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Protomylonite derived from Precambrian quartzite exposed in the Henrys Lake Mountains, approximately 36 km west of West Yellowstone, Montana.

Preface

This annual list of current geological and geophysical studies would not be possible without the assistance of those who took the time to send us information on their research. We appreciate this cooperation and hope that you will find this list useful.

Most studies are listed under one heading only, but because of the difficulty of assigning some studies to a single catgegory, some are listed under more than one heading. The date following the entry is the expected date of completion. Many of the entries are numbered and plotted on the index maps. An asterisk [*] indicates that the area of study is plotted on the index map of southwestern Montana [Sheet 2, back pocket]. All other numbered entries are plotted on the index map of Montana [Sheet 1, back pocket].

Completed theses are not included in this compilation. For information on theses dealing with Montana geology, see Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology Special Publication 77 (1977). Northwest Geology, published annually by the Geology Department, University of Montana, is also an excellent source of information on theses dealing with the geology of Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, Oregon and Washington.

Many of the studies listed here are far from being completed. We suggest that anyone who wants more information on a specific project should correspond directly with the investigator.

Questionnaires for next year's list will be mailed out in January 1982. If you did not receive an inquiry this year but would like to be added to the mailing list, you can send in the request form at the back of this bulletin.

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Butte April 10, 1981

Areal Geology

Index to geologic maps of Montana by 1° x 2° quadrangles.

 Compilation of areal geology of the Forsyth, Kalispell and Miles City 1° x 2° quadrangles. [Late 1981 or early 1982.]

Statewide geologic atlas. As work is completed, 2° quadrangle maps will be published at a scale of 1:250,000. [Continuing.]

- 2 [See Environmental and Engineering Geology.]
- *3 Geology of the Polaris 15-minute quadrangle, Beaverhead County.
 - 4 Geology of the Birney 1° quadrangle. [Continuing.]
- *5 [See Structural Geology.]
- 6 Geology of Glacier National Park. [1985.]
- *7 Petrology and structure of the pre-Belt rocks of the southern Madison Range. [1981.]
 - 8 Geology of the Kalispell 2° quadrangle. [1986.]
 - 9 Geology and mineral resources of the Wallace 2° quadrangle (CUSMAP), Idaho and Montana. [1986.]
- 10 Geology of the Recluse 1° quadrangle. [Continuing.]
- *11 Geology of part of the Precambrian basement on the eastern slope of the Gravelly Range.
- *12 [See Structural Geology.]
 - 13 Geology of the Birney 1° quadrangle (includes preparation of an engineering geologic map). [1982.]
 - 14 Relation of geologic framework to uranium resources in the Sandpoint 2° quadrangle, Idaho and Montana. [1987.]
 - 15 Geology of the White Sulphur Springs 2° quadrangle. [1985.]
- *16 Geology of the Dillon 2° quadrangle, Idaho and Montana. [1982.]

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Jack E. Harrison USGS, Denver, Colorado

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Bion H. Kent USGS, Denver, Colorado

John C. Kleinschmidt Montana Tech

David R. Lageson

Robert M. Lindvall USGS

Fred K. Miller USGS

Mitchell W. Reynolds USGS, Denver, Colorado

Edward T. Ruppel USGS, Denver, Colorado

Areal geology (continued)

Structural Geology/Tectonics			
*25	[See Structural Geology.]	E-an Zen	
24	Geology of the Butte 2° quadrangle (CUSMAP). [1982.]	Chester A. Wallace USGS, Denver, Colorado	
*23	Geologic map of the southern Tobacco Root Mountains, Madison County.	Charles J. Vitaliano and William S. Cordua, Indiana University, Bloomington	
22	Geology of the Forsyth 1° quadrangle. [1982.]	Donald E. Trimble USGS, Denver, Colorado	
21	Geology of the Richey 1° quadrangle. [1982.]	Donald E. Trimble USGS, Denver, Colorado	
20	Geologic mapping, geochemical and geophysical surveys of the eastern part of the Selway-Bitter-root Wilderness, Idaho and Montana.	Margo I. Toth USGS, Denver, and University of Colorado	
19	Compilation of Bozeman 1° x 2° geologic map. [Spring 1982.]	Don Smith Montana State University	
*18	Geology of the Dubois 2° quadrangle, Idaho and Montana. [1988.]	Betty Skipp USGS, Denver, Colorado	
*17	7 [See Structural Geology.] Robert Scholten		

26	Geology and tectonic history of the northern Flint	Jeffrey F. Baken
	Creek Range, Granite and Powell counties.	Montana State University
	[Summer 1981.]	

- 27 [See Geophysics.]
- 28 Tectonic study of the Wolf Creek area utilizing Landsat photography. [June 1983.]
- *29 Palynological study of Colorado Group rocks involved in thrusting to determine time of thrusting. Sample sites located in sec. 26, T. 4 S., R. 8 W. [December 1981.]
- 30 [See Isotope Geology and Geochronology.]
- 31 [See Geochemistry, Mineralogy and Petrology.]
- *5 Geology and structure of the northern Tendoy Range, Beaverhead County.

Structure contours on the top of the Madison Limestone are being compiled on 1° x 2° quadrangles throughout Montana. Several quads have been published and four are under way this year. [September 1983.]

William E. Bonini

Marcus Borengasser, University of Missouri, Columbia

David S. Brumbaugh Northern Arizona University

Ronald B. Chase

Neal R. Desmarais

Dean P. Dubois, Pennsylvania State University

Richard Feltis, USGS Water Resources Division, Billings, Montana

Structural geology/tectonics (continued)

Compilation and synthesis of Archean geology of southwestern Montana. [June 1981.]

Early Tertiary magmatic patterns in Montana, Wyoming and Idaho. [June 1981.]

- *32 Study of recurrent (Precambrian, Laramide and post-Laramide) fault motions along northwest-trending faults in the Ruby, Highland, Tobacco Root and Madison ranges and adjoining basins. [1982.]
- *33 Structural interpretation of the southern Tendoy thrust, southern Beaverhead County (Lima Peaks, Gallagher Gulch and Snowline quadrangles).
- 34 Petrographic and structural analysis of the foliated metamorphic rocks exposed in Chaffin Creek Canyon, Bitterroot Range. [1981.]

Neotectonic analysis of southern Montana east of 112°30' longitude.

- *12 Structural analysis and surface geologic mapping in the Medicine Lodge thrust system of southwestern Montana and adjacent parts of Idaho. This project involves both detailed surface mapping and regional tectonic relations in the Tendoy, Beaverhead, Lemhi and Pioneer mountains. [Continuing.]
- *35 Cataclastic deformation associated with thrust faults in the Medicine Lodge thrust system of southwestern Montana and adjacent parts of Idaho. This research addresses important aspects of brecciation and sliding relevant to the mechanics of thrust faulting. Field locations are in the Beaverhead and Lemhi ranges. [June 1982.]
 - 36 Geology along the Beartooth highway, Gardiner Lake to Cooke City; a continuous strip map of Archean rocks and structures. [1983-1984.]
 - 37 Geology and petrology of the Hell Roaring Lakes area, Beartooth Mountains. Large-scale mapping of Archean metasedimentary rocks; petrology, chemistry and structural analysis of polymetamorphic high-grade terrane. [1981-1982.]

[See Stratigraphy.]

38 Continuing research on the extent and characteristics of glacial phenomena and Quaternary tectonic features of the Yellowstone Valley south of Livingston, and the Madison Valley north of Raynolds Pass. [1984.] David Fountain University of Montana.

David Fountain University of Montana

John M. Garihan, Furman University; Christopher J. Schmidt, Western Michigan University

Phil Hammons Texas A and M University

Jon Heeman, Western Michigan University

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Leonard H. Larsen University of Cincinnati

Leonard H. Larsen, University of Cincinnati; Lawrence C. Rowan, USGS, Reston, Virginia

Alan McBean

John Montagne Montana State University

Structural geology/tectonics (continued)

[See Environmental and Engineering Geology.]

39 Sequence of thrusting in northwestern Montana. [May 1981.]

A regional study of northwest-trending basement faults and associated structures of the Rocky Mountain foreland, Montana. [1983.]

A study of structural controls for Cenozoic basinrange faulting in southwestern Montana. [1983.]

- *40 Structure of the Medicine Lodge thrust sheet, Beaverhead County.
- *17 Geology and structure of the Horse Prairie basin and surrounding mountains, Beaverhead County.

Tectonic evolution of southwestern Montana, especially as reflected in the sedimentary record. [Continuing.]

- *41 Geologic structure of the Bannack to Argenta area, southwestern Montana. [May 1981.]
- *42 Cataclastic deformation association with major thrust faults in southwestern Montana. [June 1982.]

Relationship between thrust faults involving basement rocks and those involving Paleozoic rocks. Also work on the stratigraphy of the Madison Group.

- *43 Structure and stratigraphy of the eastern flank of the Tendoy Range, southwestern Montana. [Summer 1982.]
- 44 A study of Laramide and Recent tectonic activity along the Gardiner Fault, northwest of Gardiner. [Spring 1982.]
- *45 Laramide and late Cenozoic structural history and mechanics of basement faulting in the Jack Creek basin area, northern Madison Range. [Spring 1982.]
- *25 Tectonic framework of the Pioneer Mountains. [Continuing.]

Stratigraphy, Sedimentary Petrology and Paleontology

Study of the morphology of the sub-Cretaceous unconformity in south-central Alberta. Will include facies analysis and geophysical properties of the strata immediately above the unconformity. David Nash

Timothy Reed Purdue University

Christopher Schmidt, Western Michigan University; John Garihan, Furman University

Christopher Schmidt Western Michigan University

Robert Scholten, Pennsylvania State University

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W. Thomas Straw, Western Michigan University

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Susan L. Wygant Western Michigan University

E-an Zen USGS, Reston, Virginia

William C. Barnes, University of British Columbia

Statigraphy, sedimentary petrology and paleontology (continued)

46	Evolutionary, functional and stratigraphic relation- ships of proscalopine moles from the Miocene Deep River Formation, Meagher County. [1981.]	Anthony D. Barnosky University of Washington
	Correlation of unusually thick Miocene deposits in Jackson Hole, Wyoming, with isolated exposures in west-central Montana. [1983.]	Anthony D. Barnosky University of Washington
47	Stratigraphy and depositional setting of the Judith River Formation (Cretaceous) on the Fort Belknap Indian Reservation, with special emphasis on coal of the area. [Fall 1982.]	Roger E. Braun Montana State University
	Chronostratigraphy of mid-Cretaceous hydrocarbon source rocks, western interior. [1982.]	William A. Cobban USGS, Denver, Colorado
48	The Anderson-Dietz coal zone, Rosebud, Powder River and Big Horn counties (includes the deposi- tional history, resources, evaluation and prepara- tion of cross sections). [July 1981.]	Gary A. Cole Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology
49	Stratigraphy, sedimentation and tectonic history of the Kishenehn Formation, Flathead County. [May 1981.]	Kurt Constenius University of Wyoming
	Tertiary geology and uranium occurrences of the Powder River basin. [1983.]	Norman Denson USGS, Denver, Colorado
	Stratigraphic analysis of western interior Creta- ceous uranium basins. Includes study of the Hell Creek and Fox Hills formations and the Eagle Sand- stone in Montana. [Continuing.]	Harry W. Dodge, Jr. USGS, Denver, Colorado
*50	Stratigraphy, biostratigraphy, sedimentation and structure, Muddy Creek basin, Beaverhead County. [December 1981.]	Dennis G. Dunlap University of Montana
	Stratigraphy, sedimentation and paleontology of the Tertiary basins of southwestern Montana and eastern Idaho.	Robert W. Fields University of Montana
51	Plant remains, detailed stratigraphy and sedimen- tology of the Middle Eocene Sepulcher Formation in northwestern Yellowstone National Park and vicinity ("Gallatin petrified forests") are being studied to provide a better paleoenvironmental re- construction. [1982?]	Lanny H. Fisk Michigan State University
52	Depositional environments and provenance of arkosic sandstone and conglomerate in the Park Shale (Middle Cambrian) in the Bridger Range and Horseshoe Hills area. [November 1981.]	Jenny Fryxell Montana State University

Stratigraphy, sedimentary petrology and paleontology (continued)

	Biostratigraphy, paleobiogeography and taxonomy of Cretaceous and early Tertiary nonmarine Mol- lusca in Montana and elsewhere in the western in- terior of North America; presently concentrating on the Viviparidae from the Campanian to the early Eocene.	Joseph H. Hartman University of Minnesota
53	Regional correlation and interpretation of upper Jurassic and lower Cretaceous stratigraphy in north-central Montana, extending into southeast- ern Alberta. [November 1981.]	Brad J. Hayes University of Alberta
54	Flora and stratigraphy of the Fort Union Formation (Paleocene) of the Big Horn basin. [1983.]	Leo J. Hickey, Smithsonian Institution; Erling Dorf, Princeton University
55	Paleontological investigation of Mississippian age soft-bodied fauna of Bear Gulch Limestone, Fergus County.	Douglas S. Jones University of Florida
	Petrology, paleotectonics and sedimentation of Precambrian Y sedimentary rocks, east-central Idaho and southwestern Montana.	Alan McBean, Pennsyl- vania State University
	Gas-bearing strata of mid-Cretaceous age in west- ern Wyoming and adjacent areas.	E. A. Merewether USGS, Denver, Colorado
*56	Petrology of the Bozeman Group, Madison County.	Stewart Monroe Central Michigan University
57	Geochemical and sedimentological study of Flathead Lake sediments; also sub-bottom profiling of Flathead Lake. [1982.]	J. Moore University of Montana
	Paleocene time scale for the Rocky Mountain re- gion, USA. (Includes data from several localities in eastern and southern Montana.) [1982.]	Karl R. Newman Colorado School of Mines
	Biostratigraphy and depositional environments, Tertiary nonmarine basins, Rocky Mountains fore- land. [1985.]	Douglas J. Nichols USGS, Denver, Colorado
	Depositional history and petroleum geology of the Minnelusa Formation. [1982.]	R. T. Ryder USGS, Denver, Colorado
	Stratigraphic framework and facies analysis of the Mississippian system, western North America. [Continuing.]	William J. Sando, USGS and U.S. National Museum, Washington, D.C.
*58	Stratigraphic analysis and modeling—Tertiary basins of western Montana (initially Medicine Lodge-Horse Prairie and Three Forks basins). [1985.]	Gary B. Schneider USGS, Denver, Colorado

Stratigraphy, sedimentary petrology and paleontology (continued)

Depositional environments and diagenesis of the Flathead Quartzite (Middle Cambrian) and the Flathead-Wolsey transitional strata in southwestern Montana. [December 1981.]

Sedimentology of selected areas of the Knobloch, Dietz and Anderson coal beds and associated rocks in southeastern Montana. [September 1981.]

59 Stratigraphy with special emphasis on coal distribution and resources, and geologic mapping in the Baker and Wibaux 1:100,000 quadrangles of eastern Montana.

Sedimentology and stratigraphy of the Madison Limestone, central and south-central Montana: Development of shelf to basin model, including eustacy, epeirogenesis, local paleostructural elements and rates of carbonate production. [Spring 1982.]

Tectonic influences on Cretaceous sediment-dispersal patterns in southwestern Montana. [May 1982.]

*60 Cenozoic geology of a portion of the Red Rock Hills and Sage Creek basin, Beaverhead County. Emphasis is on Eocene and Oligocene stratigraphy and mammalian paleontology. [Summer 1981.]

Tertiary paleoclimatology, sedimentation patterns and uranium distribution, southwestern Montana.

*61 Study of the depositional environments of the Thermopolis, Muddy and Mowry formations, southern Madison and Gallatin ranges. Includes a study of palynomorphs. [March 1981.]

Biostratigraphy, organic metamorphism, upper Paleozoic and Triassic rocks, overthrust belt, west-United States. [1982.]

Mississippian crinoids of central and western Montana. [Continuing.]

62 Sedimentology of the Altyn Formation (Precambrian) of Glacier National Park. Emphasis is on shallowing-upward cycles, stromatolites, microbiotas and evaporitic carbonates. [Summer 1982.]

[See Structural Geology.]

*43 [See Structural Geology.]

Stratigraphy and sedimentation of Belt units, northwestern Montana and northern Idaho.

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Mark A. Sholes Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology

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Bruce R. Wardlaw USGS, Denver, Colorado

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Brian White Smith College

Nancy S. Williams

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Don Winston University of Montana

Stratigraphy, sedimentary petrology and paleontology (continued)

 63 Correlation of the upper Newland Formation (Precambrian) in the northern and central Helena embayment of the Precambrian Belt basin.
[May 1981.]

Geochemistry, Mineralogy and Petrology

64	Petrology of intrusive rocks in the northern Judith Mountains. [March 1981.]	Paula Barrick Montana State University	
	Tertiary volcanic rocks of southwestern Montana. [Continuing.]	Robert A. Chadwick Montana State University	
30	[See Isotope Geology.]	Ronald B. Chase	
65	Petrology of the Yellowstone Plateau volcanic field. [Continuing.]	Robert L. Christiansen, USGS, Menlo Park, California	
	Mineralogical studies of quartzites from the Spo- kane Formation. [Continuing.]	Jon J. Connor USGS, Denver, Colorado	
	Geochemistry of pyrite in the Mammoth coal seam, eastern Montana.	John Daniel and Frank Diebold, Montana Tech	
31	Petrology, geochemistry and tectonic framework of the Chief Joseph plutonic complex, Idaho-Mon- tana. Map areas include sections north and south of the East Fork of the Bitterroot River and in the Lost Trail Pass area.	Neal R. Desmarais University of Washington	
	Metal geochemistry of the Rosebud coal seam, eastern Montana.	Frank Diebold, Dave Dobb and Bill Christiaens Montana Tech	
	Evaluation of flyash as a tailings-pond amendment to neutralize sulfide tailings, fix metals and reduce seepage losses. [December 1981.]	J. J. Donovan, John L. Son- deregger, Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology	
	Evaluation of leachable salt loads, sources of se- lenium and its transport mechanism(s) in saline- seep affected areas of Montana. [1981.]	J. J. Donovan, John L. Son- deregger, M. R. Miller, Mon- tana Bureau of Mines and Geology	
	[See Energy.]	Terrence J. Donovan	
66	[See Economic Geology.]	Lawrence J. Drew	
67	Reconnaissance study of orbicular granites in the Beartooth Mountains. [1983.]	George W. Fisher Johns Hopkins University	
	[See Structural Geology.]	David Fountain	
	Geochemistry and origin of Archean quartzofeld- spathic gneisses in southwestern Montana. [June 1981.]	David Fountain University of Montana	
68	Geochemical constraints on the origin of Protero- zoic anorthosites, western United States (includes Bitterroot anorthosite, Montana). [1982.]	Steven A. Goldberg University of Oregon	

Geochemistry, mineralogy and petrology (continued)

Petrology and geochemistry of the Phosphoria Formation. [Continuing.]

- 69 Geology of the Slough Creek Tuff and the Ash Mountain area, Park County. [Continuing.]
- *70 Structural relations of metabasites in the northwest and southern Tobacco Root Mountains, Madison County. [1982.]
- *71 Mineral chemistry of some garnet pyribolite metabasites from the Tobacco Root Mountains, Madison County. [1983?]

[See Energy.]

- 72 Uranium geochemistry of hydrothermal solutions in the Bearmouth area. [June 1981.]
- 73 Geology of kimberlites (includes work in northcentral Montana.) [Continuing.]

Geochemistry of clinker. [Continuing.]

*74 Study of the mineralogy of amphibolites and metamorphic facies of rocks in the Tobacco Root Mountains and adjoining areas. Also microprobe analyses of pyroxene-garnet pairs and areal synthesis of facies in the region. [1982 or 1983.]

Geochemical survey of Cretaceous rocks overlying minable coal in the western United States. [Continuing.]

75 Petrology, chemistry and tectonics of the Bitterroot lobe of the Idaho batholith.

Geochemistry of F, CI, P and S in the Rosebud coal seam, eastern Montana.

Chemical modeling and characterization of The Anaconda Company's mine-waste disposal system and investigation of techniques for metal recovery.

- 76 Petrochemistry and petrology (including a detailed geologic map) of the Rocky Boy stock in the Bearpaw Mountains. [September 1981.]
- 77 Continued geologic mapping of igneous bodies of Crazy Mountains; Coffin Butte and Little Elk dome in the northern part are targeted. [1982-1983.]

36 [See Structural Geology.]

37 [See Structural Geology.]

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Thomas B. Hanley Columbus College

Thomas B. Hanley, Columbus College; Peter Dahl, Kent State University

Dick Hannifan, Dennis Jenke, Don Beuerman

B. Patrick Heald Montana Tech

B. Carter Hearn, Jr. USGS, Reston, Virginia

James R. Herring USGS, Denver, Colorado

David F. Hess Western Illinois University

Todd K. Hinkley USGS, Denver, Colorado

Donald Hyndman University of Montana

Margaret Ikeda and Frank Diebold, Montana Tech

Dennis Jenke, Frank Diebold, Montana Tech; Gordon Pagenkopf, Montana State University

Mark W. Joop Washington State University

Leonard H. Larsen University of Cincinnati

Leonard H. Larsen Leonard H. Larsen and Lawrence C. Rowan

Geochemistry, mineralogy and petrology (continued)

*78 Mapping, geochemical sampling and fission track age-dating of numerous Tertiary volcanic deposits in Sage and Blacktail creeks, Beaverhead and Madison counties. [June 1983.]

[See Energy.]

Correlation of chemical and mineralogical variation in the Fort Union Formation with environment of deposition. [Continuing.]

- 79 Petrology, structure and geochemistry of Archean rocks in the North Snowy Block, Beartooth Mountains.
- 80 Geochemical and isotopic investigation of the Precambrian rocks of the Beartooth Mountains, with emphasis on U and Th distribution and geochemistry.
- 81 A comparative study of "Leopard Rock" dikes and an ellipsoidal amphibolite in the Beartooth Mountains. [1985.]
- *82 Mapping, petrology and geochemistry of the volcanic rocks at Black Butte, Madison County. [Winter 1981-1982.]
- 83 Study includes detailed modal and chemical variations of silicate minerals in select stratigraphic sections through the Stillwater Complex. The ultimate goal is to determine the petrogenesis of the intrusion or at least the major processes involved in its crystallization history. [Continuing.]
- 57 [See Stratigraphy.]
- 84 [See Economic Geology.]
- 85 Mineralogical study of mixed-layer illite-smectite in shales from the Montana disturbed belt.
- 86 Sr isotope systematics, major elements and traceelement chemistry of granitic rocks, inclusions and country rocks from the northeast border zone of the Idaho batholith. [Spring 1982.]

Investigation of lithic materials in archaeological context: Studies in cooperation of Montana State University archaeologists. [Continuing.]

[See Energy.]

*87 Petrogenesis of a mafic sill swarm; Doherty Mountain area. [1983.] Kim L. Marcus Western Washington University

Steve McGrath, Frank Diebold

James M. McNeal USGS, Denver, Colorado

David W. Mogk University of Washington

Paul A. Mueller University of Florida

John C. Palmquist Lawrence University

Paul Pushkar, Wright State University; James Gutman, Wesleyan University

L. D. Raedeke and I. S. McCallum University of Washington

J. Moore

Paul D. Proctor

Leonard G. Schultz USGS, Denver, Colorado

Robert D. Shuster University of Kansas

Don Smith Montana State University

Tim Snelling, Doug Drew, Frank Diebold

Charles J. Vitaliano and T. S. Hamilton Indiana University

Geochemistry, mineralogy and petrology (continued)

*88 Petrology and geochemistry of the Tobacco Root batholith.

[See Stratigraphy.]

*89 Mineralogy, petrology and geochemistry of eight stocks in the Pioneer Range, Beaverhead County. [Summer 1981.]

Study of ultramafic xenoliths in basaltic rocks (includes work in Montana). [Continuing.]

- *90 Petrology and origin of Archean assemblages exposed at Copper Mountain, southern Tobacco Roots, and the Kelly area, northern Ruby Range, southwestern Montana.
- *91 Petrologic study is made of the Archean highgrade metamorphic rocks exposed in the core of the Armstead anticline of southwestern Montana. This area borders the north side of the Clark Canyon Reservoir and extends six miles northwestward. [May 1981.]

Charles J. Vitaliano, Indiana University; D. F. Hess, J. L. Smith and others, Western Illinois University

Bruce R. Wardlaw

John Welch Purdue University

Howard G. Wilshire USGS

Michael L. Wilson University of Montana

Maria Young University of Montana

Isotope Geology and Geochronology

30 Origin, structural evolution and age of the northeastern Idaho batholith igneous-metamorphic complex. This is a continuing study which involves mapping, petrography, structural analysis, U-Pb and Rb-Sr isotopic dating of the Bitterroot gneiss dome and surrounding region.

[See Geomorphology.]

Compilation of radiometric dates of Montana rocks. (Will be published as MBMG Bulletin 114, and will be available in late summer 1981.)

- *92 Lead isotope studies in conjunction with study of geology of Dillon 2° quadrangle.
- 93 Operation of an automated helium sniffer near Gardiner.
- *78 [See Geochemistry.]

Existing data in Radiometric Age Data Bank for Montana will be revised and updated.

- 80 [See Geochemistry.]
- 94 Study of the time of thrusting of the Sapphire tectonic block.

Ronald B. Chase Western Michigan Universiy

Donald A. Coates

Faith Daniel and Richard B. Berg, Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology

Bruce R. Doe USGS, Denver, Colorado

Irving Friedman USGS, Denver, Colorado

Kim L. Marcus

Richard F. Marvin USGS, Denver, Colorado

Paul A. Mueller

Charles W. Naeser USGS, Denver, Colorado

Chemical and isotopic evidence of the origins of Dudley D. Rice USGS, Denver, Colorado natural gases. [1983.] 95 Stable isotope study of the ore at Blacktail Moun-Robert O. Rye USGS, Denver, Colorado tain. Robert D. Shuster 86 [See Geochemistry.] Thomas W. Stearn *96 Sr isotopic study of the Pioneer batholith. [Continuing.] USGS, Reston, Virginia Geophysics Robert C. Anderson Stratigraphic geophysical data analysis. Data processing and interpretation of reflection-seismic USGS data and well-log data will include data from the Powder River basin. The use of the data as an exploration tool for deep aquifers will be evaluated. Alfred H. Balch Seismic interpretations of stratigraphic oil and gas traps. Will include a seismic profile in the eastern USGS, Denver, Colorado part of the Powder River basin. [1981.] Seismic monitoring and regional seismicity of Edward C. Bingler, Michael Stickney, Montana Bureau Montana-in cooperation with the University of of Mines and Geology Montana. 27 Detailed gravity study of Beartooth Front, near William E. Bonini Princeton University Red Lodge, to investigate structure and nature of the thrusting. Donald P. Elston Studies of the magnetic polarity stratigraphy of the Fort Union and Wasatch formations of the USGS, Flagstaff, Arizona northern Powder River basin. [Continuing.] Precambrian magnetic chronology (includes work Donald P. Elston on rocks of the Belt Supergroup in western Mon-USGS, Flagstaff, Arizona tana). [Continuing.] 97 Geophysics of the Purcell anticlinorium. David Fountain [June 1982.] University of Montana 98 Gravity and aeromagnetic data will be collected for William F. Hanna selected areas within the Butte 2° quadrangle. USGS, Denver, Colorado [1982.] Peter P. Johnson *99 [See Geomorphology and Glacial Geology.] M. Dean Kleinkopf Geophysical studies of the overthrust belt, north-USGS, Golden, Colorado ern Rocky Mountains. [1985.] Magnetic, gravity and electrical surveys in con-M. Dean Kleinkopf junction with USGS work in western Montana. USGS, Denver, Colorado

[Continuing.]

Geophysics (continued)

100 Sub-bottom profiling of Flathead Lake. This study has shown a variety of deformational struc- tures in the upper 200 ft. of lake sediments covered by a drape of undisturbed sediments 10 to 30 ft. thick. [June 1981.]	Jerry Kogan University of Montana
Delineation of the Montana mineral belt by satellite and geophysical remote sensors. [May 1982.]	David M. L'Heureux Purdue University
101 Yellowstone seismic analysis. [Continuing.]	A. M. Pitt, USGS
*102 Surface gravity and magnetic measurements of the 10 N pluton, southern Broadwater County. [August 1981.]	Charles Rinehart, Indiana University, Bloomington
Crustal strain studies along some major faults in the western states, including Montana. [Continuing.]	James C. Savage USGS
Gravity, magnetic, resistivity and seismic studies at certain geothermal areas in Montana.	Charles J. Wideman, Doug- las W. Dresser, James W. Halvorson, Montana Tech
103 Correlation of a total field (proton precession) ground magnetic survey with detailed geologic mapping in order to develop a computer model for the geometry of the quartz monzonite garnet stock. [June 1982.]	Kurtis Wilkie Iowa State University
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Chemical analysis and evaluation of coal in the western United States. (Includes work on the Anderson, Canyon, Roland and Smith coal beds in Montana.) [Continuing.]

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- 158 Assessment of the ground-water resources of the Lake Creek valley south of Troy prior to the development of a copper mining operation and tailings pond in the area. [September 1981.]
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- 174 Earthquake-hazard evaluation of the Townsend valley area, central western Montana (proposed).
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Element availability of soils in coal areas. [Continuing.] Edward C. Bingler, Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology

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