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PROPERTY NAME: War Cloud Property

OTHER NAMES:

MINERAL COMMODITY(IES): Hg

TYPE OF DEPOSIT: Disseminated?

ACCESSIBILITY:

OWNERSHIP:

PRODUCTION: Very little, if any

HISTORY:

(233) Item 17

County: Nye

Mining District: Jackson

AMS Sheet: Millet

Quad Sheet: South Shoshone Peak 15'

Sec. _____, T 14N, R 39E
(unsurveyed)

Coordinate (UTM):

North	4	3	2	4	0	7	5	m
East	0	4	5	3	0	1	0	m
Zone	11							

DEVELOPMENT: 400 m of bulldozer trench and a 10m adit (portal caved) at the north end of the trenches.

ACTIVITY AT TIME OF EXAMINATION: None

GEOLOGY: The geology is essentially that described by Bonham (1970). I was unable to find any cinnabar. However, I remember observing painty films on argillized Tertiary Tuff in the trench on the hillside during a 1969 visit with H.F. Bonham. The wallrock is argillically altered over a considerable area (possibly the unit is altered everywhere). Iron-stained fractures are common, especially near the short adit, where sample 412 was taken. However, no mercury mineralization was observed.

In addition, a series of pits along a N75W, 75SW fault zone suggests that this is the main mineralized zone. However no cinnabar was seen.

REMARKS: Sample 412 at short adit. Photo 26 of bulldozer cut on hillside, with N75W trenches above it.

REFERENCES: Bonham, H.F. Jr. (1970) Geologic map and sections of a part of the Shoshone Mountains, Lander and Nye Counties, Nevada: Nevada Bureau of Mines & Geology Map 38.

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