

COLORADO CULTURAL RESOURCE SURVEY
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Historic Archaeological Component Form
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Use this form in conjunction with the *Management Data Form*. This form should be completed for each historical resource with archaeological potential.

Does this form pertain to the site in general? Yes X No _____

OR

a particular feature/structure (please note feature/structure number) _____

1. Resource Number: 5ST982 2. Temporary Resource Number: _____

3. Site/Feature Type: Logging Camp

4. General Site/Feature Description: In 1888, the Victoria Mining Company built a sawmill in Bull Gulch and heavily logged the area until 1893, when it sold its assets to the Wapiti Mining Company. To maintain a flow of logs to the mill, the Victoria company established several satellite camps for its workers. The logging camp site was just such a camp, and it consisted of two residential cabins, currently reduced to foundations and logs, and a log stable, most of which stands. The residents excavated two shallow pits for privies between the cabins and threw their solid refuse there. Regardless, meaningful buried archaeological deposits are unlikely. Several unrelated prospects lie upslope from the cabin remnants. The site possesses poor integrity and is recommended ineligible. For a detailed site history, description, and interpretation, see the report noted below.

5. Historic Component Date(s) and/or Sociopolitical Period: Late 1880s-Early 1890s

Justification: Workers used a combination of cut- and wire nails to assemble woodwork in all of the structures. All of the fragmented bottles were manufactured by hand, and at least four bottles featured applied finishes, which was a method bottle companies phased out during the 1880s. The group of food cans offers almost twice as many hole-in-cap vessels assembled with lapped side-seams as those made with inner-rolled side-seams.

6. Component Function(s): Logging Camp

Original Use: Logging Camp

Present Use: None

Comments: _____

7. Ethnic affiliation of occupants: Unknown

Justification: Lack of ethnic indicators

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