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Mineral County

Development openings consist of 2 inclined shalts 60 and 70 feet deep, and a 170 foot adit driven in the footwall tuff. A small stope was extended from the east shaft.

SI, I3N, 3QE Yankee

Item 5

The Yankee property holdings consist of 3 unpatented lode claims known as the Yankee, Yankee Cirl and Yankee Hill, situated about 6 miles east of Rawhide and 57 miles southeast of Fallon, the supply and shipping point.

The predominate rock in the area is granodiorite in which are contained small remnants of limestone as roof pendants. These formations have been intruded by dikes of andesite and basalt. Adjacent to the granite contact the limestone has been metamorphosed and altered to tactite in zones 4 to 5 feet thick.

The best zone, well mineralized with scheelite, was developed by a 100 foot adit and a winze 10 feet deep. This lense, about 40 feet in length, averaged about 4 feet in width. From it 210 tons of ore were mined and chipped that contained 2.0 percent WO₃.

No other minable section was discovered and operations were discontinued the latter part of 1953.

Silver Star

The Silver Star property consists of 2 unpatented lode claims known as the Silver Star I and 2. They are situated in the Garfield Hills, 12 miles by paved and dirt roads southeast of Hawthorne. The larger parts of these 2 claims lie within the U.S. Naval Reservation, Hawthorne Ammu-