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PROPERTY NAME: B & B Mine

OTHER NAMES:

MINERAL COMMODITY(IES): Hg

TYPE OF DEPOSIT: Opalite

ACCESSIBILITY:

OWNERSHIP:

PRODUCTION: 2659 flasks thru 1943

HISTORY: Disc 1925

County: Esmeralda (89) Item 25

Mining District: Fish Lake Valley

AMS Sheet: Mariposa

Quad Sheet: Benton 15'

Sec. 1 1S 33E  
T. R.

Coordinate (UTM):

North 4 1 9 4 1 0 0 m

East 0 3 8 9 9 6 0 m

Zone +11

DEVELOPMENT:

ACTIVITY AT TIME OF EXAMINATION: U.S. Steel active in area (geologic mapping)

GEOLOGY: N70°E shear zone w/cinnabar, HgCl, on open fractures, rock brecciated, wide zone of solution movement, alteration about structure, wall rock opalized, rock silicified, brecciated, also N30°E structures, fluffy silica in open spaces in solution channels wall rock are fall tuff.

Sample 1243

Photos.

REMARKS: See NBMG Bull 41, p. 67 for description of old workings, etc.

REFERENCES: NBMG Bull 41, 1944.

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