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(228) Item

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PROPERTY NAME: Tip Top Mine

OTHER NAMES: \_\_\_\_\_

MINERAL COMMODITY(IES): Au (?)TYPE OF DEPOSIT: Hydrothermal/~~chert~~ACCESSIBILITY: See map, short hike from good dirt road

OWNERSHIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PRODUCTION: None

HISTORY: \_\_\_\_\_

County: NyeMining District: Bare MountainAMS Sheet: Death ValleyQuad Sheet: Bare Mountain 15'Sec. 18, T 12S, R 48ECoordinate (UTM): See Below

North

East

Zone

+11

DEVELOPMENT: NoneACTIVITY AT TIME OF EXAMINATION: Below workings and to the north, the slope had recently been drilled.

GEOLOGY: Sample site 1040 A & B is a partially caved adit, stoped 30 feet above, and trenched S60W. The workings are in a medium grey, fine grained, cherty dolomite which has box works and limonite staining (Fluorspar Canyon Formation, Devonian). The workings total approximately 200 feet. and appear to be following a brecciated fault zone. Traversing the slope between sample sites 1040 and 1041, the area is pock-marked with shallow prospect pits and trenches, some showing crystalline quartz in the fractures in the dolomite breccia. At sample site 1041, 3 workings are in a line N20W following the contact between the dolomite and a 20 foot wide vertical dike of Tertiary rhyolite. The glassy intrusive was bleached, fractures, and iron-manganese stained.

REMARKS: Sample 1040 A & B    N4083600    E0531200  
1041                    N4083700    E0530950

REFERENCES: \_\_\_\_\_

EXAMINER: SmithDATE VISITED: 4/22/82