



Rutile and Ilmenite Placer Deposits: Roseland District, Nelson and Amherst Counties, Virginia (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, 2017. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from Rutile and Ilmenite Placer Deposits: Roseland District, Nelson and Amherst Counties, Virginia Figure 1. - Index map of Virginia showing the Roseland district (shown by solid area). Sapolite 1 deposits containing ilmenite were first mined along the Piney River in 1930 by the Vanadium Corp. Of America (fish, 1962, p. The properties of this company were acquired in 1944 by the American Cyanamid co. To supply ilmenite for a new pigment plant at Piney River. Currently, American Cyanamid is the only active producer of titanium minerals in the district. Ilmenite and rutile-bearing saprolite deposits within only a small part Of the area exceed 20 million tons and average percent tiox (fish, Over the entire area, actual saprolite reserves must be several orders Of magnitude greater than this figure. Considering the great abundance Of easily recoverable titanium minerals in saprolite, perhaps even higher grade deposits may have been produced by the winnowing action of streams in the area. To test this possibility, W. C. Overstreet and Norman Herz made a reconnaissance study of the district in March 1968, and 31 panned concentrates...



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