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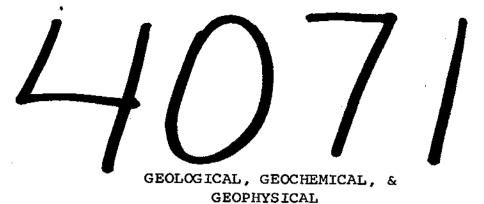
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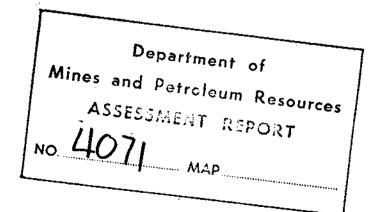
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#### INTRODUCTION

Giant Explorations Limited (N.P.L.) and Mascot Copper Mines Limited (N.P.L.) are carrying out a comprehensive exploration program in the area surrounding the Old Settler Mountain. The property consists of 530 mineral claims, and it is bounded on the west by Harrison Lake, on the south by Bear Creek, on the north by the Cogburn Creek Valley, and on the east by the Giant Nickel Mine.

As a result of exploration work carried out in 1970 and 1971, seven target areas were chosen for detailed investigation in the 1971 season, detailed work was completed on six of the areas. The last area, outlined late in the 1971 season, was examined in 1972, and one of the completed six target areas was re-examined. Surveyed grids were established and this was followed by geological mapping, together with geochemical and geophysical surveys.

This report describes that portion of the 1972 detailed work program completed on target area No. 7. between May 23, 1972 and October 15, 1972.

### MAP AND GRID CO-ORDINATE SYSTEMS

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The co-ordinate system used on the maps which accompany this report are north and west extrapolations of the Giant Nickel Mine co-ordinates. The numbers on the map represent the distance in feet north (N) and west (W) of the zero point established at the mine site.

The surveyed line grids use a five digit computer format for each station location. The first digit represents the target area number, the second two digits represent the line number and the last two digits represent the station number. For example, 7-34-05 represents Station No. 5 on line 34 in grid area No. 7.

#### LINE CUTTING

The surveyed grids on each target area were established in the following manner:

An initial base station point was chosen which could be located accurately on air photos and government topographic maps. From this base station, base lines were surveyed using a compass transit with tripod and a survey chain. The base line was cut with axes and marked with colour coded ribbons and parallel lines established at 400 ft. horizontal intervals. Each grid line was run from the base line using a compass, a chain and a clinometer for slope corrections. The grid lines were blazed and flagged and undergrowth cut where necessary. Individual stations were established at 100 ft. intervals along the grid lines with pickets and colour coded ribbon. Elevations were taken at each station using Thommen altimeters. Claim posts adjacent to grid lines were tied into the grid.

#### GEOCHEMICAL SURVEY

Geochemical soil samples were taken at 200 ft. intervals along the cross lines. In addition, silt samples were taken at streams which crossed the grid lines. The B soil horizon was sampled wherever possible. A mattock was used for trenching and the sample was placed in Kraft wetstrength envelopes using a trowel. All sample locations were flagged and marked with colour coded ribbon and numbered according to the grid co-ordinate system.

Fraser Laboratories Ltd., 1175 West 15th., Street, North Vancouver, assayed the samples for total nickel and copper using the following procedure: One-half gram of the -80 mesh fraction was digested with nitric and perchloric acid. The samples were heated until the perchloric acid was consumed. This was followed by bulking the sample to standard volume. Values for nickel and copper were obtained with an atomic absorption spectrometer.

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#### MAGNETOMETER SURVEY

The magnetometer surveys of the grid areas were carried out using a MacPhar M700 magnetometer as a field instrument and a "Sharpe" Model A2 vertical force magnetometer as a base station control instrument. The base station instrument was located at the base camp well away from any metallic objects and variable power sources. This instrument was read hourly. A reading was taken at each 100 ft. station on the grid lines with the field instrument. The time was noted for each reading in the field book. At the end of each survey day the field readings were corrected using the diurnal graph plotted from the base station data.

#### GEOLOGICAL MAPPING

Geological mapping on the target area was carried out by Mr. R. Gonzalez, B.Sc., M.Sc. (Geology) and Mr. B. Yorston, B.Sc. (Geology). A summary of their combined work on Area 7, as written by Mr. Gonzalez, follows:

#### INTRODUCTION

Geological mapping of Area 7 has been completed on a detail target-area basis using both grid-line and loop traverses. Because the topography is rugged, with abundant cliffs, the use of grid lines for mapping control was limited to the valley bottom and lower slopes. Daily loop traverses, from a fly camp, using aerial photographs and compass and chain for control, were used to map the ridge tops and upper slopes. This report deals only with the lower part of Area 7 that is covered with grid lines.

Sulfide mineralization, pyrrhotite and chalcopyrite, occurs as disseminated and interstitial grains within bodies of hornblendic pyroxenite.

#### LOCATION AND ACCESS

Area 7 is located on the south side of Cogburn Creek just west of Area 4. Elevations vary from 1200 feet to over 3500 feet.

Access to the area is by foot along an old logging road that is over-grown by 8-10 year old alder trees. In mid-October this road was bulldozed open by the logging operation to gain access to a fire; vehicle access to Area 7 is now available.

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#### GEOLOGY - ROCK TYPES

Although examination of Area 7 has indicated scattered outcrops, a fairly detailed mapping of the rocks and structures and general prospecting have been conducted. Rock exposures amount to less than 5 percent of the total areal extent of the area.

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#### DIORITE

This unit is the most abundant rock type, and represents more than 90% of the exposed rock. The diorite is not much unlike the diorite found in other target areas. It is generally gray, medium-grained, equigranular, hornblende diorite, the hornblende content varies from 40 to 80%, usually about 50%. Magnetite is usually absent, but locally shows sporadic distribution. It is interesting to note that the diorite becomes more leucocratic away from the diorite-pyroxenite contacts.

#### PYROXENITE

Pyroxenite is the next most common rock type. Generally it occurs as small isolated bodies or as large elongate bodies. For the most part the elongate bodies are made up of the hornblendic phase. It is coarse-grained and dark brownish black hornblende pyroxenite. The poikilitic texture is commonly visible, and the poikilitic hornblende crystals are unaltered. Non-poikilitic hornblende crystals may locally show minor chlorite alteration. Sulfides are commonly present only in the hornblende pyroxenites. Sulfide mineralization is impressive, both pyrrhotite and chalcopyrite are present. Pyrrhotite occurs as lacy interstitial material and as clusters, disseminated pyrrhotite is rare. Chalcopyrite is only associated with pyrrhotite and almost exclusively found in the centre of the pyrrhotite.

#### HORNBLENDITE

There are probably at least two types of hornblendite. The most common type is composed of large, 5 mm., black hornblende crystals with plagioclase feldspar filling the remaining spaces. This rock type appears to occupy a contact zone between the diorite and pyroxenite; it is usually slightly mineralized. Hornblendite dykes are found cutting the pyroxenites. The composition and textures of the dykes vary from almost entirely fine- to coarse-grained black hornblende to coarsegrained black hornblende with interstitial gray coloured plagioclase. Normally the dykes are unmineralized.

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#### INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS

#### Geochemical Survey

High values in nickel and copper occur at several localities and are anomalous for this area. For the most part these anomalous areas outline the near surface existence of nickel-copper mineralization concentrated in ultrabasic rocks.

#### Geophysical Survey

The magnetometer survey indicated a strong northsouth trend within the area. This trend maybe caused by either structures or more likely by long narrow ultramafic bodies.

#### Geological Mapping

Although outcrops are few and scattered it is suggested that ultramafics are present in two forms; isolated bodies a few tens of feet in diameter and as long narrow bodies with their long axis trending north-south.

#### Conclusion

A ground Turam Survey over Area 7 outlined several anomalous areas. These anomalous areas also have coincident high geochemical values and high magnetometer responce; they are also on or near geologicaly favourable ground. One such coincident anomaly was drilled with two short X-ray drill holes, and the results are favourable enough to warrant more drilling.

#### PERSONNEL

Line cutting and geological mapping, on part of 316 Group, was carried out under the writer's supervision from May 23, 1972 to August 9, 1972. The personnel were as follows:

| Harry Bruce         | 4474 W 5th., Ave., Vancouver, B.C.                   |
|---------------------|--|
| Gill Gesser         | 5012 Roslyn Ave., Montreal, Quebec.                  |
| Dorothy Gonzalez    | <pre>#1-1621 St. Georges Ave., North Van., B.C</pre> |
| Ralph Gonzalez      | <pre>#1-1621 St. Georges Ave., North Van., B.C</pre> |
| Michael Rosentzveig | 4805 Circle Road, Montreal, Quebec.                  |
| Dave Marley         | 588 Alpine Cresent, North Vancouver, B.C.            |
| Bob Yorston         | 10045 - 161 Street, Surrey, B.C.                     |

The personnel involved with the Geochemical and Magnetometer survey were as follows: (Aug., 31, - Sept., 27, 1972)

Brad Hoglanc/o Pretty's Timber Ltd., Harrison Lake,<br/>B.C.Don McCool2073 West Keith Rd., North Vancouver, B.CDoug MacKinnon2949 West 4th., Ave., Vancouver, B.C.Bob Yorston10045 - 161 Street, Surrey, B.C.

#### EXPENDITURES

A cost statement regarding work done on the 316

Group.

Geological mapping and line cutting, May 23rd, to August 9th, 1972.

#### Crew

| Harry Bruce         | 13 days @ \$24/day | \$312.00   |
|---------------------|--------------------|------------|
| Gill Gesser         | 17 days @ \$22/day | 374.00     |
| Dorothy Gonzalez    | 2 days @ \$20/day  | 40.00      |
| Ralph Gonzalez      | 10 days @ \$40/day | 400.00     |
| Dave Marley         | l day @ \$22/day   | 22.00      |
| Michael Rosentzveig | 13 days @ \$22/day | 286.00     |
| Bob Yorston         | l day @ \$34/day   | 34.00      |
|                     | Labour costs       | \$1,468.00 |

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# Geochemical and Geophysical Surveys

| August 31, - September 2nd. September 22, - Sep  | ptember 27.                   |
|--|-------------------------------|
| Brad Hoglan4 days @ \$20/dayDon McCool3 days @ \$20/dayDoug MacKinnon3 days @ \$20/dayBob Yorston4 days @ \$34/day |                               |
| GEOLOGICAL MAPPING & LINE CUTTING  |                               |
| Vehicle Rental   |                               |
| Truck rental 17 days @ \$9/day   | \$153.00                      |
| Room and Board 45 man days @\$17/day   | 765.00                        |
| Labour (Line cutting)  | <u>1,012.00</u><br>\$1,930.00 |
| \$1,930.00 x 0.6 (spent on%708-710 Fr claims)=   | \$1,158.00                    |
| Labour (Geological mapping)<br>\$400.00 x 0.6 (spent on%708-710 Fr claims)=<br>(Geological Mapping)                | 400.00<br>240.00<br>54.00     |
| χ.   | \$1,452.00                    |
| GEOCHEMISTRY AND GEOPHYSICS  |                               |
| Vehicle Rental Truck rental 7 days @ \$9/day   | \$ 63.00                      |
| Room and board 14 man days @\$17/day   | 238.00                        |
| Labour   | 3,36.00                       |
| A <b>ssay</b> ing 90 soil samples @\$1.70/sample<br>assayed for Ni & Cu  | 153.00                        |
| Report preparation R. Gonzalez 2 days<br>@ \$40/day  | 80.00                         |
| - · · •  | \$870.00                      |

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Declared before me at the Cuty Calph Longolez of *Andereceiter*, in the Province of Erlish Columbia, this 27 of alcember 1972AD. day of

A Commissioner for taking Affidavits within British Columbia or A Sotary Public in and for the Province of British Columbia. Sub-mining Recorder

#### CERTIFICATE

I, Ralph A. Gonzalez of the city of North Vancouver

in the Province of British Columbia hereby certify:

- That I am engaged in work as a Geologist and reside at #1-1621 St. Georges Ave., North Vancouver, British Columbia.
- 2. That I am presently employed by Giant Mascot Mines Limited.
- 3. That I have personally done work on the 316 Group of claims.
- That I have practiced as a geologist in British Columbia for over four years.
- That I am a graduate of the University of New Mexico with both a Bachelor of Science and a Master of Science degree in Geology.

DATED this eighteenth day of December , 1972.

Signed

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Ralph A. Gonzalez Geologist.

# Submitted on behalf of

GIANT EXPLORATIONS LIMITED (N.P.L.)

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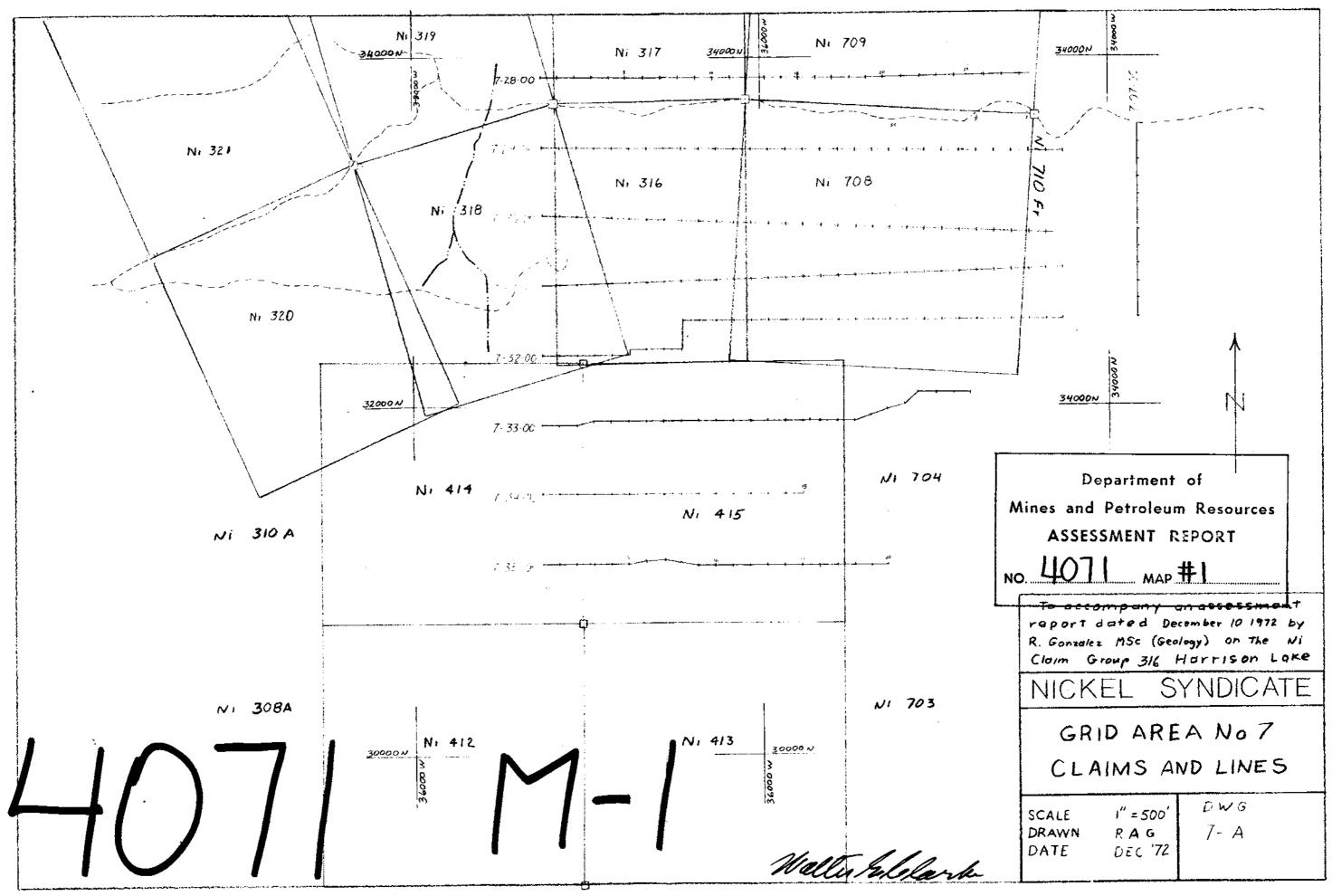
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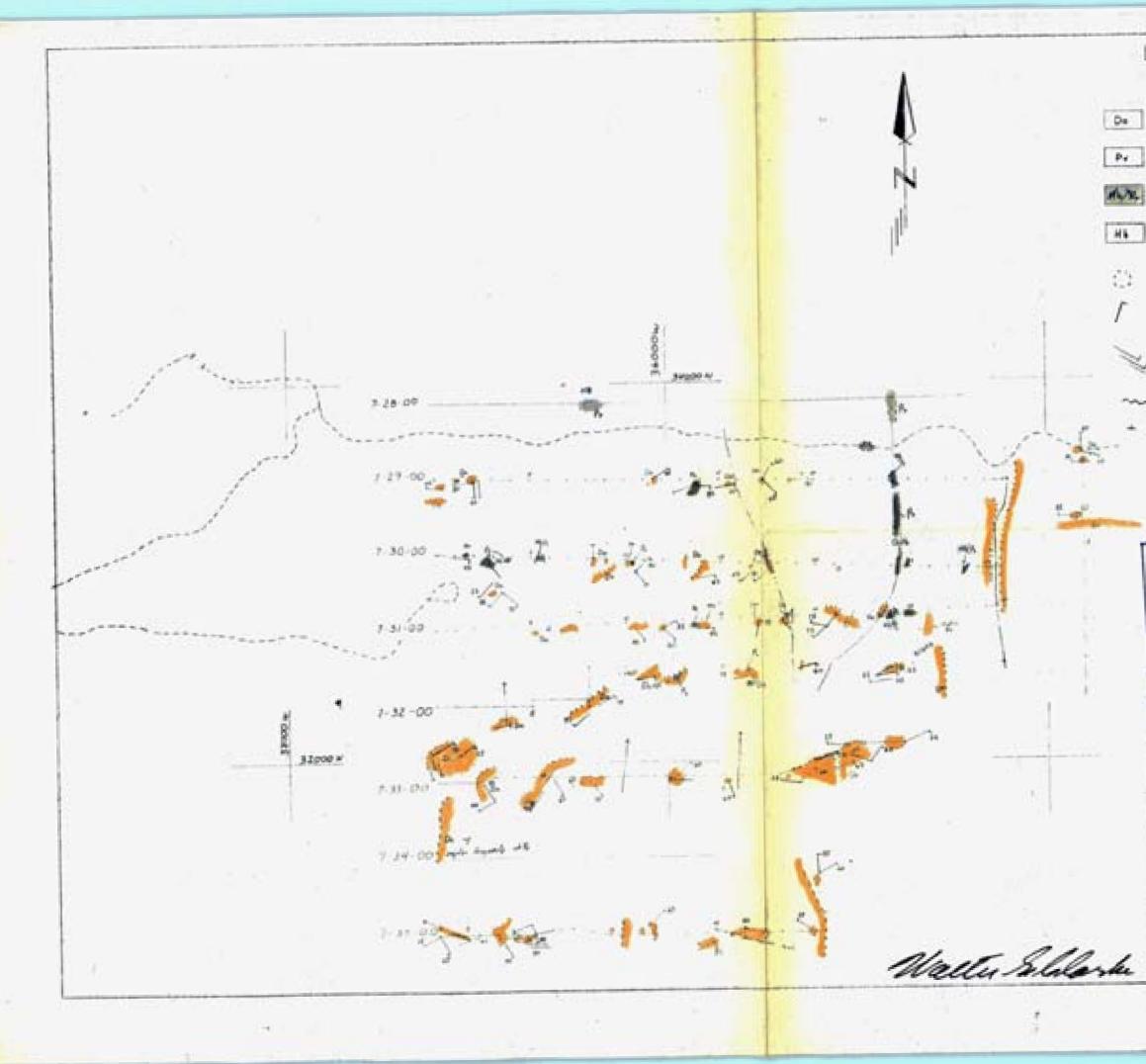
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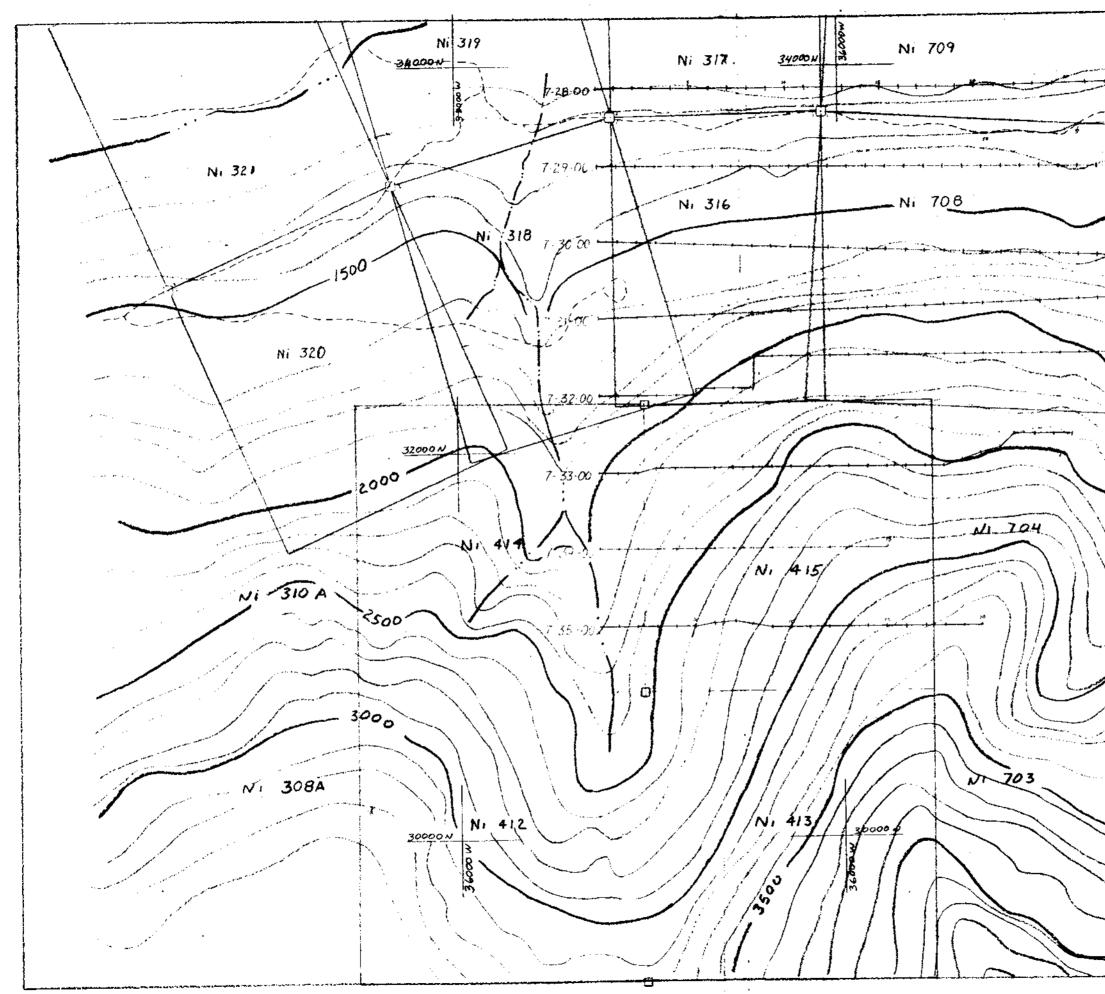




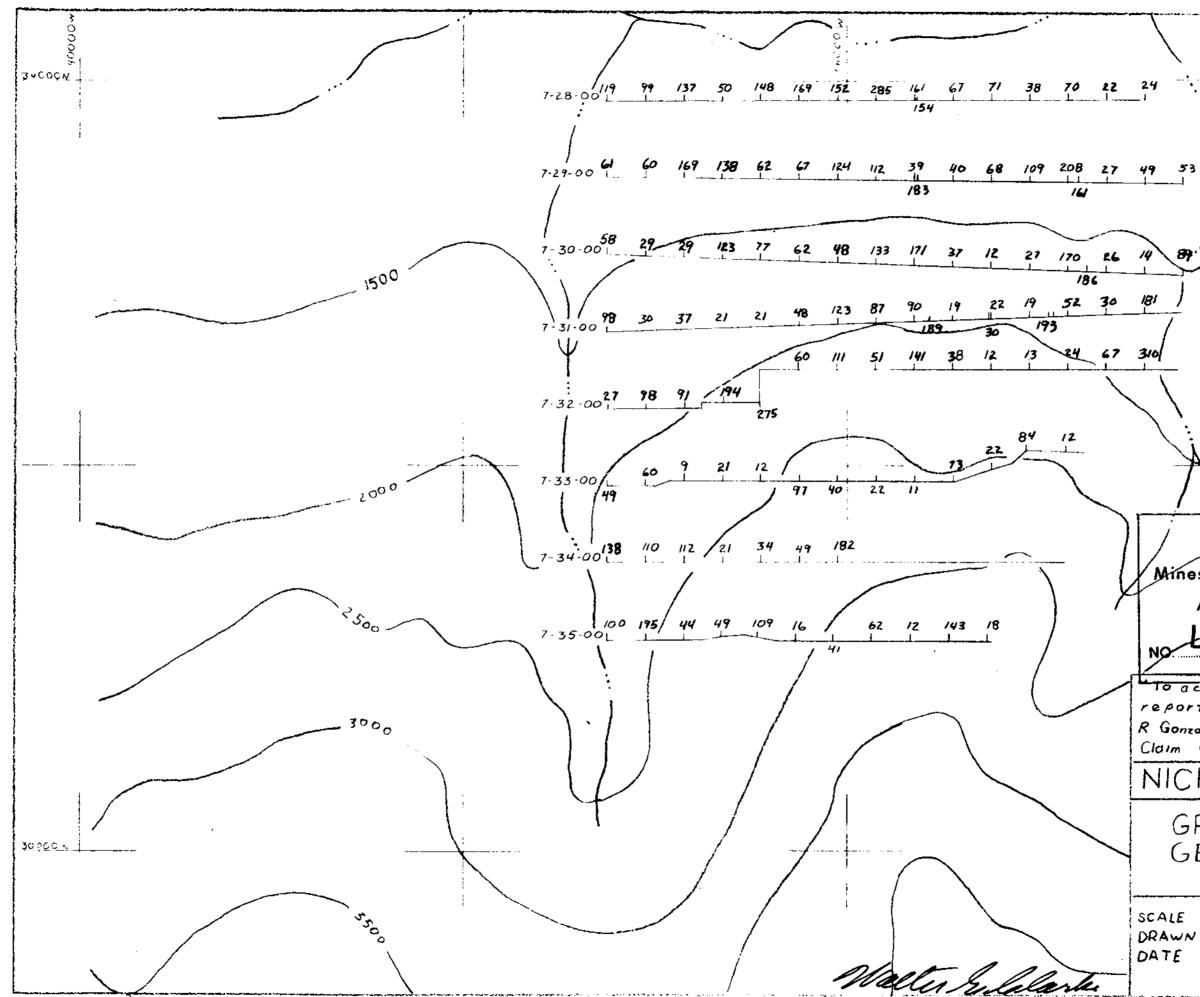
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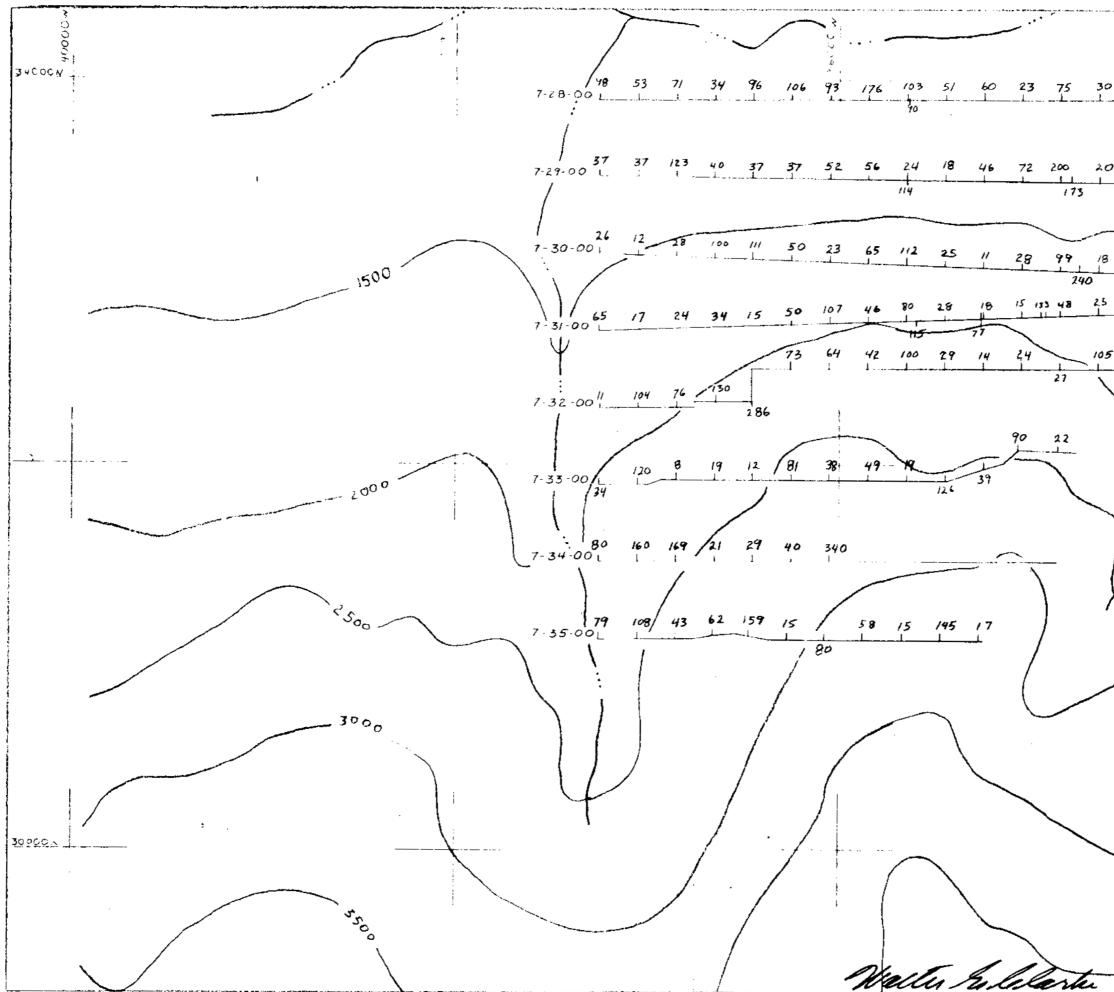
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