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Progress Report on the Won Claims and Mag-E.M. anomaly Follow-up.

Bill:

As of today work on the Won claims is approximately two thirds complete. Work has progressed slowly mainly due to poor terrain (i.e. swamps, windfall), presence of permafrost and equipment problems.

The augers are virtually useless in permafrost. All they do once they hit it is spin and bring a little organic material to the surface. The pressure needed on the augers to penetrate is greater than one man can apply. The men find mattocks or picks about the most effective sampling tool.

The men are first doing the geochem and tagging of claim posts and ^{the} mag survey later. This will enable the survey (mag) to be done in the shortest possible time and allow more $\frac{1}{2}$ rapid tie-in to base stations.

Thus far Randy and I have checked on Anomalies #1, #2 and #4. Traverses were done so that we passed over anomalous areas doing geochem and mapping as we went.

Thus far nothing of significance has been noted in any of the areas. Geochem assays should soon be in at which time I'll be able to evaluate the areas more thoroughly.

Randy & I plan to move to the Win claims and proceed with the work there. Later we will be joined by Party B and C. We hope to be completed all the work by June 29 or thereabouts. After June 29 we plan to set up base camp for the July - August geochem program which I hope to begin about July 3.

When I get out of the claims I'll be in contact with you by phone.

Werner.