



Glaciated terrain in Caribou Volcanic Field

View southwest from east shore of Silver Lake (Red Cinder quadrangle), illustrating the glaciated physiography of the Caribou sequence of the Caribou Volcanic Field. The cliffs on the far side of Silver Lake represent the flow margin of the basaltic andesites of Silver Lake (unit mc8, 400 ± 14 ka), stripped of surficial vesicular blocks to expose the dense core of the lava flow. The summit of North Caribou is the glaciated agglutinate vent of unit mcn5 of the basaltic andesites of North Caribou (~ 350 ka) overlying glaciated flows of unit mcn4.

Photograph by Carl E. Mortensen.