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Pershing County
Ragged Top District Hem 15

BASALT PROSPECT

Location	S27,T25N,R28E
	U.T.M. 4,429,900N, 344,400E
	Lat. 40°00'15"N, Long. 118°49'30"W
Base map	Ragged Top Mountain 7.5' quadrangle (1981)
Tungsten Production	

The Basalt Prospect is on the southwest flank of the Trinity Range, on the east side of Copper Valley, at an altitude of 4,560 feet. Shallow prospect pits explore several pods of massive magnetite that occur in limestone near contacts with small diorite intrusions. A little scheelite occurs in garnet-epidote tactite. The mineralized zone trends northeast, is about 100 to 200 feet wide, but is not continuous along strike. A drill hole penetrated 40 feet of marble containing 0.17 percent WO₃. No tungsten ore has been produced from the property.