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(160) Item 32
Lander

PROPERTY NAME: Watt Shaft

OTHER NAMES:

MINERAL COMMODITY(IES): Au(?), Ag

TYPE OF DEPOSIT:

ACCESSIBILITY: See map

OWNERSHIP: ? John Nagey(?)

PRODUCTION: Small

HISTORY: ?

County:

Lander

Mining District: Reese River

AMS Sheet: Millett

Quad Sheet: Yankee Blade 7 1/2'

Sec. 5, T 19N, R 44E

Coordinate (UTM):

North 4 3 7 7 0 2 5 m

East 0 4 9 5 7 1 0 m

Zone +11

DEVELOPMENT: See Below

ACTIVITY AT TIME OF EXAMINATION: None at shaft, however see below

GEOLOGY: Watt shaft is an inclined shaft N47E, $\approx 45^\circ$ (possibly off, lots of iron around.) with housing, descending roots, and lots of abandoned equipment. From size of dump, at least 1000 feet of workings. Adits an prospect pit dot opposite canyon wall.

In drainage below, adjacent to Morris & Caple Tunnel, the dump is being hauled away presumably to be milled for residual silver which is running at 6 oz/ton.

Above Shaft Jasperoid outcrops.

At shaft there were no outcrops, however, dump is composed of light grey, Feox stained quartzite and breccia.

REMARKS: Sample Site 627

Photo 10 - R19 All water wheel at mid-way in N.Y. Canyon
11 - " Inclined shaft
12 - " Shaft housing

REFERENCES:

EXAMINER: Smith

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