

These six specimens were stolen from the Mineral Hall of the Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History in an early morning break-in on December 10, 2011. Anyone with information regarding these specimens should contact Officer Gary Gaston ([ggaston@sbpd.com](mailto:ggaston@sbpd.com)) of the Santa Barbara Police Department. The case number is 11-85616.



Faceted benitoite (2.90 carats; 5x7x5 mm)  
Benitoite Gem mine, California



Benitoite and neptunite (8 x 12.5 in.)  
Benitoite Gem mine, California



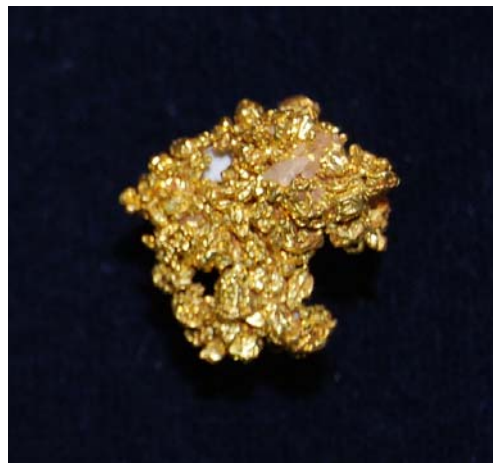
Gold nugget (1.27 oz. troy)  
American River, California



Crystallized gold on quartz (no size given)  
California



Gold nugget (2.93 oz. troy)  
American River, California



Crystallized gold (< 1 oz. troy)  
Grass Valley, California