PROPERTY NAME: Eagle Claim
OTHER NAMES: Chicken Creek, Maggie
MINERAL COMMODITY(IES): Ba
TYPE OF DEPOSIT: Bedded
ACCESSIBILITY: 

OWNERSHIP: Barite Mining, Inc.

PRODUCTION: None

HISTORY: 

DEVELOPMENT: Shallow trenches & recent drilling.

ACTIVITY AT TIME OF EXAMINATION: 

GEOLOGY: The barite occurs within a sequence of chert, greenstone, mudstone & argillite of Devonian (?) age. The best & practically only exposure of barite is poorly bedded but where observed the bedding strikes N10W, 30° E. The exposed stratigraphic thickness is about 20', but top & lower contacts are not exposed.

The barite is fetid, generally fine-grained, Fe-stained & contain minor gossan (after pyrite) & white barite veinlets. In general, the barite material is high grade.

Barite is also found N of the SE corner of this section & in SW/4 NW/4 §28. A bed of barite & associated sediments located in this area strikes N-S & dips 30° W.

REMARKS: See Ketner (1975)


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