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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION

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So. 157 Howard Street
Spokane 4, Washington

July 21, 1955

Mr. William A. Rowe
No. Locust St. Apts. #21
Twin Falls, Idaho

WSM

Re: Docket No. DMEA-3556 (tungsten)
Patsy No. 3 claim
Blaine County, Idaho

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Sincerely yours,

Verne C. Fryklund, Jr.
for A. E. Weissenborn
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region I, NW District

cc: DMEA (2)
USBM (2)
Nickelson

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Mr. William A. Rowe
249 Washington Street North
Twin Falls, Idaho

Re: Docket No. DMEA 3556-Tungsten
Patsy No. 3 claim
Blaine County, Idaho

Dear Mr. Rowe:

Your application for aid for an exploration project and other data available to us in Washington concerning the above-referenced property have been reviewed.

Projects approved by the Defense Minerals Exploration Administration must, in its judgment, show definite promise of yielding materials of acceptable grade in quantities that will significantly improve the mineral supply position for the National Defense Program.

Careful study of all our information indicates to us that the probability of disclosing minable tungsten ore reserves by your proposed program is not sufficiently promising to justify Government participation. Under these circumstances, we regret to advise you that your application is denied.

We wish to thank you for your interest in the Defense Minerals Exploration Program and for bringing this property to our attention.

Sincerely yours,

C. O. Mittendorf

Administrator

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T. Kiilsgaard, USGS
R. Holliday, USBM
FT, Reg. I-Spokane

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July 14, 1955

MEMORANDUM

To: Administrator, DMEA

From: Iron and Ferro-Alloys Division, DMEA

Subject: Denial of request for exploration assistance in the amount of $4,610
Docket No. DMEA 3556 - Tungsten
William A. Rowe
Patsy No. 3 claim
Blaine County, Idaho

The denial of the subject application is recommended by this Division based on the following information:

1. The application was poorly prepared and did not contain any evidence to substantiate the occurrence of the commodity for which the exploration assistance was requested.

2. No scheelite was identified during the examination by Howard B. Nickelson, Geological Survey.

3. The examining member of the Field Team recommended denial of the subject application as "No evidence of economic minerals or structures suggesting the occurrence of those minerals was observed."

4. The Field Team concurs with the above recommendation.

5. The Commodity Divisions of the Geological Survey and Bureau of Mines concur.

W. S. Martin, Chief
Iron and Ferro-Alloys Division

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IN REPLY REFER TO:

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GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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July 13, 1955

Re: DMEA 3556
William Howe
William Howe Prospect
Blaine Co., Idaho
$4,610 - Tungsten

Memorandum

To: W. S. Martin, Defense Minerals Exploration Administration

From: N. E. Nelson, U. S. Geological Survey

Subject: Review of Field Team examination report.

Since the examiner's lamp showed no signs of scheelite the recommendation of denial is in order.

I concur with the recommendation.

N. E. Nelson

N. E. Nelson

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No. 157 Mount Street
Spokane 4, Washington

June 30, 1955

Mr. George C. Selfridge, Chairman
DMEA Operating Committee
Department of the Interior
Washington 25, D. C.

Re: Docket No. DMEA-3356 (tungsten)
Field examination
William A. Ross property
Patsy No. 3 claim
Blaine County, Idaho

Dear Mr. Selfridge:

Enclosed is an appraisal of the property covered by the cited application by H. E. Nickelsen, geologist, Geological Survey. Inasmuch as no scheelite was observed on the property, the Field Team concurs with Mr. Nickelsen's recommendation that the application be denied.

By Field Team, Region 1
Northwest District

Wing C. Agnew, Acting Exec. Officer
U. S. Bureau of Mines

John S. Vhay, Acting Director
U. S. Geological Survey

Enclosure

cc: USGS (2)
~~USBM (AD)~~
Nickelsen

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UNITED STATES
Department of the Interior
Geological Survey
So. 157 Howard Street
Spokane 4, Washington

June 22, 1955

Memorandum

To: DMEA Field Team, Region I, Northwest District

From: Howard B. Nickelson, Geologist, U. S. Geological Survey

Subject: Docket No. DMEA-3556 (tungsten), Field examination, William A. Rowe property, Patsy No. 3 claim, Blaine County, Idaho

INTRODUCTION

Mr. William A. Rowe submitted a DMEA application for the exploration of a scheelite deposit on October 19, 1954, and on May 27, 1955, he accompanied the writer during a field examination. In the forenoon, several old pits, a short adit driven by the applicant, and the geology in the vicinity were examined. The examiner returned to the property in the evening to lamp the prospect pits and adits and especially to lamp the short adit driven by the applicant. A rough sketch of the geology was drawn and is enclosed.

SUMMARY

A dull white fluorescence, probably from oxidized zinc minerals and an opalite fluorescence were evident in the applicant's adit, but no scheelite was found within the prospect pits and adits.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the application be denied because no scheelite was observed on the property.

LOCATION

The property is located in R. 16 E., T. 2 N., Blaine County, Idaho, 12 miles from U. S. Highway 93 on Deer Creek. A good dirt road runs by the property.

GEOLOGY

The small adits and pits are located in metamorphosed sedimentary rocks composed of argillite, limestone, and quartzite, which are probably part of the Wood River formation (Pennsylvanian). The bedding of rocks trends north to slightly northwest and dips approximately 65° to the west. A granitic intrusive, the contact of which strikes approximately N. 12° W. and appears to be steeply dipping crops out a few feet west of the western pit. As shown on the enclosed map, the sedimentary rocks are intruded by a flatly dipping dacite or andesite dike which appears to be approximately 100 feet thick, strikes northeast, and cuts the granite.

The short upper adit was driven along a 12-foot red iron gossan following the argillite bedding. There did not appear to be any mineral other than oxides of iron within the exposure. No scheelite was observed by lamping.

The short lower adit was driven by the applicant along a quartzite-limestone contact. This adit intersected a minor fault striking N. 36° W. and dipping 45° SW. No ore minerals were present, and no evidence of scheelite was found by lamping. A dull white fluorescence along the fractures and a green fluorescence from opalite were observed.

No evidence of economic minerals or structures suggesting the occurrence of those minerals was observed; therefore, it is recommended that the application for exploration be denied.

Enclosure

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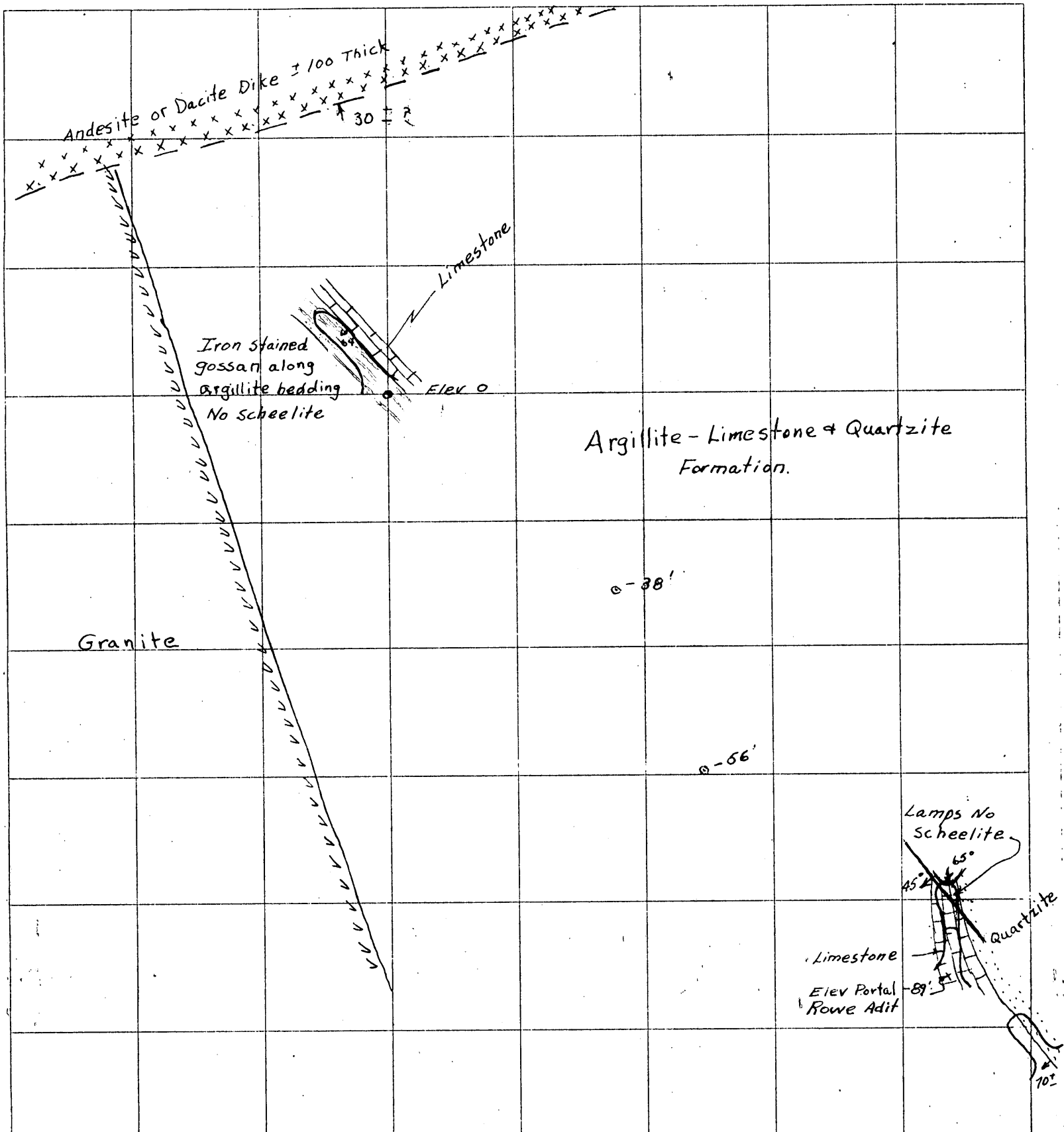

Docket No. DMEA 3556
William A Rowe
Patsy #3 Claim
R16E, T2N
Blaine County Idaho
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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
~~WASHINGTON 25, D.C.~~
So. 157 Howard Street
Spokane 4, Washington

May 17, 1955

Mr. William A. Rowe
Locust Street Apartments, #19
Twin Falls, Idaho

Re: Docket No. DMEA-3556 (tungsten)
Patsy No. 3 Claim
Blaine County, Idaho

Dear Mr. Rowe:

In reply to your postal card of May 13, 1955, I plan to examine your property some time after May 23. I will call you two or three days before I plan to make the examination as I don't know what my schedule will be at the present time.

Yours truly,

Howard B. Nickelson
Geologist

cc: DMEA (2)
USBM (2)
Nickelson

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So. 157 Howard Street
Spokane 4, Washington

December 6, 1954

Mr. W. A. Rowe
249 N. Washington Street
Twin Falls, Idaho

Re: Docket No. DMEA-3556 (tungsten)
Patsy Claim No. 5
Blaine County, Idaho

Dear Mr. Rowe:

In connection with the examination of your property, I arrived in Hailey in the evening of November 15 in a snow and rain storm. The next afternoon I tried to get to your property by the directions shown on the map enclosed in your application. I was able to get to a point 8½ miles from the oiled road but 4 to 6 inches of crusted snow stopped me.

Since very little underground exploration has been done on your property and its merits will have to be judged from the shallow work and surface outcrop, it will be necessary to conduct the examination in the spring when the roads are open and the property is clear of snow.

Hoping this arrangement is satisfactory with you, I remain

Yours sincerely,

Howard B. Nickelson
Geologist

cc: DMEA (2)
USBM (2)
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Mr. William A. Rowe
249 Washington Street North
Twin Falls, Idaho

Re: Docket No. DMEA 3556 - Tungsten
Patsy No. 3 claim
Blaine County, Idaho

Dear Mr. Rowe:

The above-docketed application for exploration assistance has been reviewed by the Iron and Ferro-Alloys Division of the Defense Minerals Exploration Administration and referred to Mr. A. E. Weissenborn, Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region II, South 157 Howard Street, Spokane 4, Washington, for a field examination of the property.

Any assistance that you can render the members of the Field Team will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

C. O. Mirtendorf

Administrator

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Thor Kiilsgaard, USGS

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Mr. A. E. Weissenborn, Executive Officer
DMEA Field Team, Region II
South 157 Howard Street
Spokane 4, Washington

Re: Docket No. DMEA 3556 - Tungsten
William A. Rowe
Patsy No. 3 claim
Blaine County, Idaho

Dear Mr. Weissenborn:

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We will hold this application in abeyance until the report and recommendations by the Field Team are received.

Sincerely yours,

George C. Selfridge

Chairman, Operating Committee

Approved:

J. H. Hedges

Member, Bureau of Mines

E. L. Newcomb

Member, Geological Survey

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

July 14, 1955

MEMORANDUM

To: Administrator, DMEA

From: Iron and Ferro-Alloys Division, DMEA

Subject: Denial of request for exploration assistance in the amount of $4,610
Docket No. DMEA 3556 - Tungsten
William A. Rowe
Patsy No. 3 claim
Blaine County, Idaho

The denial of the subject application is recommended by this Division based on the following information:

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3. The examining member of the Field Team recommended denial of the subject application as "No evidence of economic minerals or structures suggesting the occurrence of those minerals was observed."

4. The Field Team concurs with the above recommendation.

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W S Martin
W. S. Martin, Chief
Iron and Ferro-Alloys Division

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Martin
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July 14, 1955

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Iron and Ferro-Alloys Division

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July 13, 1955

Re: DMEA 3556
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William Rowe Prospect
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$4,610 - Tungsten

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From: N. E. Nelson, U. S. Geological Survey

Subject: Review of Field Team examination report.

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I concur with the recommendation.

N. E. Nelson

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Mr. George C. Selfridge, Chairman
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WSM

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Enclosure

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Nickelson

Reviewed by
DMEA OPERATING COMMITTEE
7-10-55
(date)

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June 22, 1955

Memorandum

To: DMEA Field Team, Region I, Northwest District

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Reviewed by
DMEA OPERATING COMMITTEE
7-10-55
(date)

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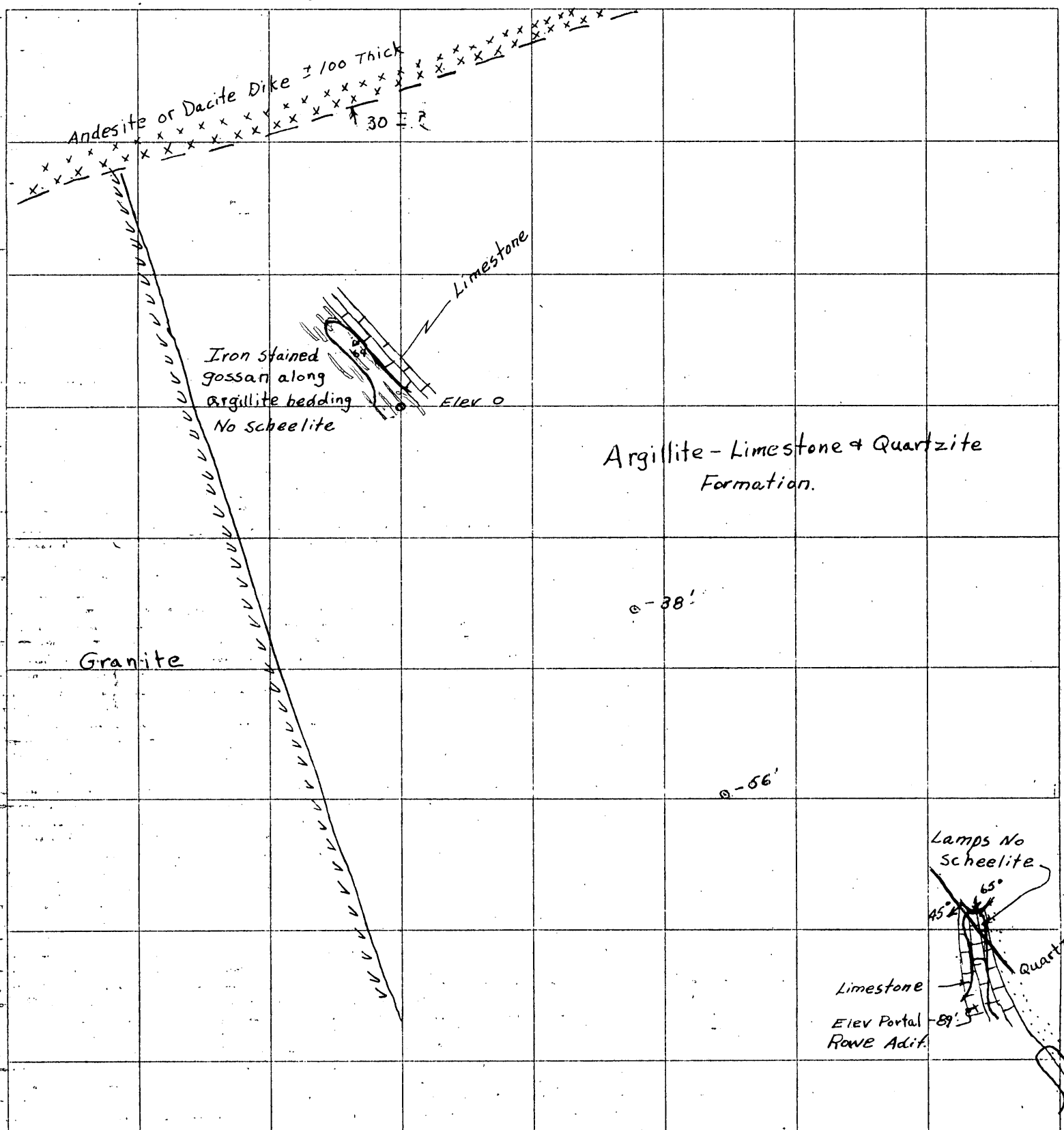

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~~WASHINGTON, D.C.~~
So. 157 Howard Street
Spokane 4, Washington

May 17, 1955

WJM

Mr. William A. Rowe
Locust Street Apartments, #19
Twin Falls, Idaho

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Geologist

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So. 157 Howard Street
Spokane 4, Washington

December 6, 1954

Mr. W. A. Rowe
249 N. Washington Street
Twin Falls, Idaho

WSM

Re: Docket No. DMEA-3556 (tungsten)
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Blaine County, Idaho

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William A. Rowe
November 1954 report

Property inaccessible. Exam
will be made in spring

DOCKET
Surname:
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Geehan
Selfridge

NOV 5 - 1954

Mr. A. E. Weissenborn, Executive Officer
DMEA Field Team, Region II
South 157 Howard Street
Spokane 4, Washington

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George C. Selfridge

Chairman, Operating Committee (JB)

Approved:

J. H. Hedges

Member, Bureau of Mines (JB)

E. L. Newcomb

Member, Geological Survey (JB)

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DOCKET
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NOV 5 - 1954

Mr. William A. Rowe
249 Washington Street North
Twin Falls, Idaho

Re: Docket No. DMEA 3556 - Tungsten
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C. O. Mittendorf

Administrator

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

November 2, 1954
Subject: DMEA-3556
Re: Exploration Assistance

Mr. William A. Rowe
249 Wash. St. No.
Twin Falls, Idaho

Dear Sir:

The receipt of your application dated October 17, 1954 for exploration assistance under the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended, is hereby acknowledged.

Your application has been assigned Docket Number DMEA-3556 and referred to the Iron and Ferro-Alloys Division.

Kindly identify all future correspondence relating to your application by this docket number.

Sincerely yours,

Robert E. Adams, Chief
Operations Control and
Statistics Division

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

November 2, 1954

Memorandum

To: Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region II

From: Chief, Operation's Control and Statistics Division

Subject: Assignment of Docket Number

There is listed below the assigned docket number to an application recently received from Region II.

DMEA - 3556 William A. Rowe

Robert E. Adams,
Chief, Operation's Control
and Statistics Division

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION

~~WASHINGTON 25, D.C.~~
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Spokane 4, Washington

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October 27, 1954

Mr. George C. Selfridge, Chairman
Operating Committee, DMEA
Department of the Interior
Washington 25, D. C.

Re: Application for exploration aid (tungsten)
Deer Creek Mining District
Blaine County, Idaho

Dear Mr. Selfridge:

Enclosed are 3 copies of an application for aid in an exploration project submitted by William A. Rowe, 249 Washington St. North, Twin Falls, Idaho. The property (one claim) is near Hailey, Idaho.

The application lacks considerable information, but a field examination will be made in November, weather permitting. If that country is snowed in, and the examination cannot be made, one will be scheduled later next spring.

We attempted to arrange a meeting when Nickelson was in that area in early October but Mr. Rowe did not contact the geologist as requested.

Yours sincerely,

John S. Vhay

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For: A. E. Weissenborn
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region II

Enclosures
cc: USBM (2)
Nickelson

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION

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APPLICATION FOR AID IN AN EXPLORATION PROJECT, PURSUANT TO DMEA ORDER 1, UNDER THE DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950, AS AMENDED

Not to be filled in by applicant

Docket No. 3556
Metal or Mineral TUNGSTEN
Date Received
Estimated Cost $4,610
Participation (Government %)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. *Name of applicant.*—(*a*) State here your full legal name, in the form in which you will wish to contract, and your mailing address: WILLIAM A. ROWE
249 WASH. ST. No. TWIN FALLS IDAHO.

(*b*) If other than an individual, add to your name above whether a corporation, partnership, etc., and the name of the State in which incorporated or otherwise organized.

(*c*) If a corporation, add to above statement, titles, names and addresses of officers.

(*d*) If a partnership, add to the above statement the names and addresses of all partners.

2. *General.*—Read DMEA Order 1, "Government Aid in Defense Exploration Projects," before completing this application. Submit this application and all accompanying papers in quadruplicate (four copies), with your name and address on each sheet of the application and on all accompanying papers. Where sufficient space is not provided on the form for all required information, state it on an accompanying paper, with a reference in each case to the instruction to which it refers by number. Comply with all applicable instructions; or, if not applicable, so state. File the application with Defense Minerals Exploration Administration, Department of the Interior, Washington 25, D. C., or with the nearest field executive officer thereof.

3. *Applicant's property rights.*—(*a*) State the legal description of the land upon which you wish to explore, including all land which you possess or control that may be benefited by the exploration, and excluding any land or interest in land which is not to be included in the exploration project contract Unpatented Claim, filing recorded 20 Acres, Deer Creek Mining Dist. R-16-E, T3N. Harley Idaho - BOOK # 157 - Page 48

(*b*) State any mine name by which the property is known.

(*c*) State your interest in the land, whether owner, lessee, purchaser under contract, or otherwise Owner Unpatented Claim Patent # 3

(*d*) If you are not the owner, submit with this application a copy of the lease, contract, or other document under which you control the property.

(*e*) If you own the land, describe any liens or encumbrances on it

(*f*) If the land consists of unpatented claims, add to the description above, the book and page numbers for each recorded location notice.

4. *Physical description.*—(*a*) Describe in detail any mining or exploration operations which have been or now are being conducted upon the land, including existing mine workings and production facilities. State your interest, if any, in such operations. Also describe accessibility of mine workings for examination purposes.

(*b*) State past and current production, and ore reserves, if any, giving quantities and grades.

(*c*) Describe the geologic features of the property, including mineralization, type of deposit (vein, bedded, etc.), and your reasons for wishing to explore. Illustrate with maps or sketches. Send with your application (but not necessarily as a part of it) any geologic or engineering report, assay maps, or other technologic information you may have, indicating on each whether you require its return to you.

(*d*) State the facts with respect to the accessibility of the project: Access roads, distances to shipping, supply and residence points.

(*e*) State the availability of manpower, materials, supplies, equipment, water, and power.

5. *The exploration project.*—(*a*) State the mineral or minerals for which you will to explore Scheelite, Tungsten

(*b*) Describe fully the proposed work, including a map or sketch of the property showing a plan (and cross sections if needed) of any present mine workings, and the location of the proposed exploration work as related to such features as contacts, veins, ore-bearing beds, etc.

(*c*) The work will start within 10 days and be completed within 6 months from the date of an exploration project contract.

(*d*) State the operating experience and background of the applicant with relation to the ability to carry out such exploration project, and also that of the person or persons who will supervise the operations.

6. *Estimate of costs.*—Furnish a detailed estimate of the costs of the proposed work (you will have to use a separate sheet), under the following headings. Add the totals under all headings to give the estimated total cost of the project:

(*a*) *Independent contracts.*—(Note.—If the applicant does not intend to let any of the work to contractors, write "none" after this item. To the extent that the work is to be contracted, do not repeat the cost of the contract-work in subsequent items.) State the cost of any proposed independent contracts for the performance of all or any part of the work, expressed in terms of units of work (such as per foot of drilling, per foot of drifting, per hour of bulldozer operations, per cubic yard of material moved, etc.).

(*b*) *Labor, supervision, consultants.*—Include an itemized schedule of numbers, classes and rates of wages, salaries or fees for necessary labor, supervision and engineering and geological consultants.

(*c*) *Operating materials and supplies.*—Furnish an itemized list, including items of equipment costing less than $50 each, and power, water and fuel.

(*d*) *Operating equipment.*—Furnish an itemized list of any operating equipment to be rented, purchased, or which is owned and will be furnished by the Operator, with the estimated rental, purchase price, or suggested use-allowance based on present value, as the case may be.

(*e*) *Rehabilitation and repairs.*—Furnish a detailed list showing the cost of any necessary initial rehabilitation or repairs of existing buildings, installations, fixtures, and movable operating equipment, now owned by the Operator and which will be devoted to the exploration project.

(*f*) *New buildings, improvements, installations.*—Furnish a detailed list showing the cost of any necessary buildings, fixed improvements, or installations to be purchased, installed or constructed for the benefit of the exploration project.

(*g*) *Miscellaneous.*—Furnish a detailed list showing the cost of repairs to and maintenance of operating equipment (not including initial rehabilitation or repairs of the Operator's equipment), analytical work, accounting, workmen's compensation and employers' liability insurance, and payroll taxes.

(*h*) *Contingencies.*—Give an estimate of any necessary allowances for contingencies not included in the costs stated above.

NOTE.—No items of general overhead, corporate management, interest, taxes (other than payroll and sales taxes), or any other indirect costs, or work performed or costs incurred before the date of the contract, should be included in the estimate of costs.

7. (*a*) Are you prepared to furnish your share of the cost of the proposed project in accordance with the regulations on Government participation (Sec. 7, DMEA No. 1)?

(*b*) How do you propose to furnish your share of the costs?

☒ Money ☐ Use of equipment owned by you ☒ Other Labor

Explain in detail on acompanying paper.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, whether as an individual, corporate officer, partner, or otherwise, both in his own behalf and acting for the applicant, certifies that the information set forth in this form and accompanying papers is correct and complete, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Dated Oct. 17, 1954

WILLIAM A. ROWE
(Applicant)

By William A. Rowe

Title 18, U. S. Code (Crimes), Section 1001, makes it a criminal offense to make a willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

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Part #4.

a. Tunnel into Hill about 20 ft. all operations performed by myself. Cut Vein of fine limestone gang material with small percentage of Scheelite. Feed indicates good possibilities of large ore body below. This is new operation. I am quite certain this ore exists. These Veins are near surface in sort of chimney formations all leading in same general direction towards center of mt. and downward at right angles to contour of Hill. I dont believe these ore faulted.

There is plenty of Water in deer creek, no electric power within 12 mi. good road to project. 12 mi. from Hailey.

Part #5. Ref. map. sketch.

I expect to work & supervise all work done Personally. Have been in Bldg. construction, Road construction. Logging - Quarrying all my life. Am 54 yrs. old.

Par 6: Procedure of Proposed work.
First I'd like to cut place with Bulldozer. and about 200 ft of Road way. If I have to go further would propose Core drill test holes.

Estimate.

Rental air compressor & Hammer, drills etc. 1 mo. $200.

Bulldozer " 40 hrs. @ 9.50 380.

Purchase air line pipe. 200 ft. @ 25¢ ft. $50.

Blasting Powder etc. $50.

$680.

Core drilling. estimate 300 ft. at $10 ft. more or less. $300.

assaying. $100.

I make my own quality tests.

Fuel for Compressor 100 gal. $30.

No exploring Billings. Will need Material for small Bldg. $300.

Labor. $200.

(5) contingencies. $100.

Total. $1610.

Part # 2.

A. I'll furnish my share of expence. Mostly in labor. I'll do my own drilling, Blasting, Building etc.

I'll hire Bulldozer & operator owner. Will hire core drilling if needed by foot. which runs from 6.50 to 10.00 per foot.

Will do all qualitative testing with own equipment.

First operation estimate $610.

Second operation estimate. $3000.00.

This exploration has been suggested by J. D. Forrester, Idaho bureau of mines at Moscow.

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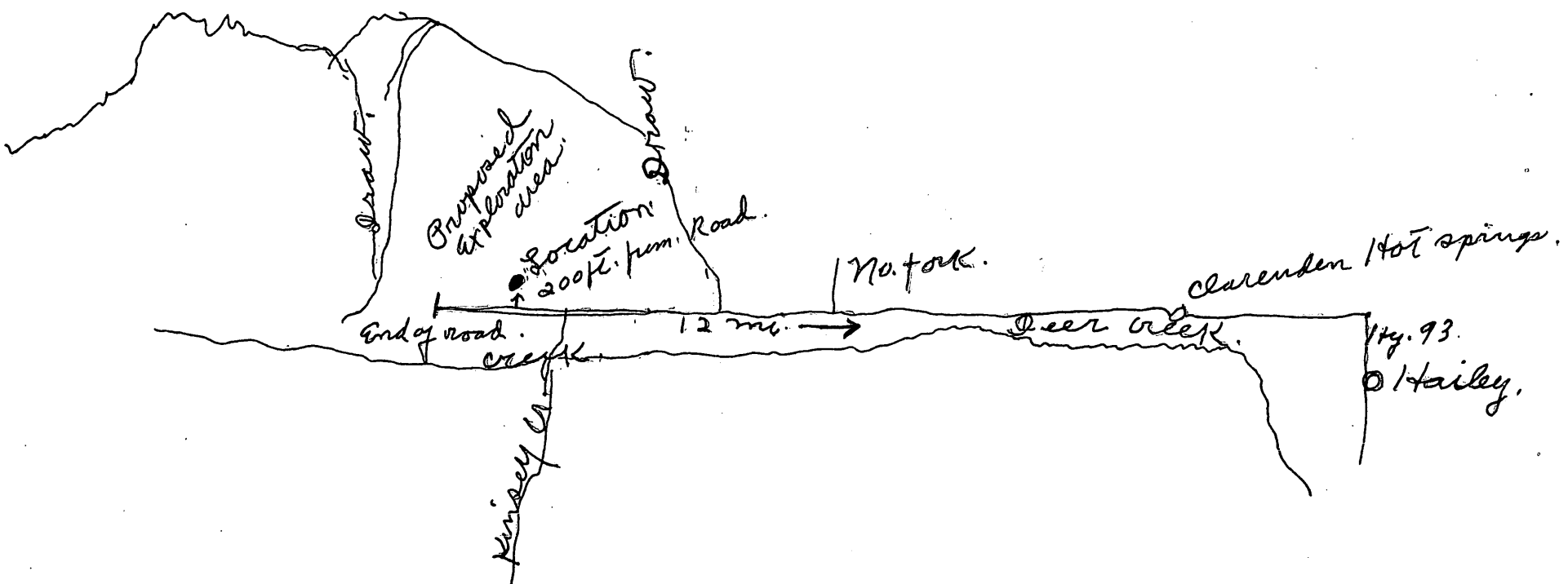
Formation:
Fine limestone.
Veins in place.

Dip about 25° into mt.
in northerly direction.



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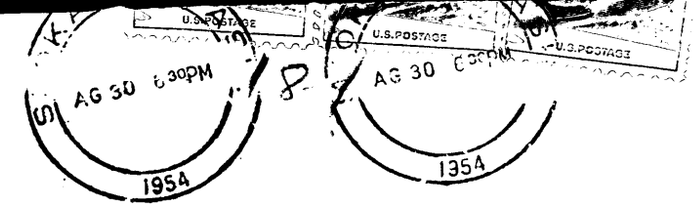

Mr. George C. Selfridge, Chairman
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