

NAME OF PROPERTY
NOM DE LA PROPRIÉTÉ

WARNER CREEK

OBJECT LOCATED
OBJET LOCALISÉ

UNCERTAINTY
FACTEUR D'INCERTITUDE

Mining Division Division minière	Lillooet	District District	Lillooet
County Comté		Township or Parish Canton ou paroisse	
Lot		Concession or Range Concession ou rang	
Sec Sect.	Tp. Ct.		R. R.

Lat. 51°03'
Long. 123°12.5'

OWNER OR OPERATOR/PROPRIÉTAIRE OU EXPLOITANT

DESCRIPTION OF DEPOSIT/DESCRIPTION DU GISEMENT

Deposits of limonite occur in a number of localities in the country drained by the headwaters of Taseko River within an area of about 50 square miles. The rocks underlying the deposits are an assemblage of basaltic flows and pyroclastics, intruded by quartz diorite porphyry dykes and overlying unconformably granodiorite of the Coast Range Batholith.

According to Crossland (1920, p. 179): "On the west bank of Warner Creek are a number of iron deposits which are more of the soft, red, earthy variety of bog-ore ... These deposits are prominently in view from the Gun Creek trail and would appear to be much greater in extent than is the case. The surrounding country-rocks and banks of the creek are heavily stained with iron oxides which at no great distance give the impression of huge masses of limonite iron ore".

HISTORY OF EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT
HISTORIQUE DE L'EXPLORATION ET DE LA MISE EN VALEUR

Deposits of limonite in the area drained by the headwaters of Taseko River are said to have been first staked in 1909.

Work done on the Warner Creek deposits proved them to be of small extent and very limited in depth. Crossland (1920, p. 180) gives the total of positive and probable ore at 41,250 tons to a depth of 3 feet. A number of samples taken by him averaged 47.00% iron.

HISTORY OF PRODUCTION/HISTORIQUE DE LA PRODUCTION

REFERENCES/BIBLIOGRAPHIE

Crossland, F.J.; Taseko Valley Iron-Ore Deposits; Annual Report, 1920, pp. 175-181, Dept. of Mines, B.C.

MAP REFERENCES/RÉFÉRENCES CARTOGRAPHIQUES
Map 29-1963, Taseko Lakes, (Geol.), Sc. 1":4 miles.

REMARKS/REMARQUES

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