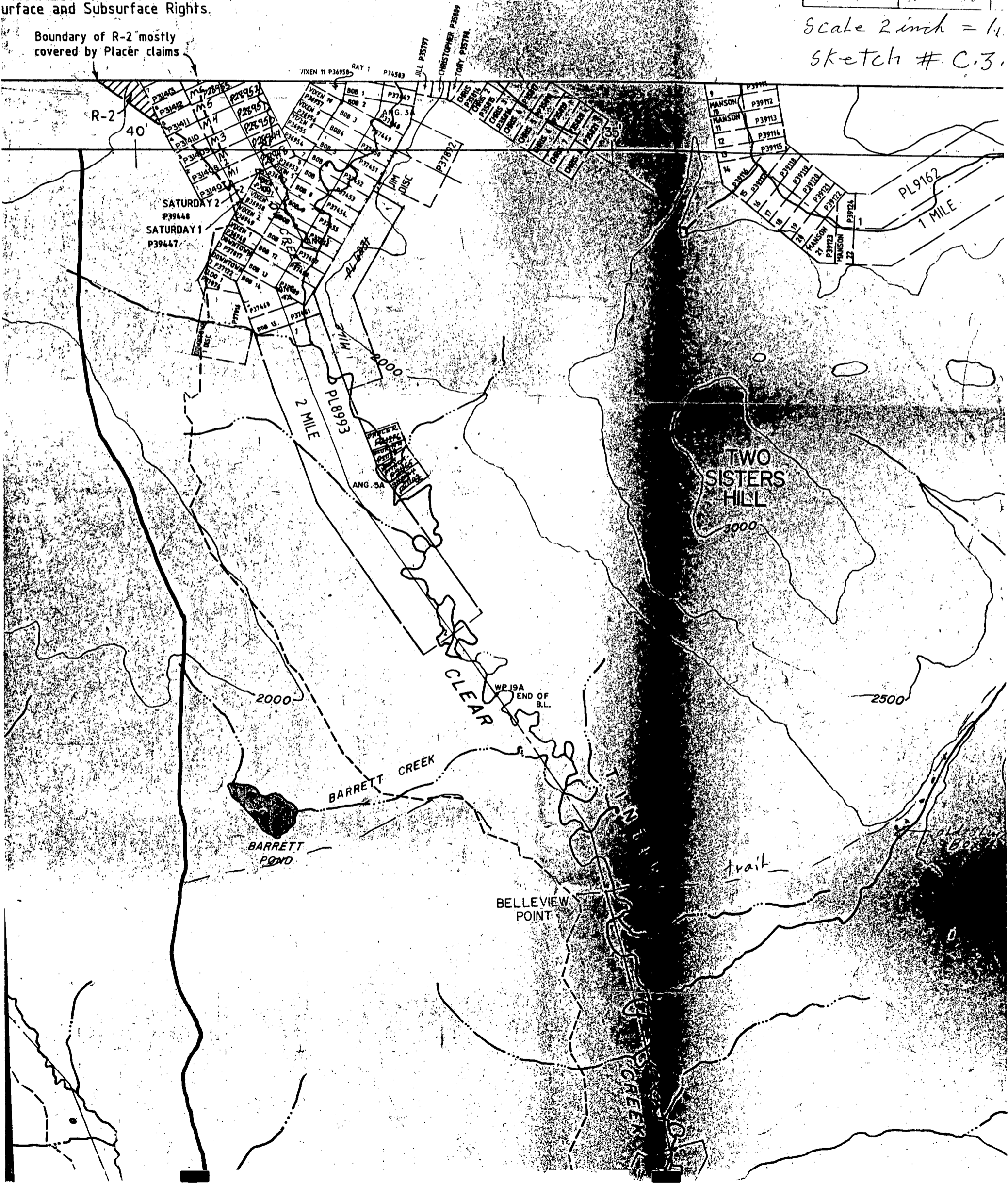


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Scale 2 inch = 1 mile  
Sketch # C.3.

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Boundary of R-2 mostly covered by Placer claims



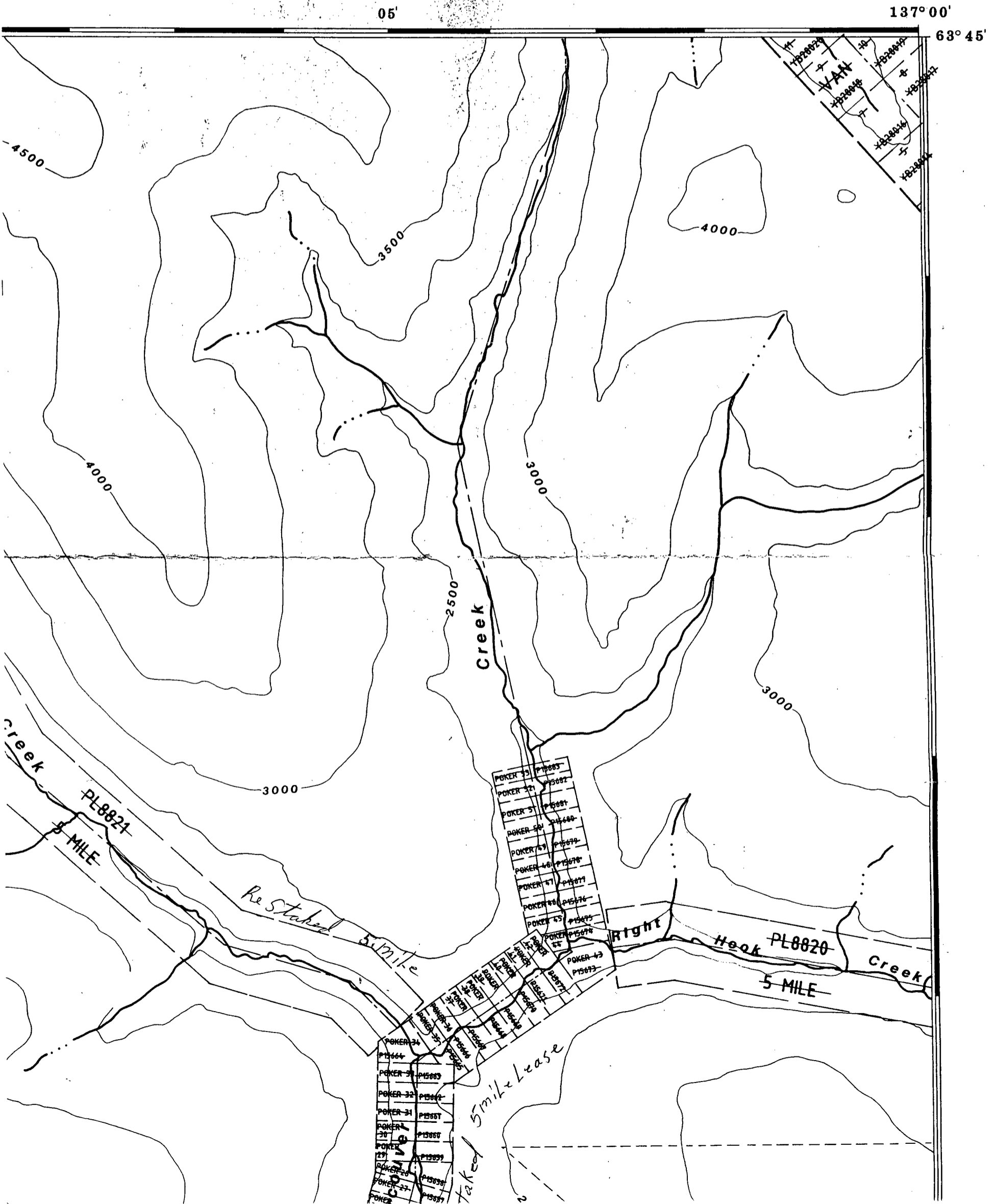
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 CONTOUR INTERVAL 500 FEET.  
 SURVEY INFORMATION COMPILED FROM LEGAL SURVEYS, BY DRAFTING SERVICES.

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115P-13	115P-14	115P-15
115P-12	115P-11	115P-10
115P-5	115P-6	115P-7



10 km south of McQuesten Bridge.  
- \$20.00 per yard gold.

### SKETCH #1

- Heavy Ice on Stewart River
- Cut trail for 3-wheeler.
- Prospecting & Sampling - 10ft sticks

### SKETCH #2

- Finish cutting trail & sampling along McQuesten & Stewart River
- Cut chain saw line 3000 ft of swamp
- South side of river (small specks in ~~sample~~ some samples)
- Sample Creek #1 See sketch #2 for creek.
- Frozen ground (May 20<sup>th</sup> report)
- Hit la grave. Possibly old building
- Very thick undergrowth.

CREEK # 1

May 16 - No gold, no outcrop ground.  
Still frozen.

## CREEK #2

- May 20 - Creek sampling. Few specks of gold on 15000 level unmatting further up.  
- 2000 & up very heavy glaciers. Not much water yet. Bush very thick. Frozen ground on lower area.
- Very interesting area
- June 13 - Put hole down. Panning had small specks of gold.
- June 23 - Dred sluice box up.  $\frac{1}{2}$  yard through.  
- Ground frozen at 3ft. Only a few specks of gold.
- June 28 - Went across Stewart River cutting trail up Creek #2. Glaciers at 4000 foot level.
- June 30 - Sluice boxing & panning.  
- Tried to drill hole with hand auger. Only got down 10".
- July 6 - Blasted hole and panned approx. 6 ft. down.  
- Couple colors of gold (not of interest.)

CREEK # 2 (cont'd)

- Aug 15
- Prospecting on Ice Chest mtn.
  - Panned a few samples quite high up. Didn't find anything of interest.

### CREEK #3

May 22 - No water, No gold.

May 23 - Sampled up stream on Stewart to #3.  
- Only a few specks of gold in samples.

June 16 - Worked 50 to 100 ft. from mouth of creek.  
- Samples per pan approximately 10-12 specks.

June 23 - Set up sluice box 50 ft up from Stewart  
- Got about 1 yard shoveled through.  
- Looks about 40 to 50 dollars per pail.  
- 2 or 3 ft down. Frozen ground.

July 1 - Sluice boxing. Got down approx 12" in  
premed frost. Panned out tailings  
same as before. Very fine gold.

## CREEK #4

June 5 - Went up #4 across Stewart Run approx. 2 1/2 miles. Planned up creek from 1 to 2 1/2 miles up.

- Small gold specks. They stay in the pan.
- An interesting creek.
- The sea fork is idc-composed granite.
- 1000 up is idc-composed shist.

June 8. - all broken rock and large.  
- no gold samples  
- Glaciers gravel on outcrop.  
- No signs of old workings.

July 3 - There is a mag high on Creek #4.  
- No bed rock along creek.  
- Glacier on creek, but ground is frozen under moss.

July 8 - Blasting holes down and panning samples.  
- a few litters.

July 9 - a few specks approx. 6 ft. down  
- Coarser than most

July 12 - mag high blasted down approx 4 ft.  
- Got a couple specks of gold on first 6". (nothing further down)

# Explanation

## CREEK #6

June 6 - No gold in samples.

## CREEK #7

June 7 - Good gravel, but no gold. Likely deep.

BARB!

Bring down all  
sub-contract papers  
from 386 @ home!

### SKETCH #3

- Old cabin with no roof on South side of Stewart River. Will likely take a canoe up creek in July.
- Panned on Stewart River.
- Every 3rd pan, you get 2 or 3 small colours on Stewart River.

### SKETCH #4

- Panned on island on Stewart River upstream from Reid Lake  $\frac{1}{2}$  mi. 4 or 5 specks of gold per pan. Very fine.
- Panned up Stewart from fish camp to  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile from Stirling Bend. A few very small specks of gold.

### SKETCH #5

- Went up Partridge Creek. Sampled and panned. Creek is approx.  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile up from old cabin.

## SKETCH #6

- Went up creek approx. 2 1/2 miles from old cabin. Panned West & East Creeks.
- Panned creek East & West. Cut out old road to take 3 wheels up next time. I got a few specks of gold on both creeks approx. every 3rd pan. Rock on creek Quartz Shist.

## SKETCH C-1

- Worked on #2 creek. Blasted, a couple of colours of gold not of interest.
- Creek #4 - a few colors - blasting hole.
- Moved equipment up to magnetic area.
- Creek #4, mag high blasted down approx. four feet.
- Finished creek #4 for the present time.
- Stewart River very low. Sifted gravel bar on river. Approx. 50 colours per pan next to water.

## SKETCH # C-2

- Prospecting up creek and old cut out road 2 miles up. Nothing of interest. I heard there is a silver showing up that way.
- Went back up old road N. or highway prospecting, testing & sampling gravel. Bush is very thick.

### SKETCH C-3

July 23 - Finished panning out samples. No gold.  
Walked back out, panned on Clear Creek.  
No gold.

### SKETCH C-4

July 28 - Prospecting up Vancouver creek and  
partway up Thoroughfare Creek. Took  
samples and panned sieve gravel.  
No gold. Gordon has staked on a  
small creek. Drains into Thoroughfare  
creek. I got no gold in samples.  
It's re-staked.

Aug. 10 - Prospecting up Vancouver Creek road.  
The mountain in between Vancouver  
Creek and the creek west. The rock  
is quartzite shist some vertical &  
horizontal broken up quite a bit.  
Most of it has  $\frac{1}{8}$  inch of  
limestone coating on rock. Very  
rough ground to walk through.

## STEWART RIVER

- May 2 - Staking lease with Bob on Stewart R.
- May 6 - Panning on Stewart River. Lease area. Heavy Ice on River & skating lodges.
- May 8 - Cut trail to Stewart River for 3-wheelers to easy gas for Boat.
- May 9 - Prospecting and sampling along Stewart River.
- May 10 - Prospecting and sampling along Stewart River and Sampling.
- May 13 - Water in Stewart approx 16 km / hr.
- May 14. Cut chain saw line across Stewart River towards Ice Chest Mountain. 3000' of swamp.
- May 15 - Sampling along Stewart south side of river, down stream. Small specks of gold in some samples.
- May 16 - Sampling creek #1 across Stewart River south. No gold. No out crop ground.

## STEWART RIVER (cont'd)

- May 23 - Sampled up stream on Stewart #3 creek.  
Only got a few specks of gold  
in samples.
- May 30 - Panned on Stewart River downstream  
to campsite. Got a few specks of gold.  
Took more samples on Stewart.
- June 1 - A new claim built on north side of  
Stewart River.
- June 2 - Panned on Stewart River. About every  
3rd pan, you get 2 or 3 small colors.
- June 9 - Panned on island on Stewart River  
north of creek 1 and 3. Small  
specks of gold.
- June 10 - Panned on island on Stewart River  
upstream from Reid Lake creek 1/4 mi.  
4 or 5 specks of gold per pan.  
Very fine.
- June 11 - Panned up Stewart River from fish  
camp to 1/2 mile from Stirling  
Bend. A few very small specks  
of gold.

June 20 - Went down Stewart River with Elmer to Rosebud Creek.

June 27 - Went down the Stewart with Elmer prospecting. Staked a sluicing lease, 10 mi., took a few samples, very fine gold.

July 10 - Down Stewart River with Elmer panning and testing on bar 5 mi. upstream from Rosebud Creek. Also Valley Creek Bar on Stewart River approx. 100 to 200 colours per pan very fine gold.

July 24 - Water on Stewart River low.

July 27 - Packed boat and put belts in holes. Panned on Bar on Stewart and 4mequesten. Got enough gold to see in the bottle.

July 29 - Stewart River very low. Tested gravel bar at Bob Lease. Approx. 50 colours per pan mixed to water.

Aug. 11 - Prospecting on Stewart River bar. It is approx. the same as most places. 20 to 100 colours per pan where I got good colour 3 yrs ago.

## MCCUESTEN RIVER

- May 3 - Prospecting on lease, panning, and hand slice boxing 10 km south of McCuesten Bridge.
- May 11 - Finished sampling along McCuesten.
- May 13 - Put boat in McCuesten River. Water high and a lot of logs coming downstream.
- Aug 8 - ... Got boat back to McCuesten River mouth of McCuesten R. Approx 14 inches of water. Trouble getting boat up to landing.
- Aug 9 - Panned on bar at the mouth of McCuesten + Stewart R.

## ICE CHEST MTN.

May 27 - Went down stream about 1 mile & tried to walk up to the top of I.C. mtn. Got approx 3 miles or more and gave up because it was too dirty & there was very thick undergrowth.

May 31 - Unable to get over Ice Chest Mountain

~~Aug 15~~  
Aug 16 - Prospecting on Ice Chest Mtn. Mostly checking out the places I have tested in case I missed something. I would like to spend more time on Ice Chest Mountain.

Aug 15 - Prospecting on Ice Chest Mtn. up Creek #2. Panned a few samples quite high up. Did not find anything of interest.

## REID LAKE

May 28 - Prospecting on Reid Lake.  
One sample had a small speck of gold. Outcrop about 800 ft. up creek. A contact showing coarse granite on south east. Granodiorite to the Northwest a small amount of mineralization at the contact.

## OTHERS:

- June 1 - Went down Stewart River to Lake Creek, water low on Lake Creek. Impossible to get up with boat. Walked upstream approx. 2 mi. Panned creek. Fine gold on sand bars in the creek.
- June 3 - Panned on Independence Creek, fine gold at 1000 ft. upstream, bunch pump and sluice box plus one small shack at 1000 ft. upstream, old cat road from river up to sluice box workings.
- June 14 - Went down to Ice Chest Reef sampling and panning. Panning had small specks of gold.
- June 15 - Ice Chest Reef area. Took a few more samples. A lot of logs & trees floating down river, water high.
- June 17 - Went up Partridge Creek, sampled and panned. Creek is approx. 1/2 mile up from old location.
- June 18 - Went up F. Creek approx 2 1/2 mi. from old location. Panned West & East Creeks. Went another mile. Stayed over night.

June 19 - Panned Partridge Creek East & West. Cut out old road to take 3 wheels up next time. I got a few specks of gold on all creeks approx. every 3<sup>rd</sup> pan. Rock on Creek, Quartz Shist

June 25 - Went into Slough Creek white clay area. Took a few samples. Small specks of gold very heavy with quartz. It looks like white channel approx. 50 ft in width.

June 29 - Went up to Clear Creek. Road is about 4 miles. Looking for old road to Two Sisters Hill. I did not find it. I will try next month.

July 11 - Went up Vancouver Creek. It had been re-staked in March 1994.

July 22 - Prospected in Creek south of Two Sisters Hill. Found old sluice box. Took samples and panned them out below old sluice box. No water up creek.

Jul. 28 - Prospecting up Vancouver Creek and  
part way up Thoroughfare Creek.  
Took samples and panned service  
gravels. No gold.

Aug. 10 - Prospecting up Vancouver Creek road.  
The mountain between Vancouver Creek  
and the creek west. The rock is quartzite  
shist. Some vertical & horizontal broken  
up quite a bit most of it has  $\frac{1}{8}$ " of  
limestone coating on rock.

Aug 12 - Up Thoroughfare creek with Gordon.  
We did some panning. No luck.

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SEPT. 1

SUMMARY

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Page 1

McQuesten River flows in to the Stewart River approx 80 miles south east of Dawson City By Road. The Stewart River flows into the Yukon River approx 80 miles from the McQuesten River ~~at~~ Topo map sheet 115-P. 115-O.

prospection was on claim sheet 115-P-11, 115-P-12. Bar sampling all so on map sheet 115-D-8.

Explosives was used to try & get Holes down through

perma Frost very little

<sup>54C 235</sup>  
~~interest~~ Most Holes down to 4 ft and 5 ft. sluicing was done By Hand ~~& gas~~ gravity feed sluice Botting & screening <sup>the</sup> panning place area <sup>2</sup> BAR

#1 area McQuesten air field on Stewart River down stream for about 2 miles approx 200 to 500

colours per pan <sup>on north Bar</sup> #2 area  
 approx 8 miles down stream from  
 Lake Creek on the Stewart River  
 the Bar is quite spotty, approx  
 300 colour per pan, <sup>on north side of River Bar</sup> Mouth  
 of the McQuesten River Bar  
 about 50 to 150 colours per pan  
 most of the creeks on the North  
 side of Ice Chest mt. have a  
 few flakes of gold in them only  
 on the surface to the depth of 1 ft  
 Vancouver creek Has gold to the  
 size of  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch I have seen it.

### Vegetation

most of the area Has had  
 forest fire's at least 2 in the  
 last 30 years, sec growth is  
 very thick with and spruce  
~~and~~ flat of poplar & ~~Black~~ Birch  
 the soil ranges from gravel to  
 to sand, and muskeg.

# Geology

page 3

Rock out crops consist of  
~~of~~ quartzite & quartzite schist  
and granite Vancouver creek  
~~area~~ has quartzite schist coated  
with limestone. A lot of old  
decomposed granite & decomposed  
schist on the north side of ice chest mt.

## Conclusion

Vancouver creek to ice chest mtn.  
is a very interesting area, it would  
take a long time to prospect, you  
need a four wheel drive vehicle plus  
a boat & motor, the Stewart River  
~~can~~ flows at about 15 miles per  
hour in high water, in low  
water there is a lot of rocks.  
The one question is the same, ~~is~~  
prospecting is very hard because  
you have to cut your way through

to get up the creek on the north side of ice chest mt. you have approx 3500 ft of muskeg & High Nigger heads, willow & spruce it's very hard to walk through

Lake creek on the south side of ice chest mt, could be traveled part way up by canoe in spring of the year <sup>1919</sup> High water this year the water was to low

the thick willow & spruce, I think  
there will be a lot more people  
prospecting in the area in the next  
5 years.

I would like to spend a rather  
year or two prospecting in the  
area, I have trails cut out  
that need a lot more prospecting on.  
The spring of the year is the  
Best time to be for the leaf-  
green, I have spent over 105 days  
in the area this past year I have  
turned in a daylog report with  
Map's.

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July 5/94 weather Rain showers.

Day 61 Whitehouse to McQuesten, worked on Boat,  
packed a rather leak.

July 6/94. weather sunny Rain showers.

Day 62

Worked on #2 creek, Blasting Hole Down  
and panned approx 6 ft Down a couple of colours of  
gold most of interest.

SEE sketch # C.1.

July 7/94 weather Rain all day  
panning out samples around Camp.

Day 63

July 8/94 weather sunny.

Day 64

Worked on creek #4 Blasting Hole  
Down & panning samples, a few colours.  
see sketch # C.1.

July 9/94 weather sunny

Day 65 Working on creek #4 approx 6 ft Down  
a few specks of gold But coarse than  
most. Moved equipment up to  
magnetic area.

see sketch # C.1



Map Sheet. 115 P-11  
Scale 2 inch = 1 mile.  
Sketch # C#1

McQUESTEN

LOT 28

KLONDIKE HIGHWAY (2)

LOT 1

LOT 2

LOT 4

LOT 5

STEWART

DAWSON

MAYO

STIRLING BEND

ICE CHEST MOUNTAIN

← Creek #2

← Creek #4

Hole Decomposed granite

Hole Mag High

PL8406  
1 MILE

PL8457

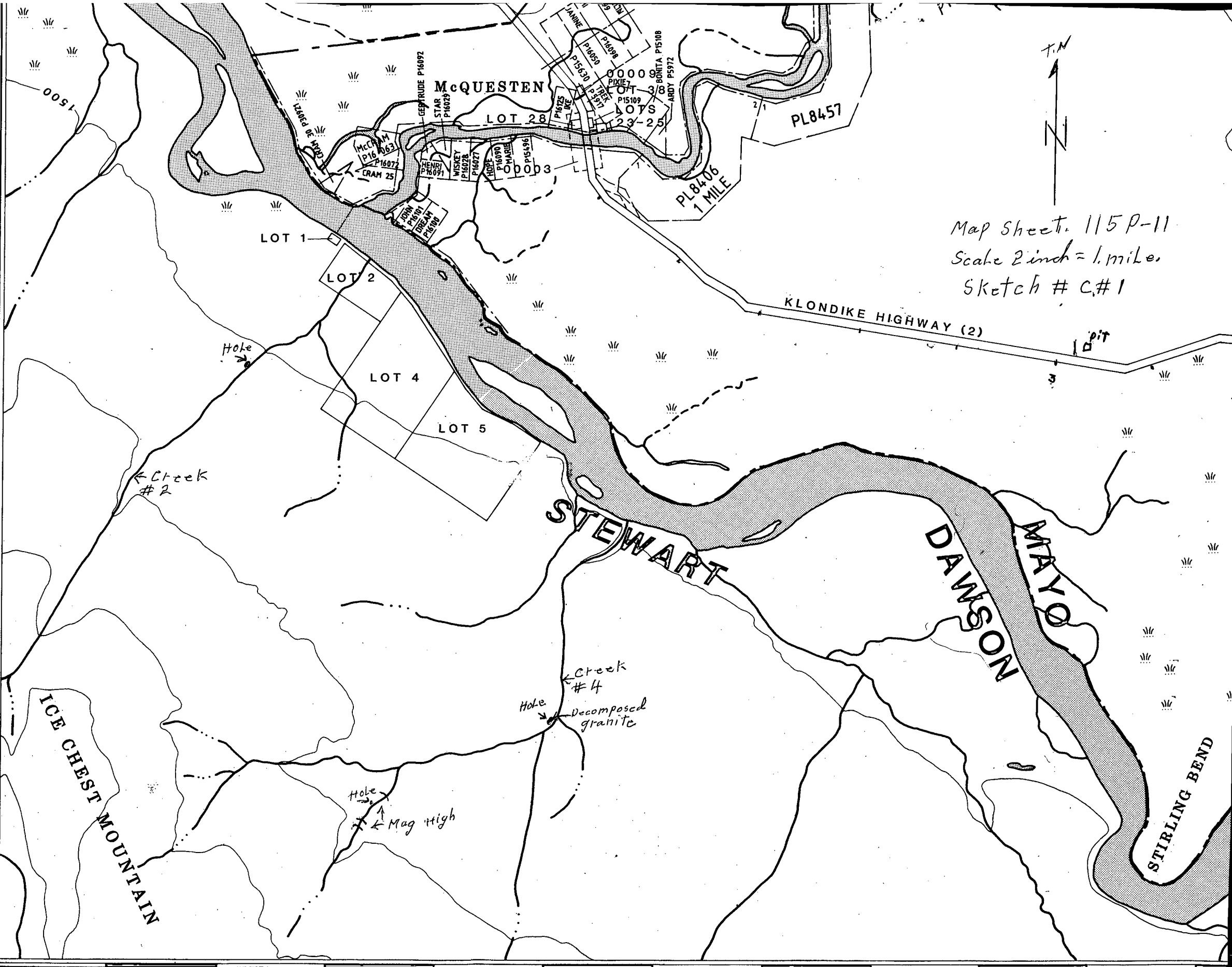
63° 30'

137° 30'

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20'

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July 10/94

weather Sunny.

Day 66 Down Stewart River with Elmer panning  
a testing on Bar's 3 miles up stream from ~~Stewart~~  
Rosebud creek also Valley Creek Bar on Stewart  
River approx 100 to 200 Colours per pan.  
very fine gold.

July 11/94

weather Sunny.

Day 67

went up Vancouver creek it has Bin  
Re staked in March/94  
SEE sketch # C.4

July 12/94

weather Sunny.

Day 68

worked on creek # 4 mag high  
blasted down approx 4 ft. I got a couple  
of specks of gold on the first binch. and  
nothing further down.  
see sketch # C.1.

July 13/94

weather Sunny.

Day 69.

finished on creek # 4 for the present.  
Time might go back later on  
Down approx 5 ft. on Hale.  
see sketch # C.1

July 14/94 weather sunny Rain showers.

Day 70 prospecting up creek & old Road cut  
out old Road 2 miles up. I did not find  
any thing of instant, ~~so~~ I heard that there  
is a silver showing up that way. I  
will likely go Back later on and have  
another look.

see sketch C.2

July 15/94 weather sunny scattered showers.

Day 71

went back up old road north of  
Highway prospecting, testing & sampling  
gravel. I still have to go back up  
there when the leaf is off the trees,  
Bush is very thick.

see sketch # C.2.

July 16/94 weather sunny.

Day 72 worked on truck Heater leaking  
in cab, panned out samples  
at camp. gold nil

July 17/94 weather sunny.

Day 73 went to whitehorse to pick  
up check. from government for prospecting  
and more grub. a few days off.

July 21/94  
Day 74

weather sunny.

Whitehorse to McQuesten,

July 22/94  
Day 75

Weather sunny.

prospected into creek south of two Sisters Hill. found old sluice box took samples & panned them out. Below old sluice box no water and creek staged over night

July 23/94

weather sunny.

Day 76

Finished panning out samples. No gold, walked back out panned on Clear Creek no gold.  
See sketch # C.3

July 24/94

weather sunny

Day 77

panned on Bar at mouth of McQuesten on Stewart River 40 to 100 colours per pan water on Stewart River Low.

July 25/94

Weather Sunny & Hot

Day 78 panned out samples at camp worked on clutch on 3 wheelers,

July 26/94

Weather Sunny Hot

Day 79 Went Down River with Elmer & woman <sup>Stewart</sup> Teated on Bar. Most places got 100 colours of gold per pan. Water low had to pull Boat up near Rapids By Hand. Sheared off a couple of Ruvetta on Boat,

July 27/94

Weather sunny hot

Day 80 Packed Boat & put Bolts in hole's panned on Bar on Stewart & McQueen got enough gold to see in the Bottle.

July 28/94

Weather Sunny

Day 81 Prospecting up Vancouver creek & part way up thoroughfare creek took samples & panned survice gravel's no gold. Gordon Has staked on a small creek drains in to thoroughfare creek I got no gold, in sample's. it's Re staked

See sketch # C.4.

July 29/94 weather Rain showers Hot

Day 82 Stewart River very low tested  
gravel Bar on river ~~bar~~ at Bob Lease  
approx 50 colours per pan next to water  
See sketch # C 1

July 30/94 weather Sunny

83 panned an Mc Quester Gravel Bar  
low water some places 15 to 20 Colours <sup>Per Pan</sup>  
10ft away nil very spotted.

July 31/94 weather sunny.

Day 84 went up past air port on Stewart Map  
sheet 115 P-12 seen Bob staking set up  
no body around, they have a good  
set up. their getting gold fine

Aug 1/94 weather sunny

Day 85 checking low water gravel Bar from  
air port down stream very good  
Colour approx 150 to 250 colour per pan  
for 1 1/2 miles.

aug 2/94

weather Sunny

Day 86

paned out all samples around camp  
& worked on truck & Boat motor,  
it needed new spark plug.

aug 3/94

weather Sunny Hot Rain-  
Shower in Evening

Day 87

Day off special occasion wedding at  
Mc Quester in shell of New Lodge  
Dan son got married.

aug 4/94

weather sunny Hot  
went to Whitehouse

aug 7/94

weather sunny Hot

Whitehouse to Mc Quester

aug 8/94

weather Sunny Hot

Day 88

went up stream on Stewart River  
from Mc Quester 3 miles up  
sheared off. Revets on Boat &  
Bent prop on motor water very low  
got Boat back to Mc Quester River  
mouth of Mc Quester River approx 14 inches  
of water trouble to get Boat up to  
Landing

aug 9/94  
Day 89

weather sunny Hot

patched Boat & panned on Bar at  
the mouth of McQuesten & Stewart River

aug 10/94  
Day 90

weather sunny Hot

prospecting up Vancouver Creek Road.  
The mountain in between Vancouver Creeks  
the creek west, the Rock is quartzite shist  
some ~~vertical~~ vertical & horizontal broken  
up quite a bit most of it has  $\frac{1}{8}$  inch of  
Limestone coating on Rock, very rough  
ground to walk through.  
see sketch #. C.4.

aug 11/94  
Day 91

weather sunny very Hot.

prospecting on Stewart River Bar's  
it appear the same as the most places.  
a 20 to 100 colours per pan were I got  
good colour 3 years ago this year I  
got nil. High water must of move it.

aug 12/94

weather sunny Hot

Day 92

up thoroughfare creek with Gordon  
~~we~~ we did some panning no luck  
we had to walk & clutch gon on a  
my 3 wheeler. Geology crew camped  
at McQuesten, I talked to them  
Bob was one from Whitehorse &  
a woman from N.W.T. the Rest from  
the south.

aug 13/94

weather sunny Hot

Day 93

Some people from Calgary came up & camped on Branigan claim for to do some panning for gold, so I showed them the trail to Stewart River they panned on Stewart & McQueen Bar. Names: Dennis & Shelley.

aug 14/94

weather sunny warm.

Day 94

Helped Dennis & Shelley, they screened out  $\frac{1}{2}$  of a 5 gal pail of sand, after panning it out they got approx 100 dollars in gold, it all very fine gold.

aug 15/94

weather sunny warm.

Day 95.

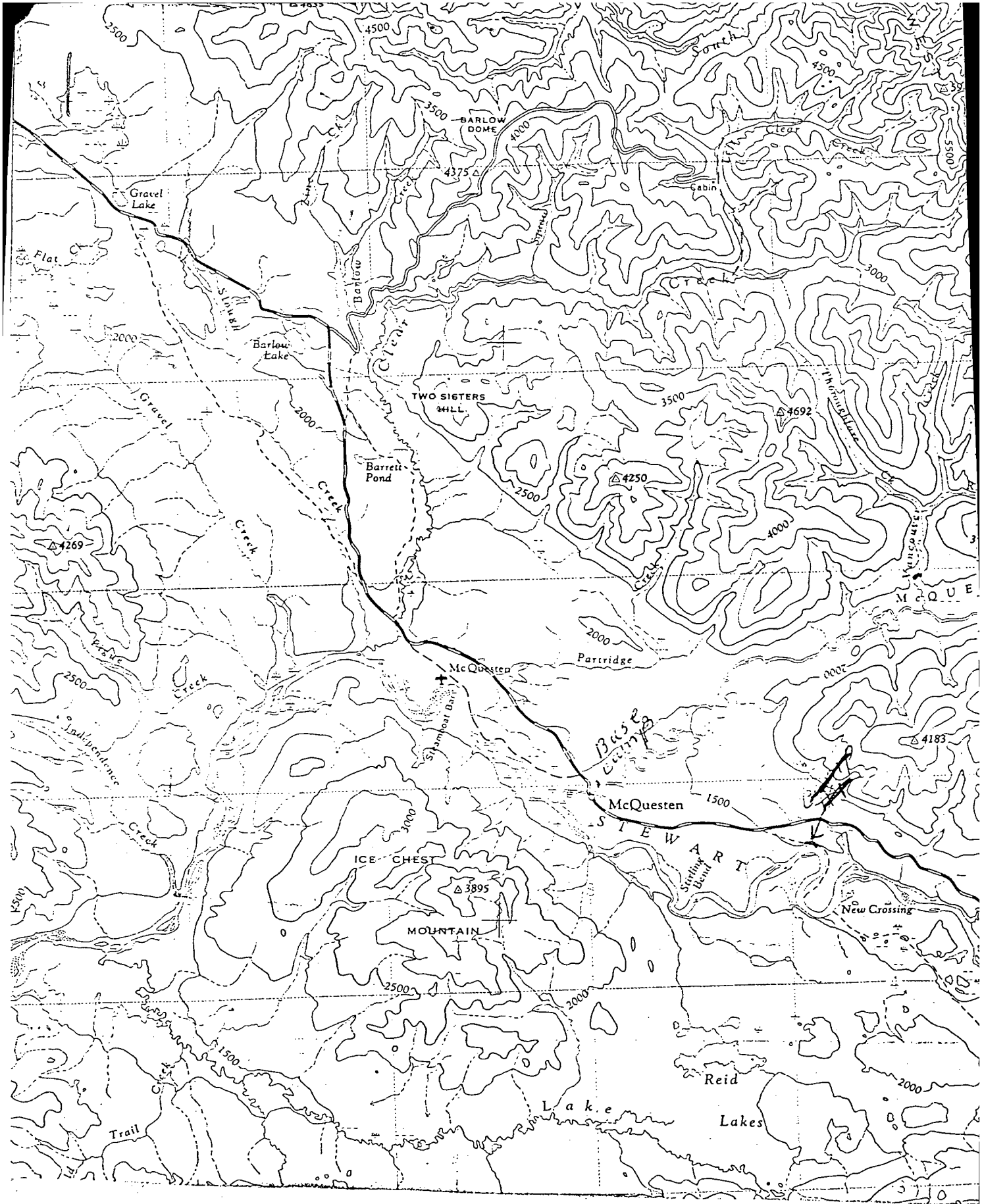
Prospecting on Ice Chest mt. up creek # 2. panned a few samples quite high up. did not find anything of interest.

aug 16 to 20/94

weather sunny.

Day 96

-100. prospecting on ice chest mt. & Stewart River mostly checking out the places I have tested in case I miss something, there is a lot of prospecting to do yet I would like to spend more time on ice chest mt.



4 mile = 1 inch

Aug 21 & 22 / 94 weather Rain to Days.  
paned out samples & worked around  
Camp started up drag line and moved it  
trouble with pump motor, pumped up tires

Day 101  
102

Aug 23 & 24 / 94 weather cloudy sunny intervals  
Cool.

Day 103  
104

packing up Equipment for this season.  
fixing up camp.

Aug 25 ~~to 26~~ / 94

Day 105

Last Day for this season of prospecting  
whitehorse to morrow.

Gravel

on most of my sampling & panning I only  
got gold on the surface approx 12 inch  
of gravel I got the same on the  
2500 level as well as the Stewart River  
Bar, also McQuesten River

Rock

most of the rock is quartzite  
quartzite schist coated with  
lime stone, Basic Rock granite  
some decomposed,

I showed some samples to Bob the  
geologist that was up here,  
none of grate interest to get assayed.  
I will bring a sample down.

Myra Currie

Reçu de

Received from

Aug 4

19 94

Myrl W Currie

one Thousand

100 Dollars

for wages Helper prospecting  
on Boat motor

\$ 1,000.00

No. \_\_\_\_\_

James M. Lay

No. d'enrg. taxe

Tax Reg. No: \_\_\_\_\_

Reçu de  
Received from

aug 1

19 94

Myrl N Currie

Three Hundred

100 Dollars

for 2 way Radio month of

July aug 194

\$ 300.00

No.

No. d'enrg. taxe  
Tax Reg. No:

Expense

45 Days prospecting 52.85 per day \$ 2378.25

truck transportation 38.5¢ per 75.197  
1 trip Whitehouse to McQuesten Return 335.72

60 days Two way Radio phone 2 months 300.00  
No Receipt. Van in Dawson.

propaine 100 lb 50.00  
No Receipt

gas & oil for out Board motor  
& 3 wheeler, chain saw. 100.00

James, Mc Lay wages 1000.00 ~~total~~ 3163.97  
per month. 1000.00

total 4163.97

Hold check for pick up.

Myd & Currie

Keystone®

1994

Mc QUESTEN, prospecting

**SUPER**

**KEY-TAB**

TM  
MC

exercise book / livre d'exercice

Subject \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Class \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

Myrl N Currie

Po Box 4653

Whitehouse Y.T.

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MAP SHEET 115 P-11

Sketch # 1

T.N



Scale 1 inch = 1/2 mile

• Samples A

Lease  
Re Staked

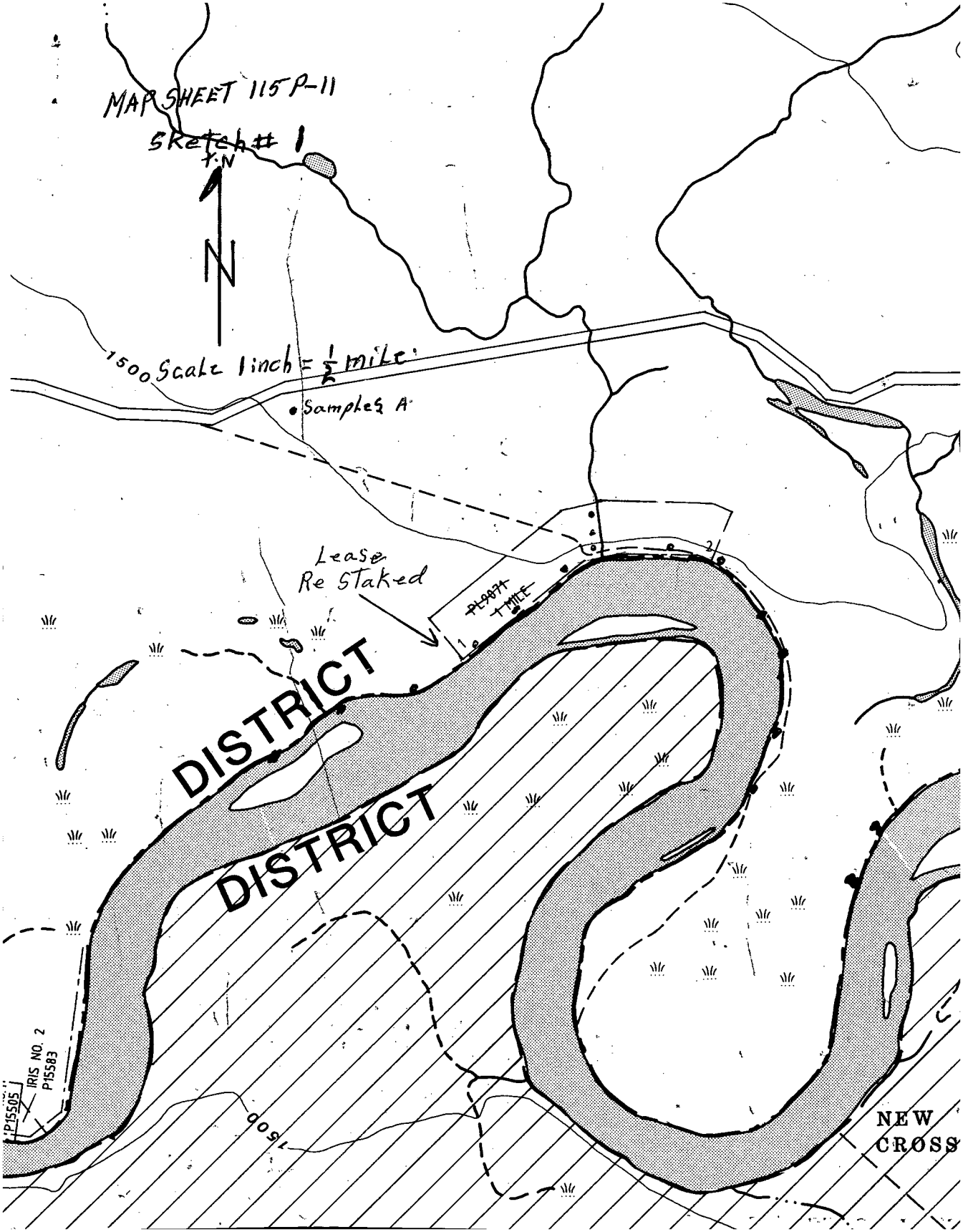
PLANT  
TRAIL

DISTRICT  
DISTRICT

IRIS NO. 2  
P15583

1500

NEW  
CROSS



# Prospecting Report 1994.

①

May 1/94 weather sunny

Left Whitehorse to McQuesten River with Boat + Motor plus grub. arrived at McQuesten 9:30 PM. Hired one man, Jim Mc Lay. Be cause of fast water on Stewart River \$1000.00 per month.

May 2/94 ~~☉~~ weather sunny.  
Taking Lease with Bob on Stewart River I have part interest in Lease.  
SEE Sketch # 1 ↓ doing for someone else?

May 3/94 ③ weather sunny & cloudy.

Prospecting on Lease panning & Hand Shuice Bop ing 10 km South of McQuesten Bridge. Bob, Jim & My self.  
approx \$20.00 per yd gold, at \$400.00 per ounce.

Return Trip  
May 4/94 ④ weather sunny

McQuesten to Whitehorse to turn in ~~an~~ prospector agreement.

May 5/94 ⑤ weather sunny

Whitehorse to McQuesten arrived 9: PM

May 6/94 ⑥ weather cloudy.

Panning on Stewart River. Lease area. Heavy ice on Stewart River plus floating logs.  
See Sketch # 1 ←

May 7/94

(7)

weather <sup>Rain</sup> Showers.

worked around Base Camp cut wood  
panned out Samples.

May 8/94

(8)

weather Sunny.

cut trail to Stewart River for  
3 wheeler to carry gas for Boat  
plus Equipment

See Sketch #2 ←

May 9/94

(9)

weather Showers

prospecting & sampling along Stewart  
River, got stuck with truck.

See Sketch #1 ←

May 10/94

(10)

weather Rain Showers after Noon

prospecting & sampling ~~over~~ along Stewart  
River, a few specks of gold one or two  
per pan ground still frozen Frost,  
more work to be done when Frost out.  
only in June,

Map SHEET 115P-11  
Sketch # 2  
Scale 1 inch = 1/2 mile

T.N. Sampling area  
+ Grave AREA?



R-28B

DL 8012 10 MILE

CREEK #7

Creek #6

My walking line

Chain saw line

creek #2

creek #1

#3

STEWART

out chop

creek #4

contact

ICE CHEST MOUNTAIN

63°30'  
137°30'

LOT 1

LOT 2

LOT 4

LOT 5

R-3

Swapp.

McQUEEN

WOODY

GOOD

ROSE

PL 9259 1 MILE

PL 8673

ROSE 7  
ROSE 8  
ROSE 9  
ROSE 10

PL 8673

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PL 8673

May 11/94 (11) weather sunny.

Finished cutting trail to Stewart & sampling along mequester & Stewart River. Samples. Back to camp.

See sketch # 2 ←

May 12/94 (12) weather Rain showers.  
paned out samples at camp.  
a few specks of gold per sample.

May 13/94 (13) weather Rain all day.

put Boat in mequester River & took it down to Stewart River. water high & a lot of logs coming down stream Stewart approx 16 km per hour.

May 14/94 (14) weather showers <sup>after noon</sup>

cut chain saw line across Stewart River two woods ice chest mt. 3000' of swamp.

See sketch # 2

May 15/94 (15) weather Light Showers.

Sampling along Stewart South side of River, Down stream gold in some samples small specks.

See sketch # 2

May 16/94

(16)

weather sunny cloudy intervals

Sampling creek #1 across Stewart Run  
south no gold no out crop ground still  
Frozen. see sketch #2 for creek  
Very thick Bush, no trails

May 17/94

~~(16)~~

already  
had return  
before 30 days

weather sunny.

went to whitehorse for advance check only  
\$1000.00. Check not ready.

May 18/94

Received check on prospector assistance  
picked up grubber.

May 19/94

Whitehorse to me. question around 12: NOON

May 20/94

(17)

weather light shower after noon

sampling on creek #2 a few specks of  
gold on 15000 level Nothing further up  
2000 + up very heavy glacier not  
much water yet Bush very thick  
all see growth. will work on lower  
area later on try to get down  
Deeper, Frozen ground. see sketch #2  
Small area of Broken granite possibly  
out crop.

May 21/94

To Dawson Gold show. Very poor.  
Should have gone to talk to buddy

May 22/94 weather sunny

(18)

Sampled on creek #3 no water  
only took a few samples no gold.

Day 23 May 23/94 weather Rain showers

23

(19)

sampled up stream on Stewart to #3  
Creek only got a few specks of gold in  
samples, I think I hit a grave  
it marked on sketch #2 possibly old  
Buildings at one time same area I thought  
it might be a old ~~at~~ digging.  
See sketch #2.

May 24/94

24

To  
26 OFF

Took a couple of days off  
went to Whitehouse.

Came Back on May 26 arrived at 5:30 PM

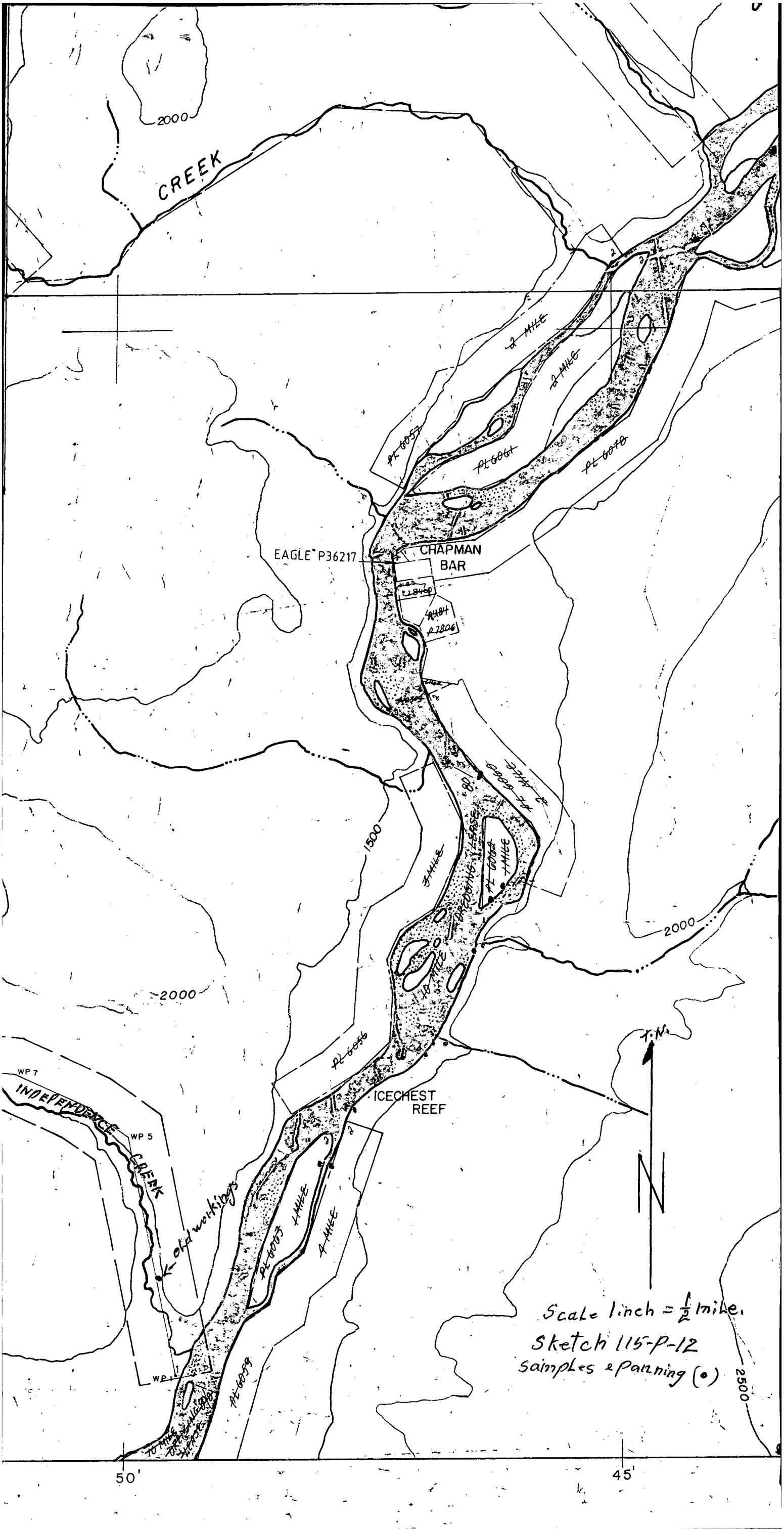
May 27/94 weather Rain <sup>Light</sup> after noon

Day (20)

24

Went down stream about 1 mile tried  
to walk up to top of ice chest. mt.  
got approx 3 miles or more give up to  
Dirty of going a very thick under growth

See Sketch # 2



Scale 1 inch =  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile.  
 Sketch 115-P-12  
 Samples & panning (•)

May 28/94 weather Cloudy & Cold

Day 25

(21)

Prospecting on Reed Lake creek one sample. had a small speck of gold out crop about 800 ft up creek. a contact showing coarse Granite on south <sup>EAST</sup> ~~west~~ granodiorite to the north <sup>WEST</sup> a small amount of mineralization at the contact.

See sketch # 2

Sketch of out crop. on page attached Rock sample # 1. to be ~~assayed~~ Assayed:

May 29/94 weather Rain Showers

Day 26

(22)

panned out samples at camp. worked on Chain saw & out Board motor spair out Board motor.

May 30/94

(23)

Cloudy.

Day 27

panned on Stewart River down stream to airport got a few specks of gold. took more samples on Stewart across from mequster,

May 31/94

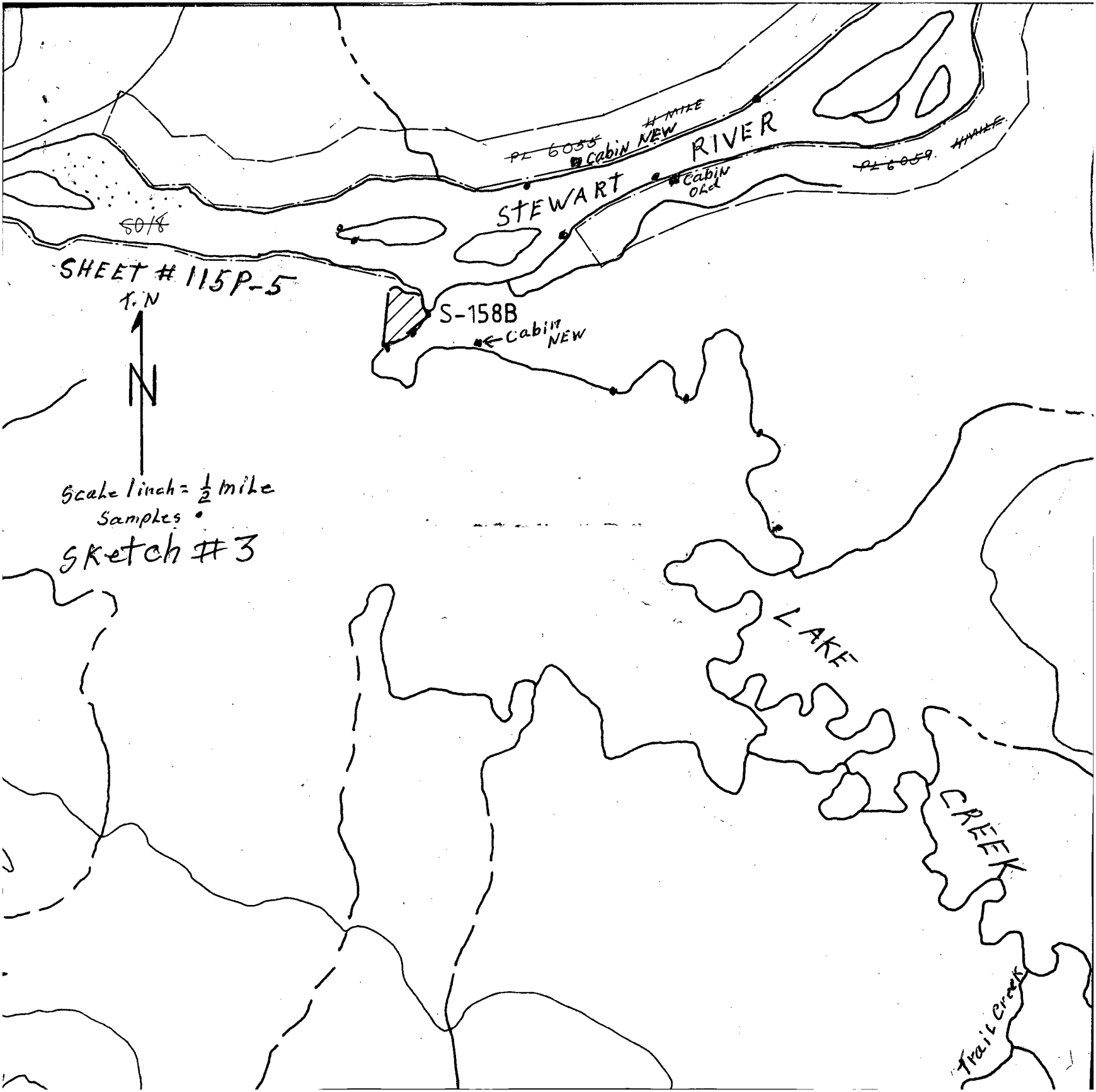
(24)

Sunny.

Day 28

panned out samples took Boat down to airport for loading for Lake Creek going down to Lake Creek By Boat tomorrow unable to get over ice chest mt. will likely do more work on # 2 creek, a very interest area.

see sketch # 2



SHEET # 115P-5

T.N

N

Scale 1 inch = 1/2 mile  
Samples •

Sketch # 3

STEWART

RIVER

S-158B

Cabin NEW

Cabin NEW

Cabin OLD

LAKE

CREEK

Trail Creek

PL 6058

PL 6059

5018

1/2 MILE

1/2 MILE

June 1/94 (25) weather Rain showers all day

Day 29

Went Down Stewart River to Lake Creek. Water low on Lake Creek impossible to get up with Boat walked up stream approx 2 miles panned Creek fine gold on sand Pan's in Creek the odd speck of gold in pan ~~and~~ out of Creek. Trapper Cabin on Creek a New Cabin Bilt on North side of Stewart River old Cabin with no Roof on south side of Stewart River Will likely take a canoe up Creek next month in July.

See sketch # 3

June 2/94 (26) weather Rain showers

Day 30

panned on Stewart River stayed at old Cabin over night. about every 3<sup>rd</sup> pan you get two or three small colours, on the Stewart River,

See sketch # 3

Camped at independence Creek.

June 3/94 (27) weather Light Rain showers.

Day 31

panned on independence Creek fine gold at 1000 ft up stream a birch pump & sluice box plus 1 small shack at 1000 ft up stream old cat Road from River up to sluice box workings approx 5 or 6 years old. independence Creek, on Map Sheet # 115P-12



June 4/94

weather Light Showers after <sup>NOON</sup>

Day 32 stayed in shack on independence creek.  
up Stewart to Chapman Bar, Small  
operation at Chapman Bar, they ~~are~~  
are getting very fine gold by using  
Mercer in sluice box. Back  
to ~~McGowan~~. See Map sheet 115p-12

End

MAPO Bill Leary → Bob Leckie 996-2566

June 5/94

(28)

weather Rain Showers.

Day 33

Went up creek #4 across Stewart River approx  
2 1/2 miles panned up creek from 1 mile to 2 1/2 mile up  
gold ~~in~~ small specks. They stay in the pan  
a small canyon about 1/4 mile in will  
go back later on interesting creek.  
the sur. rock is re composed granite  
& 1000 up is re composed schist will  
be work done later on.

SEE sketch 2-B.

June 6/94

(29)

weather Light Rain Showers.

Day 34

panned up creek #6 no gold in samples  
See sketch #2

June 7/94

(30)

weather Light showers after noon

Day 35

panned up creek #7 good gravel but no gold  
likely deep. Need 2 more sampling  
later on.

SEE sketch #2

MAP SHEET 115 P-11  
Scale 1 inch = 500 FT  
Sketch # 2-C.



Stewart River

Large Broken  
granite



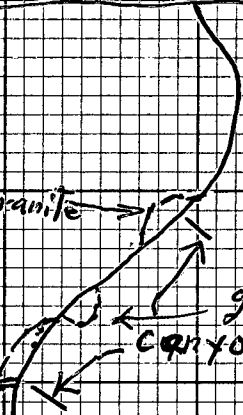
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granite

granite  
porphyry

granite  
canyon

← Creek # 4



June 8/94 weather sunny cloudy intervals

Day 36 worked on <sup>(31)</sup> creek #4 at canyon area  
all Broken Rock and large, no gold samples  
glacier ground on out crop no signs of old workings  
on creek. see sketch 2-C.

June 9/94 weather <sup>(32)</sup> light showers.

Day 37 panned on island on Stewart River  
north of creek #1 and 3. small specks of gold  
see sketch # 2-B.

June 10/94 <sup>(33)</sup> weather sunny.

Day 38 panned on island on Stewart River up stream  
from Reid Lake creek  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile 4 or 5 specks of  
gold per pan very fine,

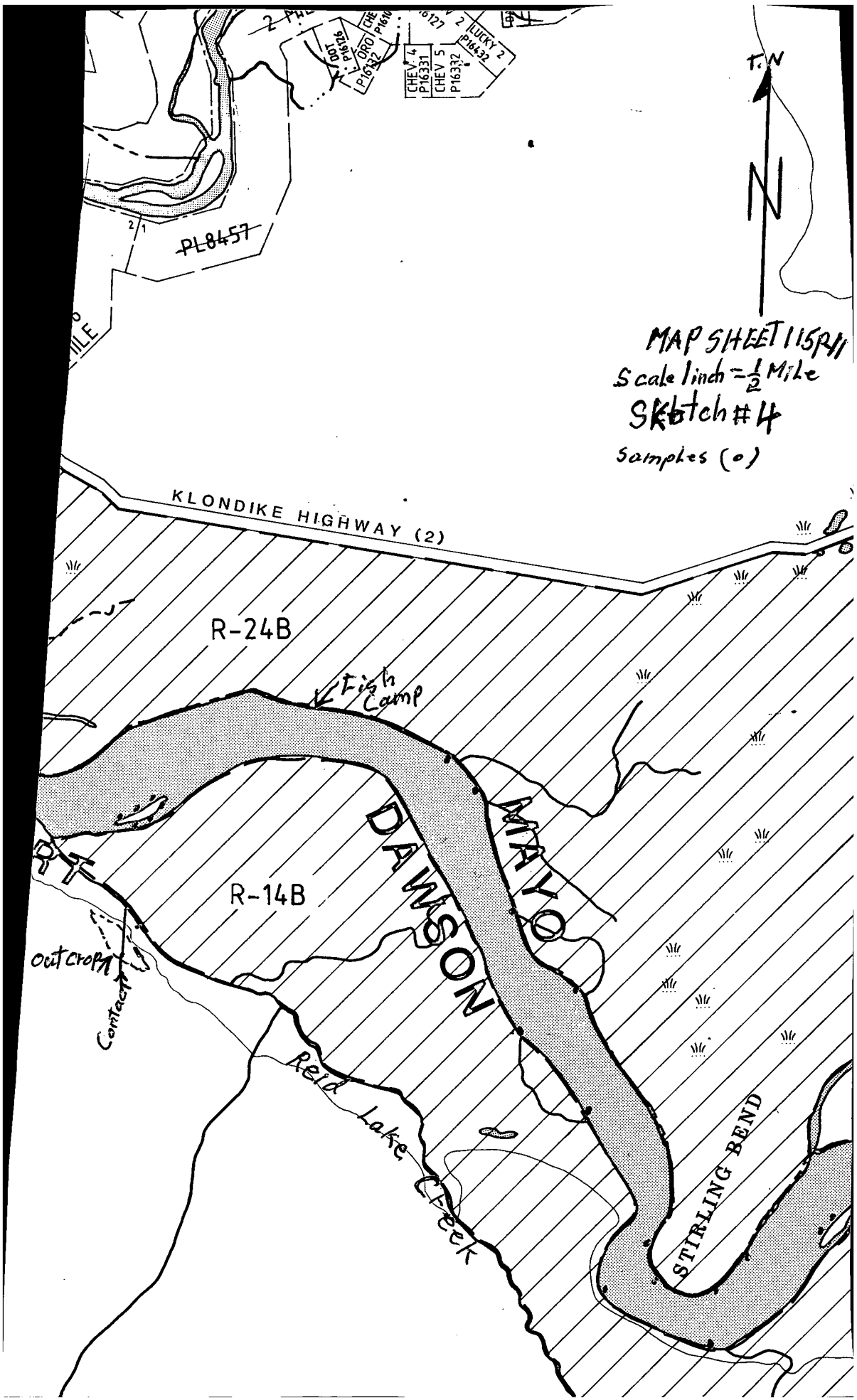
see sketch # 4

June 11/94 <sup>(34)</sup> weather cloudy sunny intervals

Day 39 panned up Stewart River from fish camp  
to  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile from Stealing Bend  
a few specks of gold very small  
see sketch # 4

June 12/94 <sup>(35)</sup> weather Rain showers

Day 40 panned out samples at camp  
plus worked on steering our Boat,  
and chain saw.



PL8457



MAP SHEET 115P41  
Scale 1 inch = 1/2 Mile  
Sketch #4  
Samples (o)

KLONDIKE HIGHWAY (2)

R-24B

Fish Camp

R-14B

DAWSON MILLIO

outcrop  
Contact

Reid Lake  
Creek

STIRLING BEND

June 13/94

weather

sunny

Day 41

Worked on creek #2 (36) put Hale down  
will have to spend a rather day  
with sluice Box a few specks of gold  
in pan.

See sketch # 2-B

June 14/94

weather sunny.

(37)

Day 42

went down to Lee Chest Reef sampling  
& panning stayed over night in  
pup tent quite cool, panning had small  
specks of gold.

See sketch 115-P-12

June 15/94

weather

sunny

(38)

Day 43

Lee Chest Reef area, took a few  
more samples. Back to McQuesten  
2 Hours Down 5 Hours Back a lot of  
Loge trees floating down River  
water High

See sketch 115-P-12

June 16/94

weather

(39)

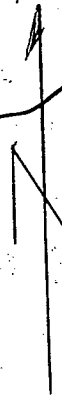
showers all day.

Day 44

Worked on #3 creek 50 ft to 100 ft  
from mouth of creek samples per  
pan approx 10 to 12 specks larger  
than most area's will likely set  
up sluice Box for a day if water  
stays in creek.

See sketch # 2-B

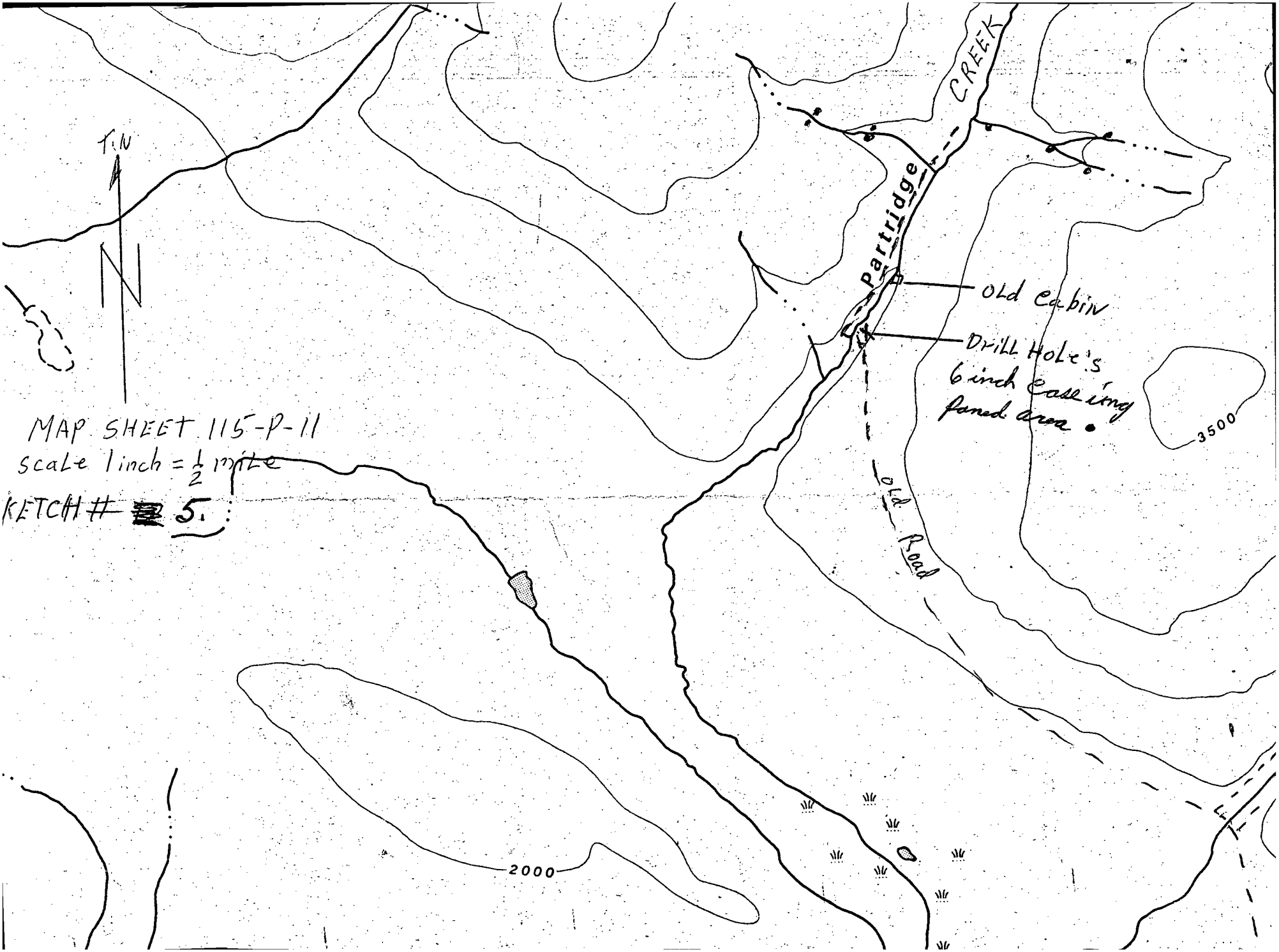
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MAP SHEET 115-P-11

scale 1 inch =  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile

KETCH # ~~1~~ 5.



old cabin

Drill Hole's  
6 inch casing  
faned area •

3500

2000

Partridge

CREEK

Old Road

June 17/94 weather sunny

(40)

Day 45 Went up partridge creek sampled several creeks approx 2 mile up from old cabin see sketch # 5

June 18/94 weather Rain Showers

Day 46 Stayed up partridge creek over night went up creek approx 2 1/2 mile from old cabin panned west & East creeks, went up another mile stayed over night. see sketch # 6 (41)

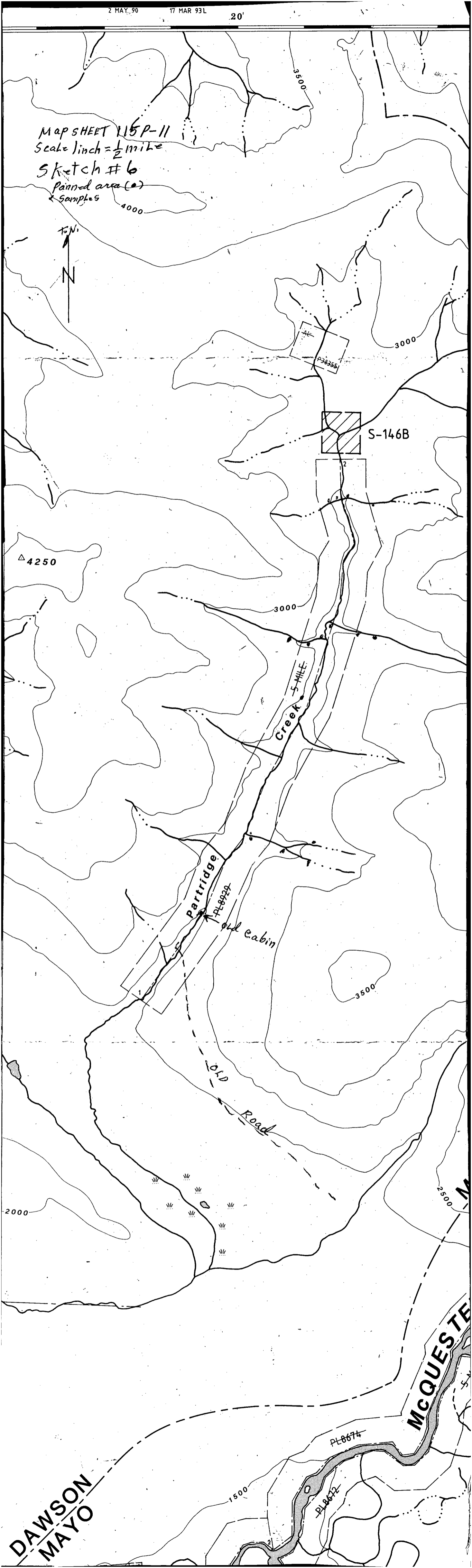
June 19/94 weather Rain showers

Day 47 panned creek East & West. cut out old Road to take (42) 3 wheeler up next time I got a few specks of gold on all creeks approx every 3th pan. Back to base camp. Rock on creek quartz schist see sketch # 6

June 20/94 (43) weather cloudy

Day 48 went down Stewart River with Elmer, to Rosebud creek, took samples for Elmer. He staked a Dredging Lease, water too high for proper sampling. 35 Horse mules, or Boat.

MAP SHEET 115P-11  
 Scale 1 inch = 1/2 mile  
 Sketch # 6  
 Panned area (a)  
 ← Samples



DAWSON  
 MAYO

June 21/94 (44) weather Heavy Rain Showers.  
all day

Day 49 panned out sampler at camp. To  
not to go out prospecting.

June 22/94 (45) weather Showers after noon

Day 50 set up sluice box on creek # 3 50 ft  
up stream from Stewart got about  
1 yard should through, looks about 40 to  
50 dollars per yd, gold at 400.00 per ounce.  
two to 3 ft down frozen ground,  
see sketch # 2-B

June 23/94 (46) weather cloudy.

Day 51 set sluice box up on creek # 2 put  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  yd through ground frozen at 3 ft  
only a few specks of gold have to  
work on it next month cleaned  
off some area so it can throw out.  
see sketch # 2-B

June 24/94 (47) weather Showers late after noon

Day 52 worked on 3 wheeler clutch almost  
finished, have to get parts next month  
panned out sampler at camp.

1 MILE  
PL 1817

Road

45

40

P3143	M2
P3142	M1
P3141	M5
P3140	M4
P3139	M3
P3148	M2
P3147	M1

sampled

EAGLE 3	P34944
EAGLE 2	P34727
EAGLE 1	DISC

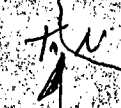
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sampled

old workings  
white clay

sample's

sampled



MAP SHEET 115-P-12  
Scale 2 inch = 1 mile  
Sketch C.1

SLOUGH

1 MILE  
PL 6345

1982	1983
1984	1985
1986	1987
1988	1989
1990	1991
1992	1993
1994	1995
1996	1997
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2022	2023
2024	2025

June 25/94 weather cloudy sunny intervals

Day 53

(48)  
Went in to Slough Creek while clay area  
I sampled in there in 92 old workings  
I took a few more samples, small specks of  
gold very heavy with quartz, it looks  
like white channel, approx 50 ft in ~~width~~  
width? see sketch C.1 west  
of Barlow Lake.

June 26/94 weather Rain all night  
showers all day.

Day 54

(49)  
paned out samples & finished work on  
3 wheelers, its working. worked  
on Books.

June 27/94 weather Rain showers late afternoon

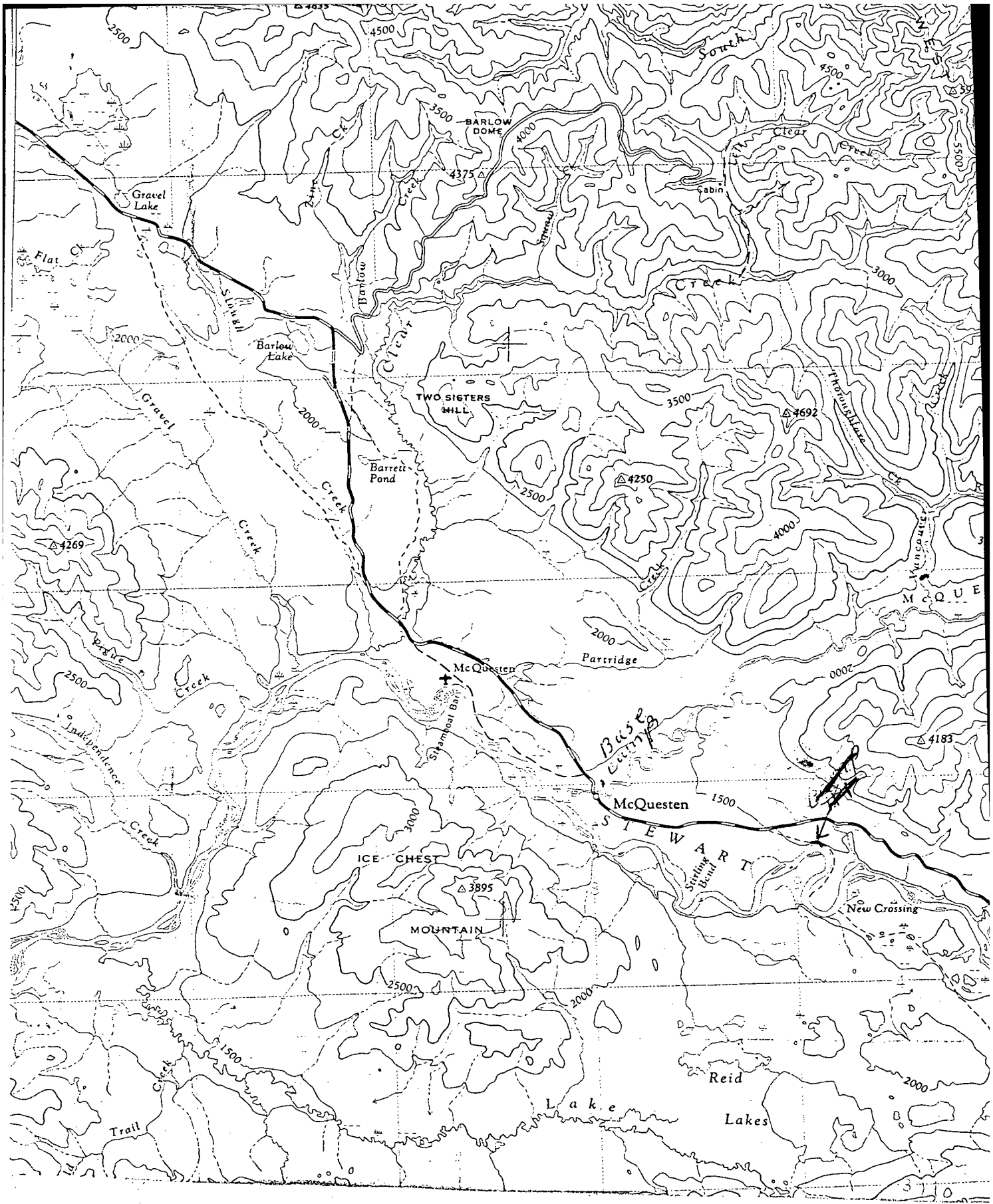
Day 55

(50)  
Went down the Stewart with Elmar  
prospecting Elmar woman was with  
Her name (Hilda) staked a dredging  
Lease, 10 miles, took a few samples, very  
fine gold.

June 28/94 weather cloudy sunny intervals

Day 56

(51)  
Went across Stewart River cutting trail  
up creek #2 I would like to get  
up approx 4 miles glacier at 2000 ft level  
very dirty Bush, I still think there  
is gold up there.



June 29/94 weather a few showers, after noon  
(52)

Day 57 went up to clear creek road in about 4 miles  
Looking for old road to Two Sisters Hill.  
I did not find the old road, I will try  
next month part of the creek I would like  
to get to is on maps sheet 115-P-12 Left Conoc.  
North west Conoc.

June 30/94 weather showers after noon

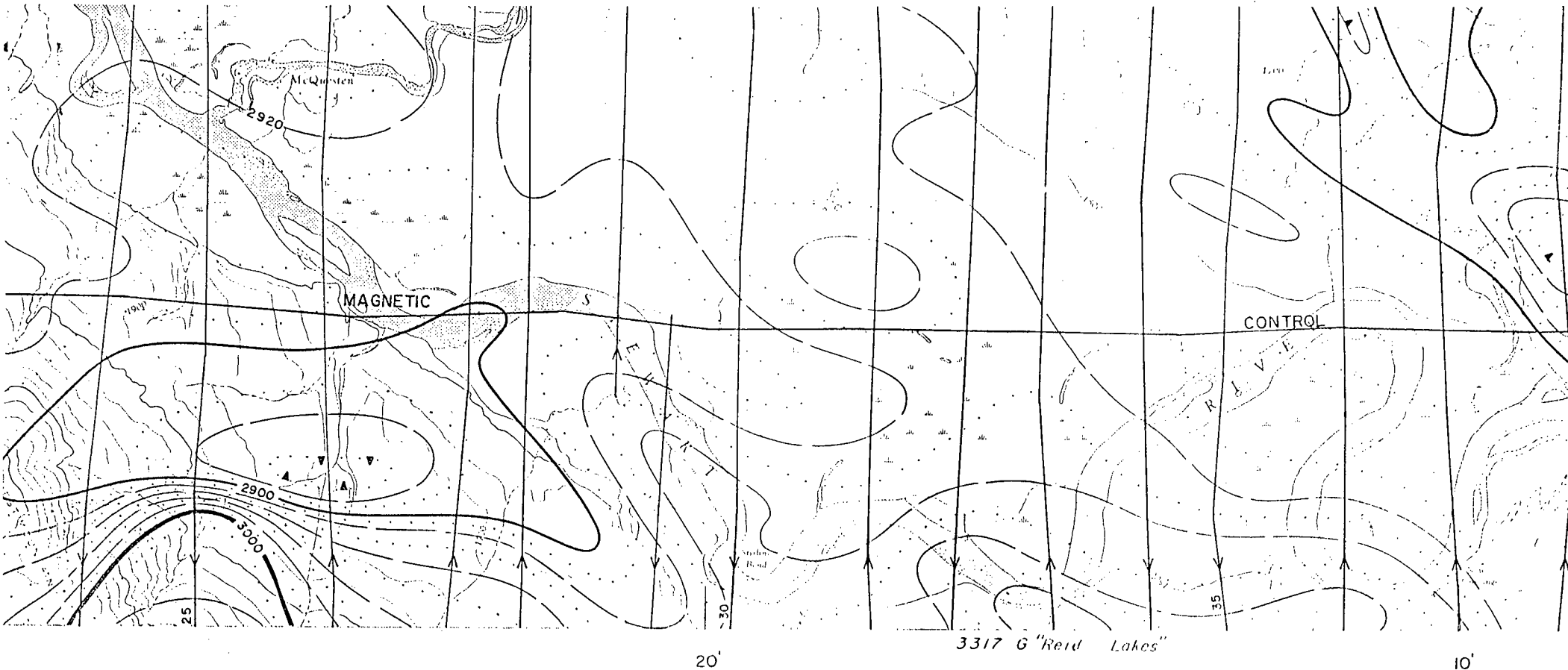
Day 58 Worked on #2 creek sluice Box &  
paning tried to Drill Hole with  
Hand auger, only got down approx  
10 inches, I will likely try  
blasting down later on.  
See sketch # 2-B

July 1/94 weather sunny.

Day 59 sluice Box ing on creek #3 got down  
approx 12 inch in premier Frost, just melting.  
paned out ~~at~~ Takings same as before  
Very fine gold.  
See sketch 2-B

July 2/94 weather sunny. showers after noon.  
(55)

Day 60 worked on building longer sluice Box  
paned out samples at Camp, Whitehouse  
on Sunday out of grub, and money.



MAP 3318G

# McQUESTEN

## YUKON TERRITORY

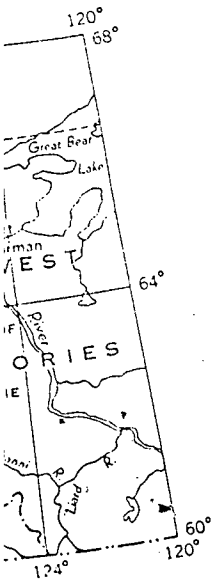
Scale: One Inch to One Mile =  $\frac{1}{63,360}$  Miles



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- ISOMAGNETIC LINES (total field):
- 500 gammas . . . . .
  - 100 gammas . . . . .
  - 20 gammas . . . . .
  - 10 gammas . . . . .
  - Magnetic depression . . . . .
  - Flight lines . . . . .
- Flight altitude: nominally 1000 feet above ground level where terrain permitted.

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July 3/94 weather

(56)

Day 61

There is a mag High on Creek #4  
No Bed Rock along Creek glacier on Creek  
yet ground frozen under Mass. I am  
going to try and get a Hole down. This  
Month. See Mag map attached

to Whitehorse Evening

The next 2 months working on showing  
with the Best gold samples,  
~~115~~ that's Creek # 2-3-4 Map  
Sheet 115p-11 & prospecting up  
Lake Creek Map Sheet 115p-6 + 5  
plus East side of Ice Chest mt.  
Better detail Map at end of season,  
End of sept 94

Expense. July 3/94

60 Days prospecting \$52.85 per day. \$ 3171.00  
Hired man \$1000.00 per month  
60 days James Mc Lay \$ 2000.00

Boat for 3 months Rent plus 1000.00  
motor for 2 months Rent plus 9.8 1000.00

60 days two way Radio phone 2 months 500.00

Truck transportation 38.54 per K.M.

1 trip Whitehorse to Dawson Return 412.72

1 trip Whitehorse to McQuesten Return 335.72

total 8,219.44  
Hold Check for pick up.

Meryl v. Currie.



Scale 2 inch = 1 mile  
Sketch # C.2

IRIS NO. 1  
P15505  
IRIS NO. 2  
P15583

115P-11

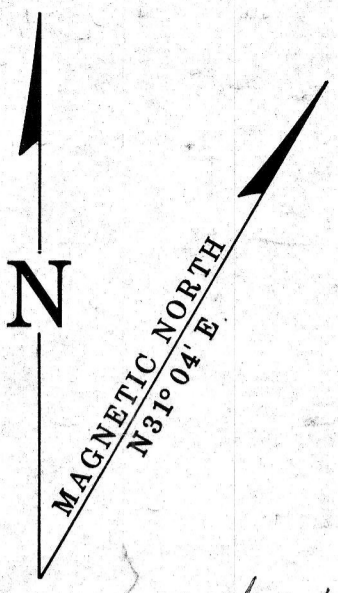
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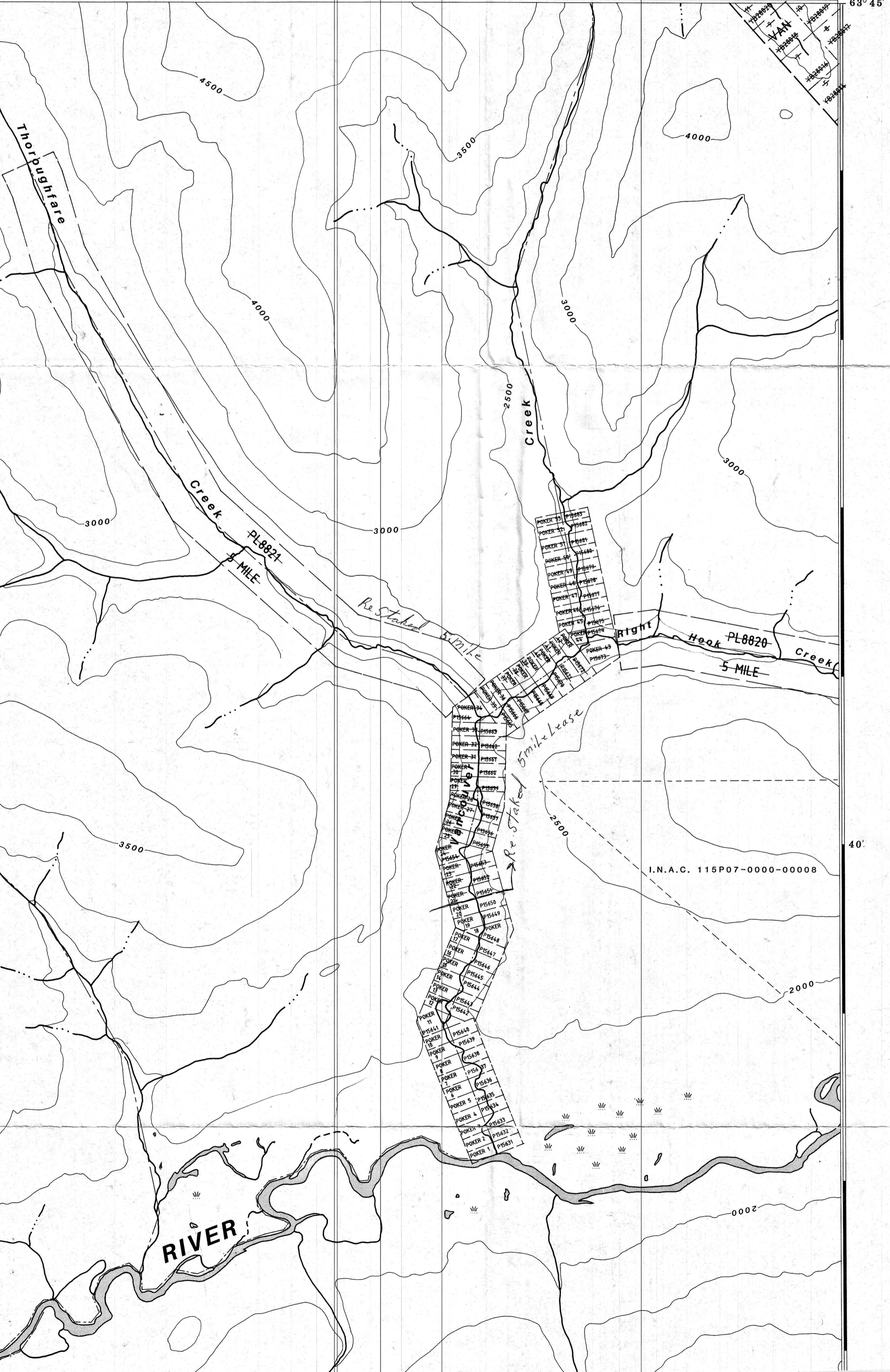
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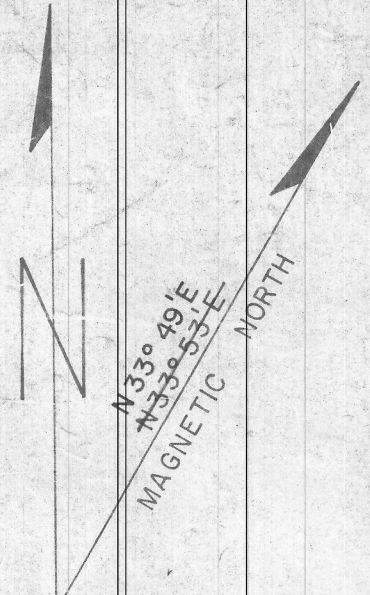
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115-0-16	115-P-13	115-P-14
115-0-9	115-P-12	115-P-11
115-0-8	115-P-5	115-P-6

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Sketch # C.3.

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Boundary of R-2 mostly covered by Placer claims

