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THE LUCKY STRIKE PROPERTY

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Cordova Precinct

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The showings are similar to those prevailing throughout the district. They consist of quartz veins sheeted in the country rock which is interbedded slate and graywacke. The veins follow the strike of the beds and very little fissuring is evident. Movement has been parallel to the bedding planes and no brecciated zones were noticed. Some of the veins are pure quartz while others are composed of a stock work of quartz veinlets and graywacke. Arsenopyrite is present locally.

Specimens can be found along the fault plane in the Stringer tunnel which show free gold. The vein zones are relatively large. One, the Lucky Strike, shows a width of 30 feet where it has been cross-cut by a tunnel.

Four veins have been developed to a limited extent. Lucky Strike vein has been opencut on the surface and undercut at a depth of 70 feet below the surface. A short drift was driven on the Porcupine vein. The Bluff ledge has been trenched across. An incline drift was driven for 100 feet on the Stringer vein. The Tip Top lode has been faced off. An adit tunnel designed to cut all vein zones at a depth of 1,000 feet below the surface has been started and was advanced 135 feet at the time of visit.

The property is ideally located as regards topography, natural resources, and climate. The veins are large and a large tonnage could be developed cheaply. The project depends, however, upon the gold content of the ore.

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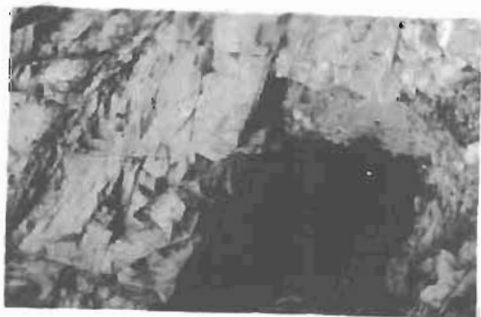
Tip Top showing.

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Porcupine Tunnel



Stringer Tunnel

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View of Lucky Strike Mountain and dump of adit tunnel.

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*Samples taken in  
presence of Scott Malone, partner*

(15.6, 8.4)

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60°27'N

145°13'W

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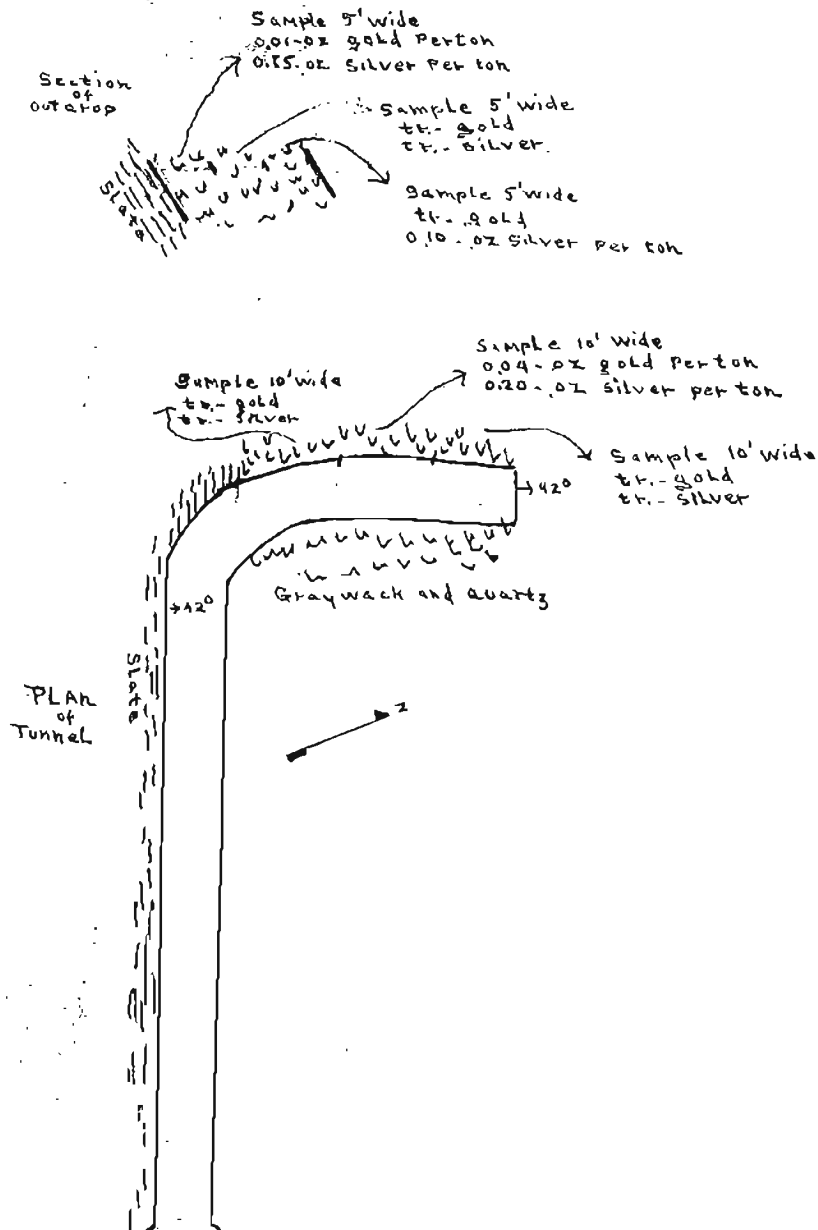


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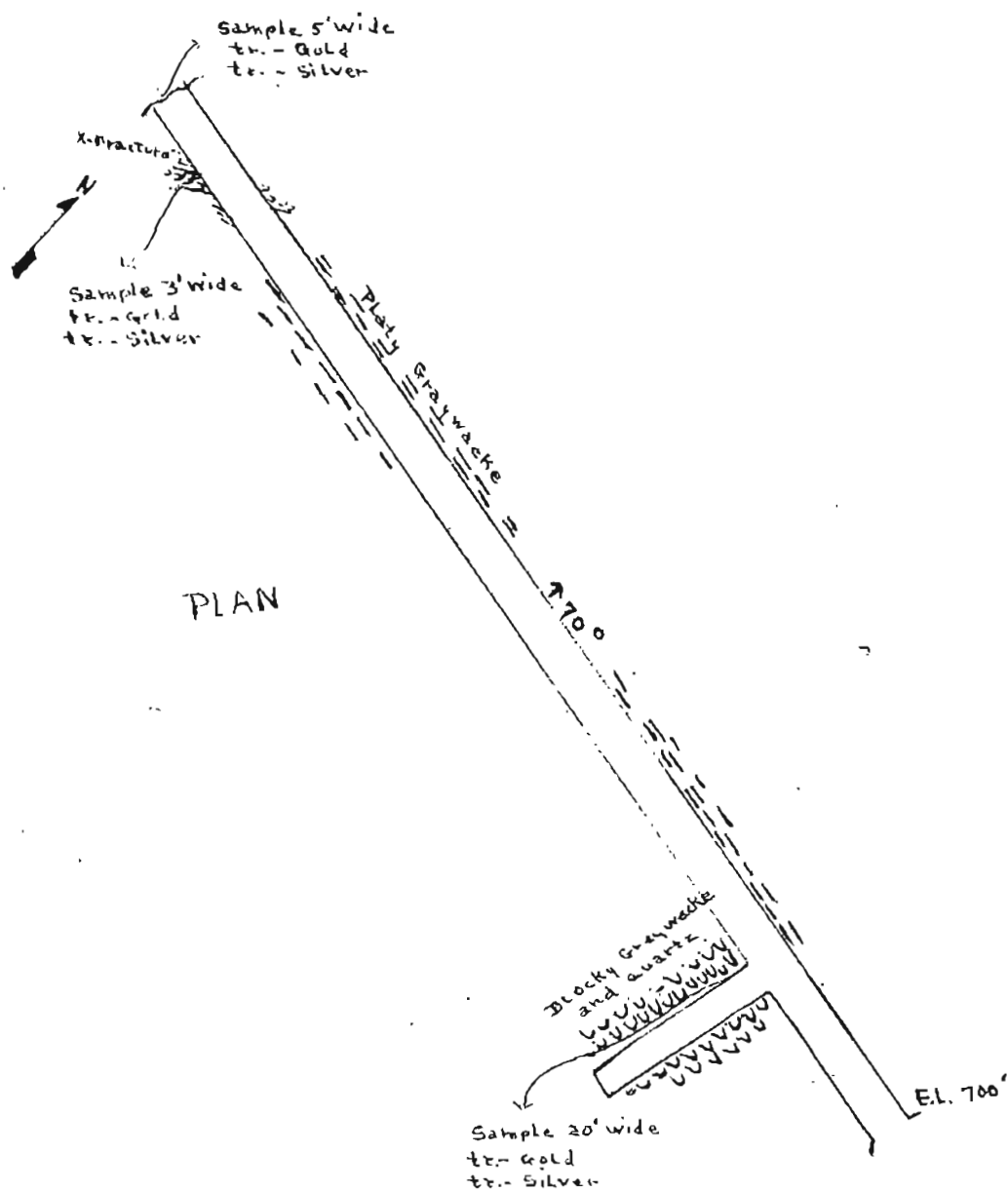
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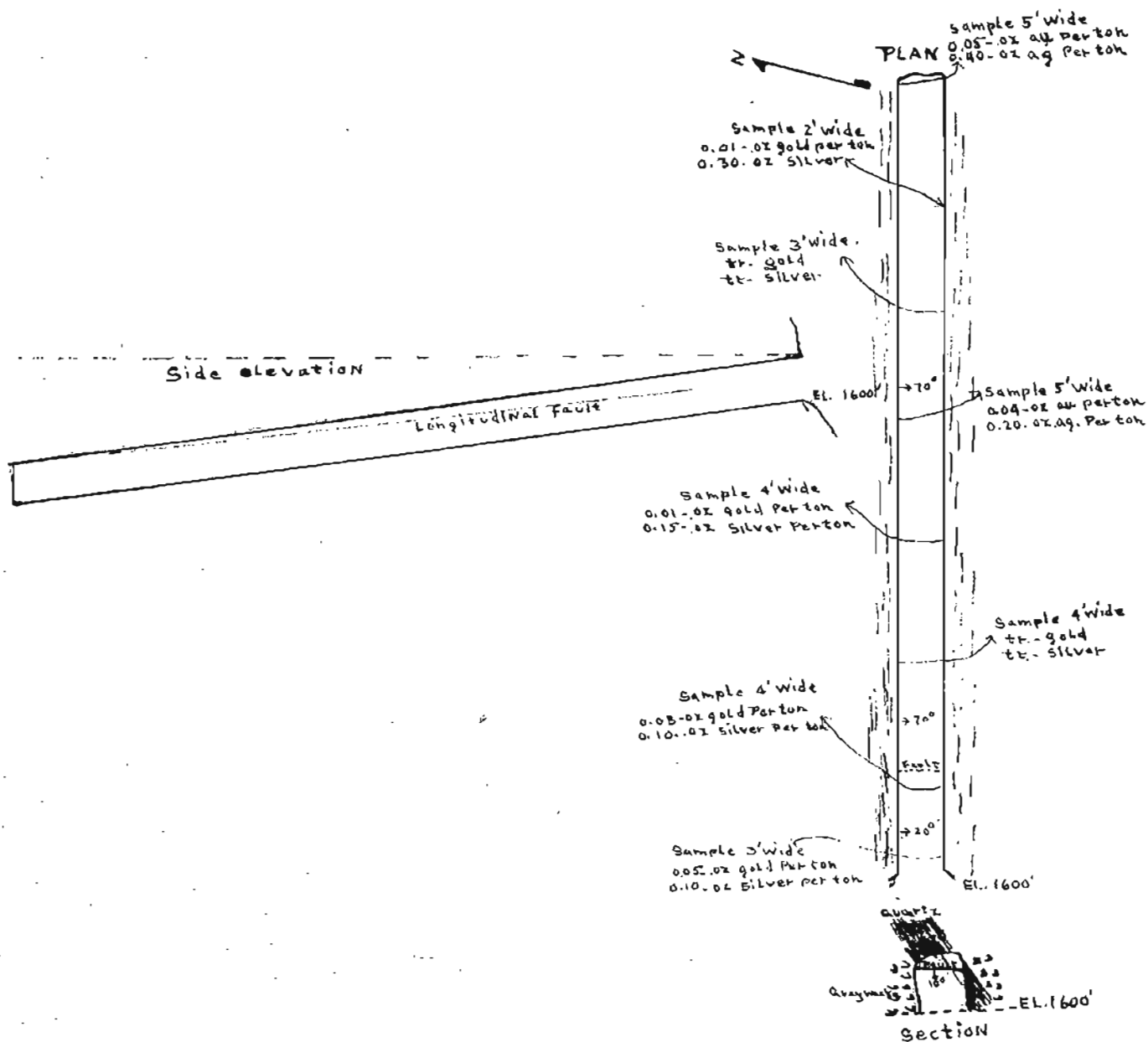
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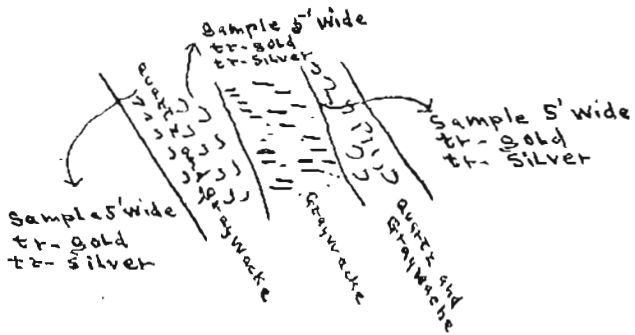


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# Section of Tip Top Showing



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Bluff outcrop-Porcupine tunnel-Tip Top showing

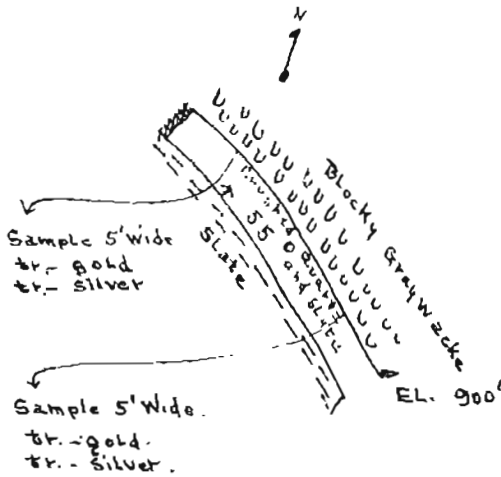
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## PLAN of Porcupine Tunnel



## Bluff outcrop

