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237 Item 3

PROPERTY NAME: WC-TH Claims

County: Nye

OTHER NAMES:

Mining District: Lee

MINERAL COMMODITY(IES): AU, AG

AMS Sheet: Death Valley

TYPE OF DEPOSIT: Vein (?)

Quad Sheet: Big Dune 15'

ACCESSIBILITY: See map, road good

Sec. Uns. T 15S R 47E

OWNERSHIP:

Coordinate (UTM):

PRODUCTION: None to small

North

4 0 5 6 5 0 0 m

HISTORY:

East

0 5 2 5 3 0 0 m

Zone

+11

DEVELOPMENT: None

ACTIVITY AT TIME OF EXAMINATION: None

GEOLOGY: Sample site consists of N10E, approximately 200-300 foot adit with remains of old rail system and cribbing around the portal. The 3 shafts shown on the map are caved. The workings appear to be in the C member of the Stirling Quartzite (Precambrian). The rocks are light greenish grey, $\text{FeO}_x\text{-MnO}_2$ stained shales and siltstones. Also occurring are fine-grained garnetiferous muscovite schists with minor malachite stains. The metasediments are thinly bedded (1/2 - 2 inches) and gently dipping N30W. Gossany white quartz vein material occurs on the dump and a vein outcrops north across the drainage. No work or development in at least 30 years.

REMARKS: Sample 1005 - Quartz vein

REFERENCES: NBMG Bulletin #77, 1972, Cornwall

EXAMINER: Smith

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