Tillamook Sandstone

The deposit is in the SE ¼ Sec. 34, T. 1 N., and the SW ¼ Sec. 2, T. 1 N., and the NW ¼ Sec. 2, T. 1 S., all in R. 10 W. Plate 39. The area is on the Coast Highway, 6.0 miles north of Tillamook, in the town of Bay City.

The area is one of low hills with dwellings in the wide valleys. The deposit is a sedimentary bed of ferruginous clay, in places somewhat sandy and capped, in part, by a thin bed of light gray sandstone. No work has been done to open the deposit. The thickness of the bed is unknown.

The material is all more or less iron-stained clay, but there is some fine, white quartz sand in it. The proportion of sand appears very small, but appears to be of good quality. The area is divided among many private owners.

In view of the small amount of quartz sand, and complicated property ownership, the deposit is probably uneconomic.