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EXPLORATION REPORT NO. 1

The 1980 Rotary Drilling Program

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Similkameen M.D. NTS #92 H/9

Kamloops, Yale, and Similkameen Divisions of Yale Land District
British Columbia

N. Lat. 49° 27' to 49° 36'

W. Long. 120° 26' to 120° 35'

Program Operator: Fording Coal Limited
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Calgary, Alberta
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Work done: July 2, 1980 to July 15, 1980

Report submitted: September 2, 1980

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INTRODUCTION

Location and Access

The study area (see enclosed map) covers a total of approximately 75 square kilometers in South-Central British Columbia, and extends in a north-easterly direction, with the town of Princeton bordering the southern limit. Excellent access is provided by Highways 3 and 5, the Jura Road to the northeast, the Coalmont, Tulameen road to the west, and numerous secondary roads.

History and Previous Work

Coal first gained economic significance in the Princeton Basin as early as 1909, with numerous small scale mines in operation up until 1951. The peak annual output was attained in 1942, with 125,213 tons being produced. It is notable that the total production of the Princeton coalfield exceeded 2 million tons.

Production in the north basin was limited to the United Empire Mine (see enclosed map) which in 1913, produced 2,000 tons. Only minor subsurface exploration has been done. Only one or two coal outcrops are known to exist.

During September of 1977, a Cominco Exploration hole (U.P. #1) which was drilled to test the Eocene Allenby sediments for possible uranium mineralization, intersected several thin coal seams and interbedded mudstones-siltstones. This coal zone was analyzed at 40.7% ash and 5472 BTU/lb. on an air dried basis over an interval of 12.2 meters.

Information gained from the following references coupled with the above work, resulted in application being made for coal licenses and the current exploration program.

References

- Hills, L.V. (1962) Glaciation, Structures, and Micropalaeontology of the Princeton Coalfield, B.C.; M.Sc. Thesis; Dept. of Geology, U.B.C.

- Hughes, E.R. (1947) The Princeton Coalfield; The Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Trans. Vol. L 1947 pp.656-676
- Shaw, W.S. (1952) The Princeton Coalfield; The Dept. of Mines and Technical Surveys, Geological Society of Canada.

General Geology

The Princeton Coalfield is underlain by rocks of Oligocene Age, and is one of the pockets of generally small, isolated Tertiary lake basins found in the interior of British Columbia. Resting unconformably on the Nicola group are a series of volcanic and sedimentary rocks which are treated as three individual rock units.

The Tertiary volcanics occur both above and below stratified rocks and in some cases, they have been thrust over the younger measures. Resting between these are the Allenby sediments, mainly of fluvial and lacustrine origin, and consisting of predominantly massive, cross-bedded granule and pebble conglomerate, sandstone, thinly bedded shale with intercalated beds of coal, carbonaceous siltstones and shales, and minor layers of bentonitic clays.

The basin can be geographically and geologically divided into two separate basins with the town of Princeton separating the North Basin from the South. The bulk of our work is concentrated on the north which has been interpreted as a composite basin made up of two related synclinal basins separated by an anticline which crosses the basin about 1 mile north of the town of Princeton. Flanked by the bounding Nicola group rocks, the strata within the basin dip from 8 degrees to 30 degrees, and locally up to 65° degrees towards the edges, with much faulting and folding interpreted within the basin.

The Tertiary volcanics are not entirely absent, but their presence is less noticeable than in the Southern area. Coal outcrops, although rare, have been observed in the Summers Creek area to the north and the Deer Valley creek area to the East.

A map compiled from the various references mentioned was provided by R.J. Nicholson of Cominco Ltd. This is the DRILL HOLE LOCATION map included in the Appendices.

Current Drilling Program

Drilling commenced on the fourth of July with a dual wall, reverse circulation, Gardner-Denver 1700, truck mounted seismic type rig. The program consisted of 4, rotary drilled, reverse circulation drill holes, averaging 110 m in depth of which geophysical logs were obtained on all but U.P. #3. No coal was encountered in any of the holes although, samples with 3 meter intervals were taken from U.P. #3, U.P. #4 and U.P. #5 for possible U_3O_8 content. Casing was set through to bedrock in each of the 4 holes with one hole, U.P. #3, having to be abandoned due to the casing unthreading while reaming out the hole. It is suspected that gravel falling in at a joint caused this. Due to the large thickness of surficials encountered while attempting to set casing, problems arose with trying to determine the correct viscosity of the drilling mud being used. Returns from the hole were being circulated through the mud pumps, resulting in loss of priming fluid and circulation, which could only be remedied by cleaning the pumps and mixing new mud. Once the required depth to bedrock had been reached and the casing installed, the method of drilling was changed to reverse circulation using air with minor water injection. The sediments encountered generally had from 20% to 40% clay minerals forming the matrix which when circulated through the dual wall pipe would severely plug the system, resulting in having to trip out of the hole and remove the debris. Along with this loss of production time, approximately 20 hours were lost due to breakdown.

Due to prior commitments, S.D.S. found it necessary to bring in another crew to work a double shift, which started on the 9th of July and continued through to Sunday, 13th of July.

Technical Information

Number of Holes:	4
Total Drilled Footage:	351.3 meters
Total Logged Footage:	300.5 86%
Number of Working Hours:	125.5 hours
Drilling Rate:	2.79m/hr.

Applicable licenses where drilling done

UP-2,3	C.L. 5222	L.1507
UP-4	C.L. 5228	L. 966
UP-5	C.L. 5233	L.1520

Summary of Results

No coal was encountered in any of the holes drilled although, some minor carbonaceous mudstone beds, only a few centimeters thick, were intersected in hole U.P. #2.

The stratigraphy mainly consisted of medium to coarse grained arkosic sandstone of a friable nature. Normally the grains were held together by a clayey paste, mostly kaolinite which formed the matrix. Minor beds of loosely consolidated conglomerates were also located in U.P. #2.

In hole U.P. #5 at a depth of 69 meters, a "knob" of volcanic rock was encountered, interpreted to be equivalent to rocks described by Shaw as the Upper Volcanics and by Hills as Lower Volcanics. Close observation and use of a previously reported criteria for lithologically distinguishing the two formations would suggest it to be Upper Volcanic due to its highly vesicular to amygdaloidal structure containing abundant olivine phenocrysts. A very definite contact was found between the sedimentary and volcanic rocks as shown in the geophysical log, thus indicating the hole penetrated below the coal bearing strata.

Report submitted by Bill Carpenter

W.F. Carpenter

Approved A.C. Taplin

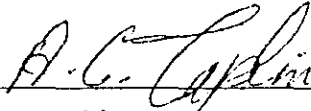
A.C. Taplin P. Eng. Chief Geologist

Statement of Qualification

This report has been prepared by, and is based upon the results of field work supervised by W.F. Carpenter, Geological Technologist, employed by Fording Coal Limited.

I hereby certify that W.F. Carpenter is a very competent technologist who is a June 1976 graduate from N.A.I.T.'s Coal Resources Technology program. He was employed as a geological technologist and field drilling supervisor for Luscar Ltd. from August 1976 to October 1978, and after obtaining further coal geology experience in Australia, he joined Fording Coal in December, 1979. I personally organized the drilling program and arranged for the drilling and geophysical contractors, as well as touring the area with Carpenter and selecting the general drilling locations. He was in daily contact with me via telephone during the course of the drilling program.

Signed



A.C. Taplin P. Eng.



APPENDICES

Geological Logs	Holes UP-2,3,4,5
Geophysical Logs	Holes UP-2, 3 ,4,5
DRILL HOLE LOCATION MAP	Scale 1:20,000
Certification of Expenditures	
Contractors invoices, copies	

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SIDEWALL DENSILOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

SM-PRINCETON NORTH 80 (3)A * (1) W-2

FILE NO. _____
 COMPANY FORGING CO. LTD.
 WELL UP-2
 LOCATION _____
 FIELD BRANDON
 PROVINCE BRITISH COLUMBIA
 Log Measured from GROUND LEVEL Elev. _____ Above Perm. Datum
 Well Depths Measured from GROUND LEVEL K.B. _____
 G.L. _____

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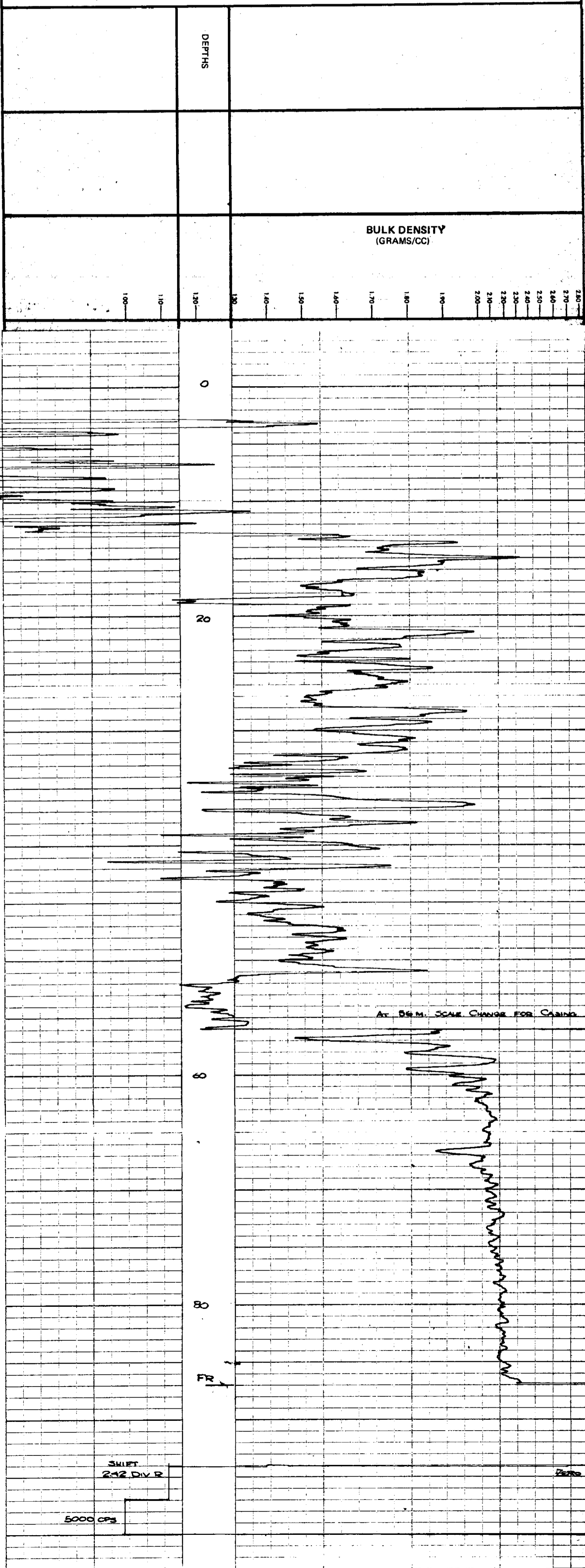
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 Log Measured from GROUND LEVEL
 Well Depths Measured from GROUND LEVEL
 Run No. 021
 Date 12 JAN 1980
 First Reading 87.4
 Last Reading 0
 Footage Logged 9.87
 Depth Reached 88
 Depth Driller 103.5
 Casing Roke D&S
 Casing Driller D&S
 Fluid Type MUD/WATER
 Liquid Level _____
 Min. Diam. 127 CM
 Operating Time 0.5 Hours
 Truck No. 130

Recorded By WAM Witnessed By CAMPBELL

RUN NO.	GENERAL		SPEED M/MIN	T.C. SEC.	GAMMA RAY			SIDEWALL DENSILOG			CPS/DIV
	FROM	TO			SENS SETTINGS	ZERO DIV. L OR R	API G.R. UNITS PER LOG DIV.	T.C. SEC.	SENS SETTINGS	ZERO DIV. L OR R	
1	0	56	8				0.5	5000	260 R	88.6	
	56	87	8				0.5	5000	242 R	100.6	

REMARKS DRILL HOLE LARGER THAN CASING
Density Tool # 663 A3



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GAMMA RAY NEUTRON LOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

5222 BRANSTON NORTH RD (310) (1) UP 2

FILE NO.	COMPANY	FORDING COAL LIMITED
WELL	UP-2	
LOCATION		
FIELD	BRINCEPTON	
PROVINCE	BRITISH COLUMBIA	
Permanent Datum	GROUND LEVEL	Other Services: DENIS, SP-RES
Log Measured from	GROUND LEVEL	K. B. _____
Well Depths Measured from	GROUND LEVEL	CSG _____
		G. L. _____
Run No.	ONE	
Date	12 JULY 1980	
First Reading	89 M	
Last Reading	0	
Footage Logged	89	
Depth Reached	89.7	
Depth Driller	103.6	
Casing Roke	56.6	
Casing Driller	56.6	
Fluid Type	MUD / WATER	
Liquid Level	13	
Min. Diam.	12.7 CM	
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Operating Time	1 HOUR	
Truck No.	130	
Recorded By	WARTL	Witnessed By
		CARPENTER

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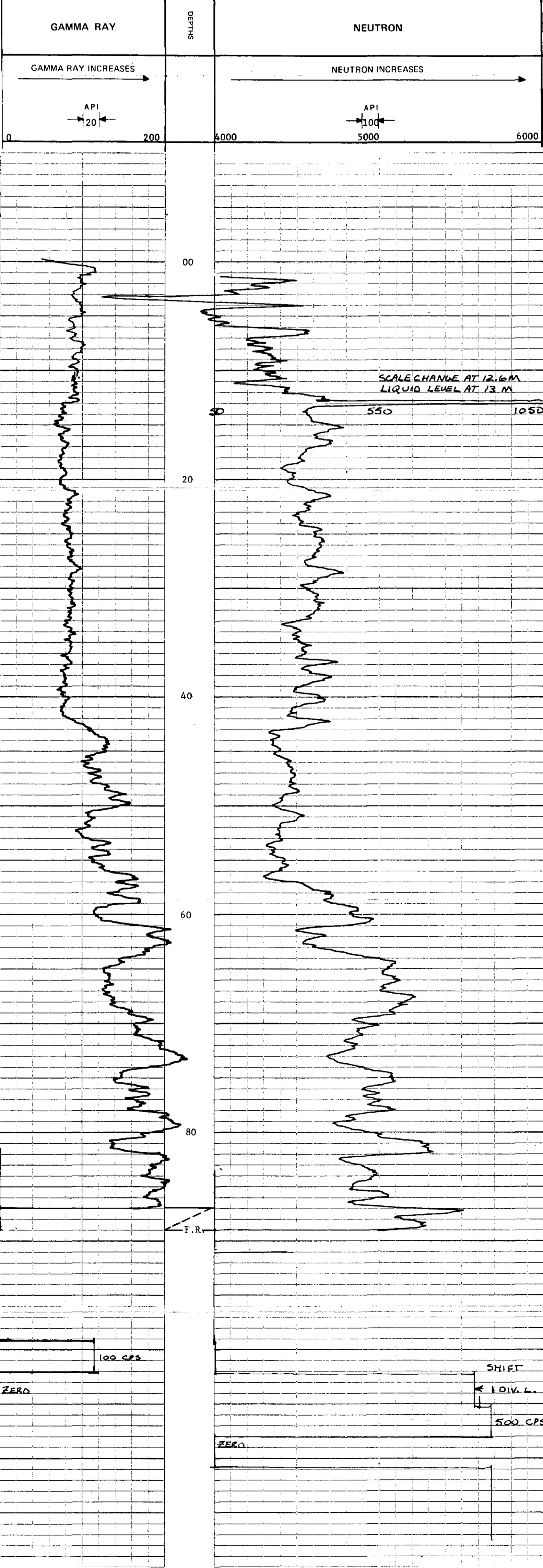
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TYPE	SCINTILLATION	DETECTOR MODEL NO.	
LENGTH	102 MM	TYPE	PROPORTIONAL
DISTANCE TO N. SOURCE	2.1 M	LENGTH	152 MM
		SOURCE MODEL NO.	MRC-N-SS-W
GENERAL		SERIAL NO.	265
HOIST TRUCK NO.	130	SPACING	43 CM
INSTRUMENT TRUCK NO.	130	TYPE	AmBe
TOOL SERIAL NO.	R-GRN 125A002	STRENGTH	3 CURIES

LOGGING DATA

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ONE	0	12.6	4	3	100	0	20	3	1000	40 L	100 API
ONE	12.6	89	4	3	100	0	20	3	500	1 L	50 API

REMARKS



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GAMMA RAY NEUTRON LOG
OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

371 - BRITISH COLUMBIA NORTH 80 (3-5)A * (1) UP 4

FILE NO.	COMPANY	FORDING COAL LIMITED
LSD	WELL	UP-4
SEC	LOCATION	
TWP	FIELD	BRINCEYTON
RGE	PROVINCE	BRITISH COLUMBIA
M	Log Measured from	GROUND LEVEL
	Well Depths Measured from	GROUND LEVEL
	Other Services:	DENS, SP-RES
	K.B.	
	CSG	
	G.L.	
Run No.	ONE	
Date	12 JULY 1980	
First Reading	113 M	
Last Reading	0	
Footage Logged	113	
Depth Reached	113.5	
Depth Driller	113.5	
Casing Roke	42.0	
Casing Driller	42.0	
Fluid Type	MUD/WATER	
Liquid Level	FULL	
Min. Diam.	12.7	
Rm @		
Operating Time	1.0 HOURS	
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Recorded By	KALICIN	Witnessed By
		CARPENTER

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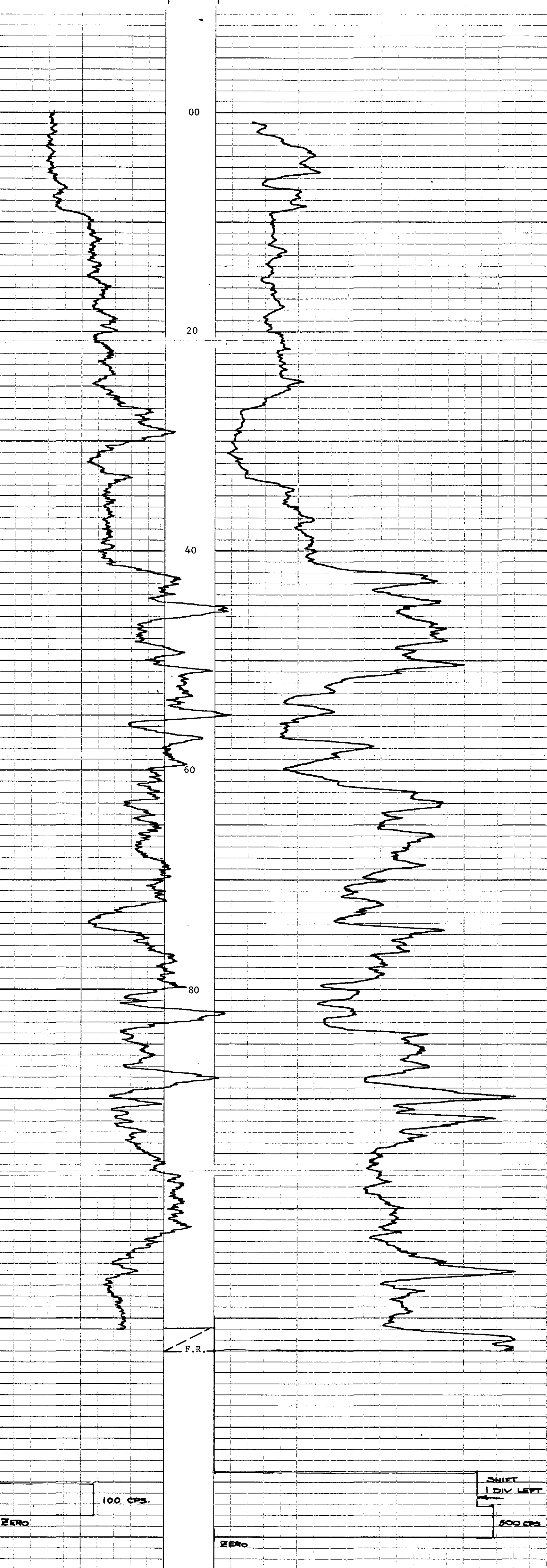
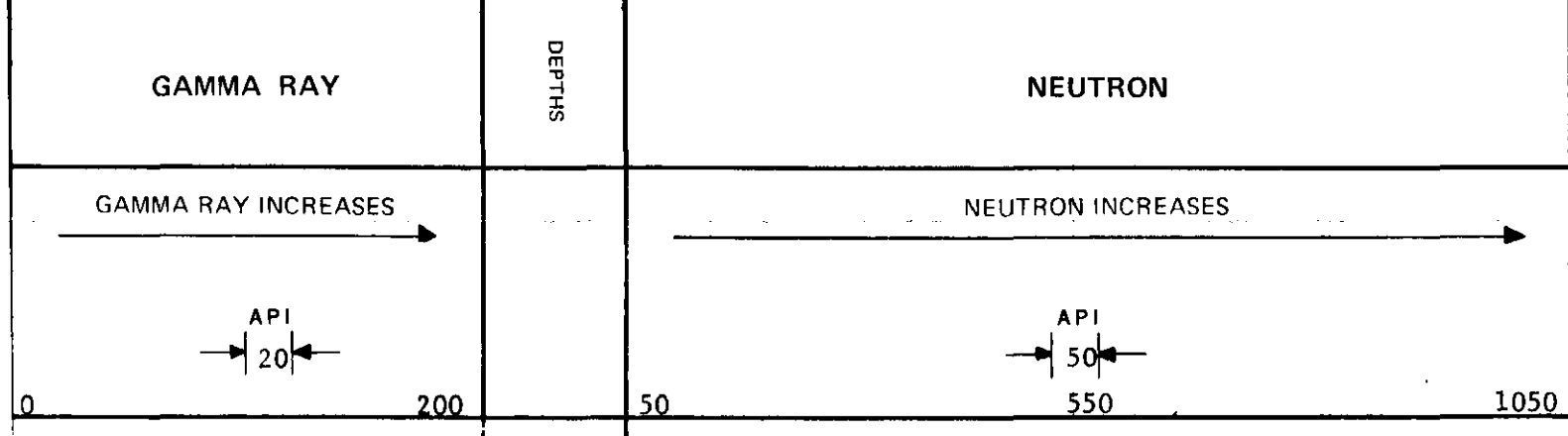
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DETECTOR MODEL NO.		DIAMETER	32 MM
TYPE	SCINTILLATION	DETECTOR MODEL NO.	
LENGTH	102 MM	TYPE	PROPORTIONAL
DISTANCE TO N. SOURCE	2.1 M	LENGTH	152 MM
		SOURCE MODEL NO.	MRC-N-SS-W
		SERIAL NO.	265
		SPACING	43 CM
		TYPE	AmBe
		STRENGTH	3 CURIES

LOGGING DATA

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	FROM	TO									
ONE	0	113	4	3	100	0	20	3	500	1 L	50 API

REMARKS WELL FLOWING WHEN LOGGED



100 G.R. ZERO

500 G.R. ZERO

SHUT DOWN LEFT

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RESISTANCE LOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

SP-PRINCETON MAHTH 80 (3*)A * (1) UP-2

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 WELL UP-2
 LOCATION _____
 FIELD PRINCETON
 W. _____ M. _____

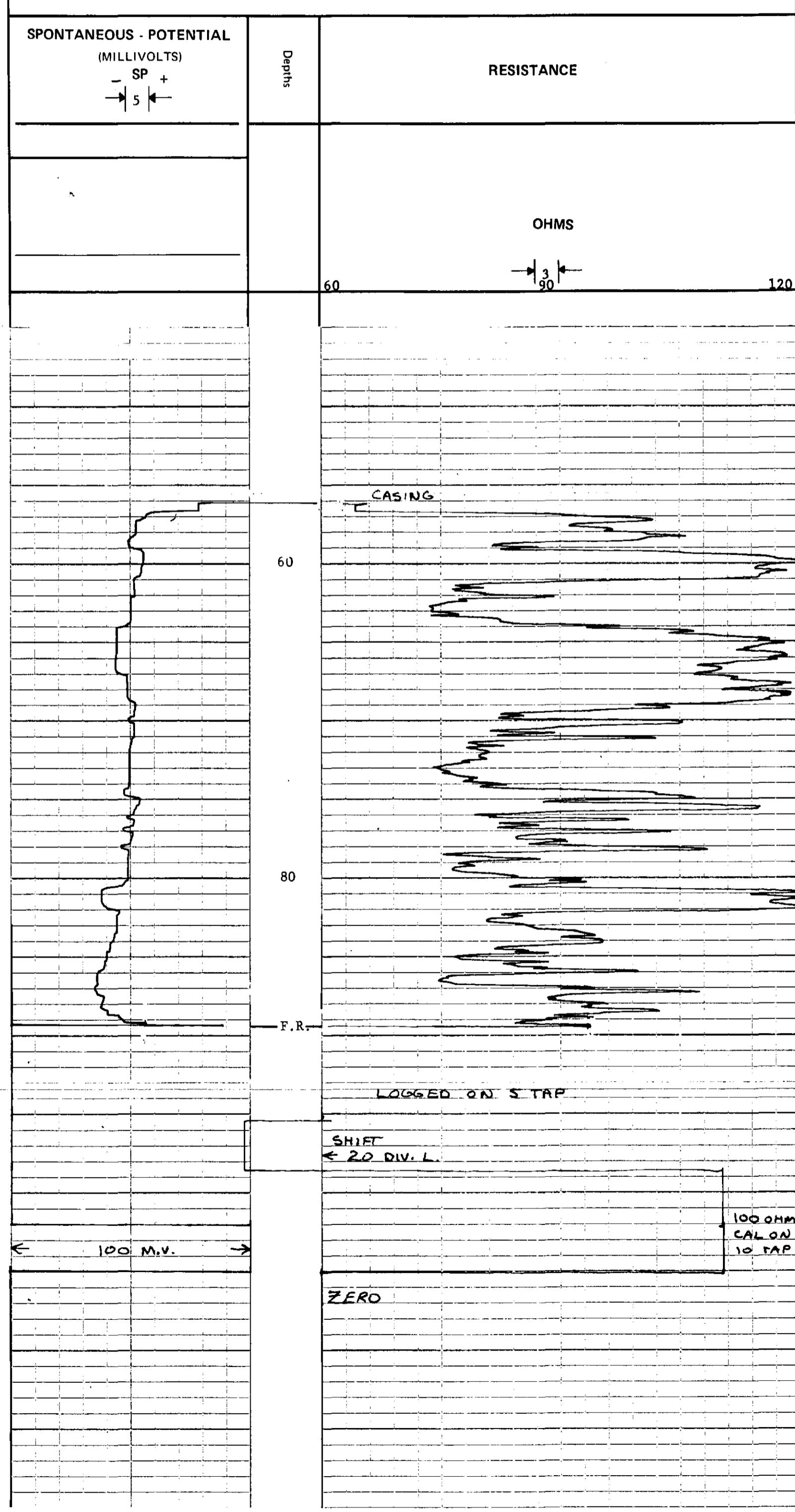
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PROVINCE BRITISH COLUMBIA
 Permanent Datum GROUND LEVEL Elev. _____
 Log Measured from GROUND LEVEL Above Perm. Datum _____
 Well Depths Measured from GROUND LEVEL
 Other Services: _____
 DENIS, GRN

Run. No.	ONE
Date	12 JULY 1980
First Reading	89.5 M
Last Reading	56.0
Footage Logged	33.5
Depth Reached	90.0
Depth Driller	103.6
Casing Roke	56.6
Casing Driller	56.6
Fluid Type	MUD/WATER
Liquid Level	
Min. Diam.	12.7 CM
Rm @ 0	
Operating Time	1 HOUR
Truck No.	130

Recorded By MAHTL Witnessed By CARPENTER

Remarks SP-RES #13
MUD FISH R= 260 Ω



SM-PRINCEWORTH NORTH 80(3)A *11) UP-4

ROKE

RESISTANCE LOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

FILE NO. _____ COMPANY FORDING COAL LIMITED

LSD _____ WELLS UP-4

TWP _____ RGE _____ LOCATION _____

W. _____ M. _____ FIELD BRINCEWORTH

PROVINCE BRITISH COLUMBIA

Permanent Datum GROUND LEVEL Elev. _____

Log Measured from GROUND LEVEL Above Perm. Datum _____

Well Depths Measured from GROUND LEVEL G.L. _____

Run No. ONE

Date 12 JULY 1980

First Reading 112.5 M

Last Reading 41.0

Footage Logged 71.5

Depth Reached 113

Depth Driller 113.5

Casing Roke 42

Casing Driller 42

Fluid Type MUD/WATER

Liquid Level FULL

Min. Diam. 12.7 CM

Other Services:
GRN, DENS

K.B. _____

CSG _____

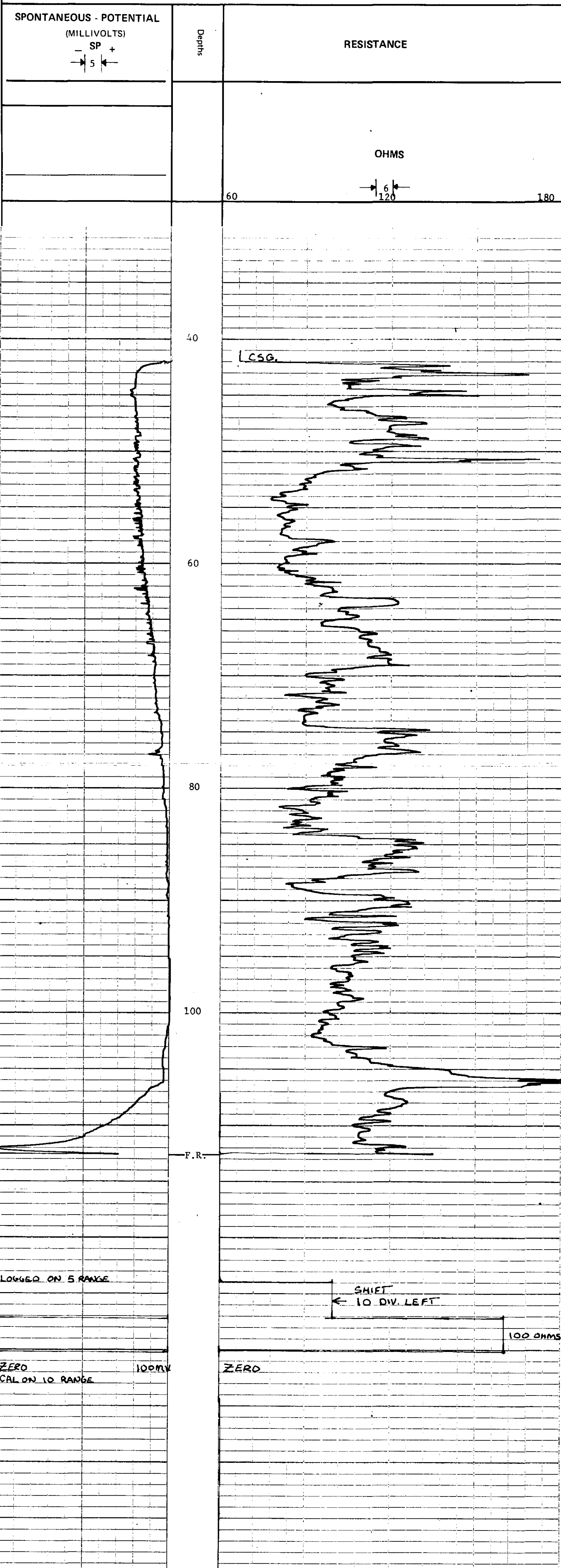
G.L. _____

Operating Time 1 HOUR

Truck No. 130

Recorded By KALIGIN Witnessed By CARPENTER

Remarks SP-RES TOOL #13 MUD FISH \approx 100 Ω
WELL WAS FLOWING WHEN LOGGED



ROKE

SIDEWALL DENSILOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

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 WELL UP-4
 LOCATION _____
 FIELD PRINCESTON

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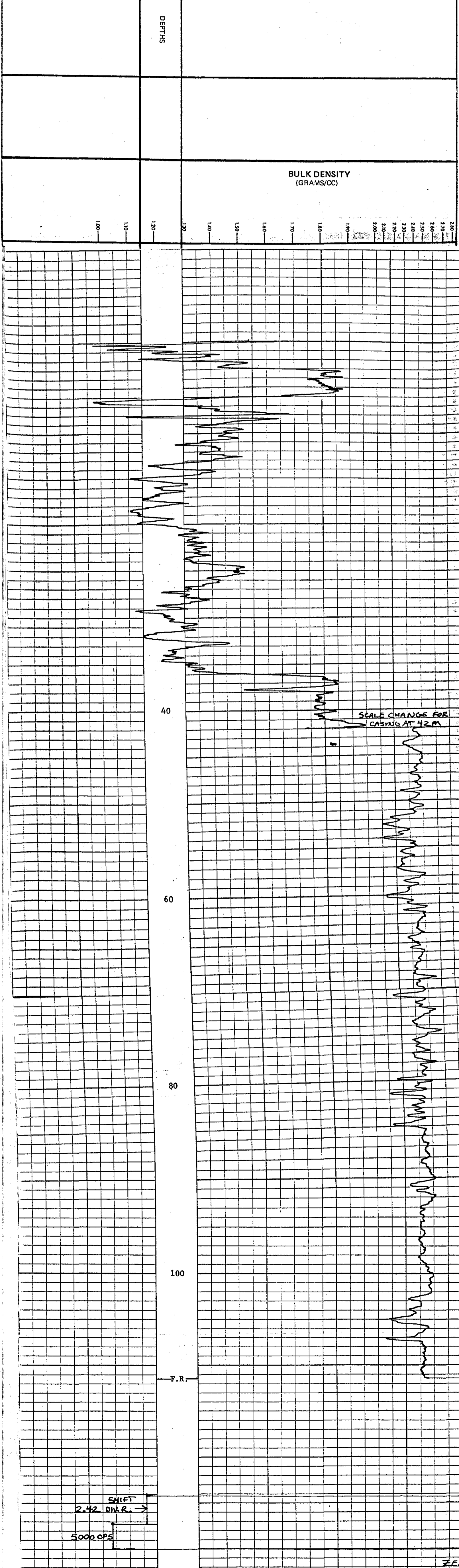
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 Log Measured from GROUND LEVEL Above Perm. Datum _____
 Well Depth-Measured from GROUND LEVEL G.L. _____

Other Services:
 GRN, SP-RIS

Run No.	ONE
Date	12 JULY 1980
First Reading	111.5 M
Last Reading	0
Footage Logged	115.5
Depth Reached	112.5
Depth Driller	113.5
Casing Rate	42
Casing Driller	42
Fluid Type	MUD/WATER
Liquid Level	FULL
Mjn. Diam.	12.7 CM
Operating Time	0.5 HOUR
Truck No.	130

RUN NO.	GENERAL			GAMMA RAY			SIDEWALL DENSILOG				
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CNE	0	42	8					.5	5 K	2.60	88.64
ONE	42	111.5	8					.5	5 K	2.42	190.60

REMARKS DENS TOOL # 663AS
CONSIDERATION MUST BE GIVEN TO INTERPRETATION OF DENSITY IN CASING
LARGE AIR SPACE BETWEEN CSG AND DRILLHOLE WALL



Recorded By KALIGITA Witnessed By CARLETER

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UP-5

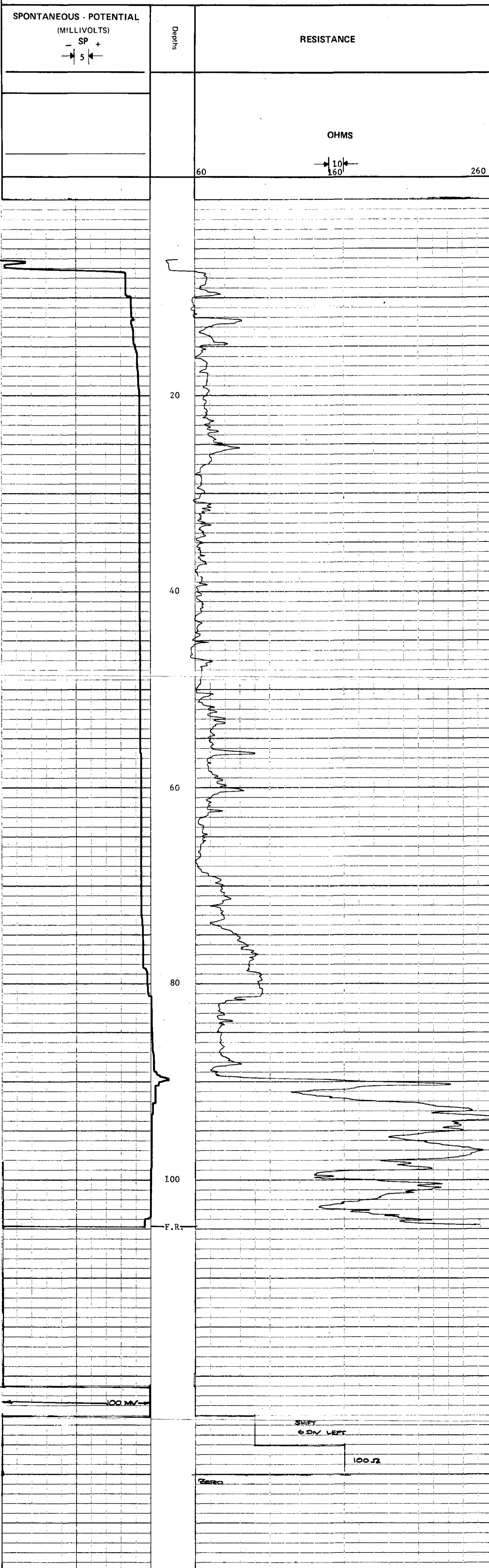
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RESISTANCE LOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

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SEC	LOCATION	
TWP	FIELD	BRINCEYTON
RGE	PROVINCE	BRITISH COLUMBIA
W		
	Other Services:	DENS, GRN
	Permanant Datum	GROUND LEVEL
	Log Measured from	GROUND LEVEL
	Well Depths Measured from	GROUND LEVEL
		Elev. Above Perm. Datum
		K.B. _____
		C.G. _____
		G.L. _____
Run No.	ONE	
Date	12 JULY 1980	
First Reading	105 M	
Last Reading	5	
Footage Logged	100	
Depth Reached	105.5	
Depth Driller	105.5	
Casing Roke	7.0	
Casing Driller	7.0	
Fluid Type	MUD / WATER	
Liquid Level	FULL	
Min. Diam.	12.7 CM	
Rm @ o		
Operating Time	1.5 HOUR	
Truck No.	130	
Recorded By	MAHL	Witnessed By
		CARPENTER

Remarks WELL FLOWING WHEN LOGGED MUDFISH 130 R
SP-RES TOOL #13



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GAMMA RAY NEUTRON LOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

50m DEWATERED NORTH 60 (3719 X1)

FILE NO. COMPANY FORDING COAL LIMITED

WELL UP-5

LOCATION

FIELD PRINCETON

PROVINCE BRITISH COLUMBIA

Permanent Datum GROUND LEVEL

Level Above Perm. Datum

Well Depth Measured from GROUND LEVEL

Other Services: DENS, SP-RHS

Run No. ONE

Date 12 JULY 1980

First Reading 105 M

Last Reading 0

F Cottage Logged 105

Depth Reached 105.5

Depth Driller 105.5

Casing Roke 7.0

Casing Driller 7.0

Fluid Type MUD/WATER

Liquid Level FULL

Main. Diam. 12.7 CM

Rm Ø

Operating Time 1.0 HOURS

Truck No. 130

Recorded By MAIL

Witnessed By CARPENTER

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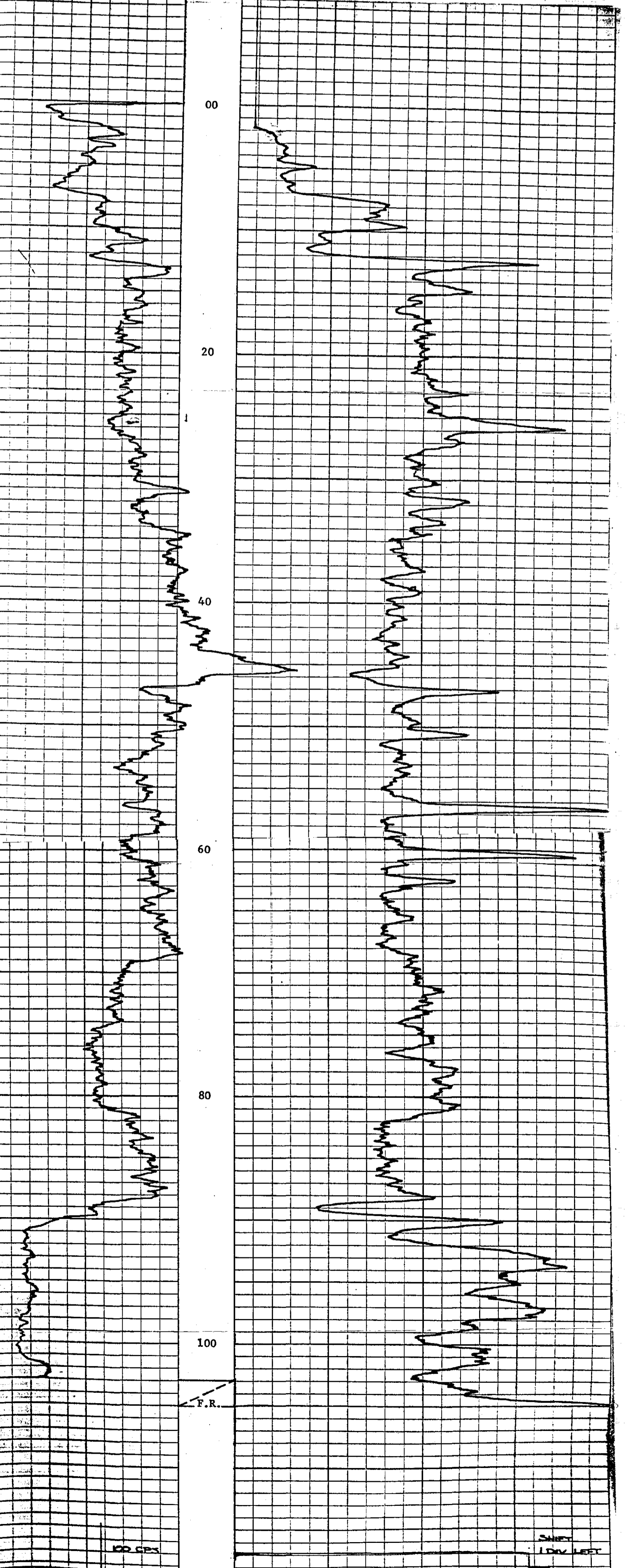
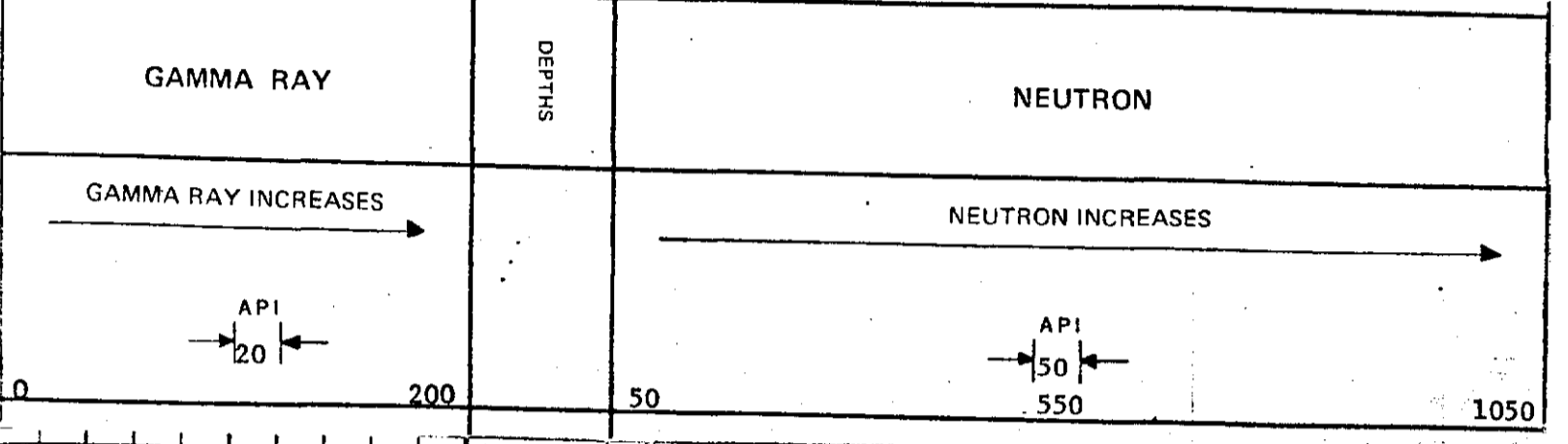
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DETECTOR MODEL NO.		DIAMETER	32 MM
TYPE	SCINTILLATION	DETECTOR MODEL NO.	
LENGTH	102 MM	TYPE	PROPORTIONAL
DISTANCE TO N. SOURCE	2.1 M	LENGTH	152 MM
		SOURCE MODEL NO.	MRC-N-SS-W
GENERAL		SERIAL NO.	265
HOIST TRUCK NO.	130	SPACING	43 CM
INSTRUMENT TRUCK NO.	130	TYPE	AmBe
TOOL SERIAL NO.	R-GRN 125A002	STRENGTH	3 CURTES

LOGGING DATA

GENERAL				GAMMA RAY			NEUTRON			
RUN NO.	DEPTHS		SPEED	T.C.	SENS	ZERO	T.C.	SENS	ZERO	API N. UNITS
	FROM	TO	M /MIN	SEC.	SETTINGS	DIV. L OR R	SEC.	SETTINGS	DIV. L OR R	PER LOG DIV.
ONE	0	115	4	3	100	0	3	500	1 L	50 API

REMARKS WELL FLOWING WHEN LOGGED



500 GRS
1 DIV LEFT
ZERO

SP-1 DEWLETT/ROBERTA B. (37)A F(1)

UP-5

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SIDEWALL DENSISLOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

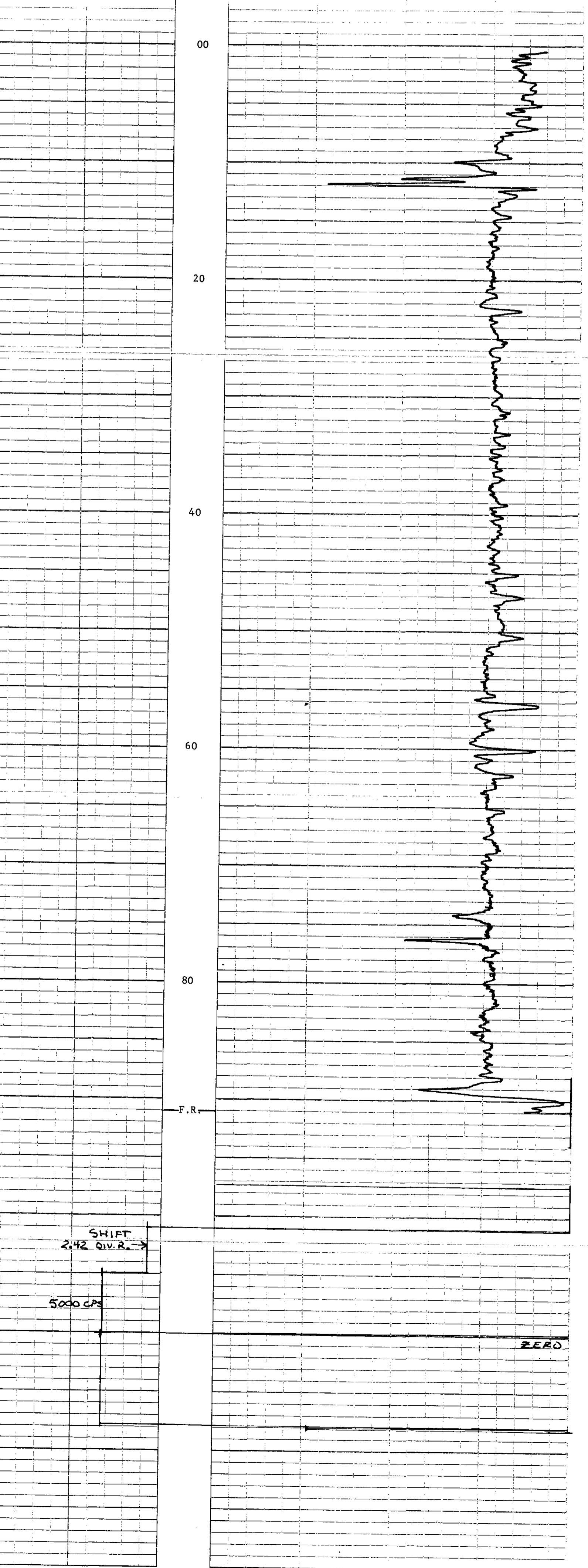
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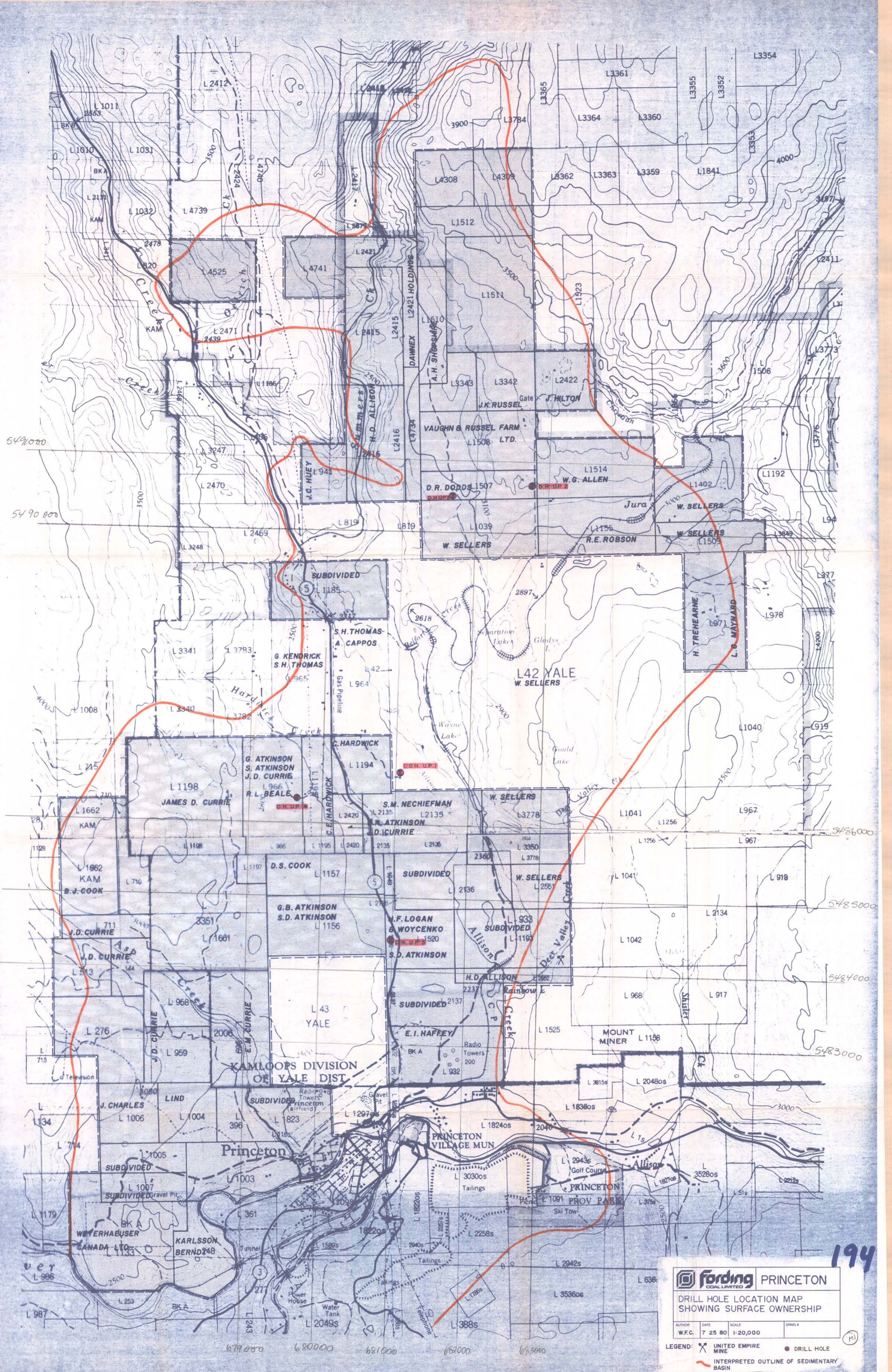
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LSD	WELL	UP-5
SFC	LOCATION	
TWP	FIELD	PRINCESTON
RGE	PROVINCE	BRITISH COLUMBIA
M	Other Services:	GRN, SP-RES
Permanent Datum	GROUND LEVEL	GRN
Log Measured from	GROUND LEVEL	CSG
Well Depths Measured from	GROUND LEVEL	G.L.
Run No.	ONE	
Date	13 JULY 1980	
First Reading	91 M	
Last Reading	0	
Footage Logged	91	
Depth Reached	91.85	
Depth Driller	105.5	
Casing Roke	7.0	
Casing Driller	7.0	
Fluid Type	MUD/WATER	
Liquid Level	FULL	
Min. Diam.	12.7 CM	
Operating Time	0.5 HOUR	
Truck No.	130	
Recorded By	WAHL	Witnessed By
		CARPENTER

RUN NO.	GENERAL		SPEED M MIN	T.C. SEC.	GAMMA RAY			SIDEWALL DENSISLOG			
	FROM	TO			SENS SETTINGS	ZERO DIV.L OR R	API G.R. UNITS PER LOG DIV.	T.C. SEC.	SENS SETTINGS	ZERO DIV.L OR R	CPS/ DIV
ONE	0	91	8					0.5	5 K	2.42	190,60

REMARKS DENS TOOL #663AS
WELL WAS FLOWING WHEN LOGGED

DEPTHS	BULK DENSITY (GRAMS/CC)	
	1.20	1.80
00		
20		
40		
60		
80		
F.R.		





Fording PRINCETON
 COAL LIMITED

DRILL HOLE LOCATION MAP
 SHOWING SURFACE OWNERSHIP

AUTHOR	DATE	SCALE	DRAWN #
W.F.C.	7 25 80	1:20,000	

- LEGEND:
- UNITED EMPIRE MINE
 - DRILL HOLE
 - INTERPRETED OUTLINE OF SEDIMENTARY BASIN

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PLUGS RUN ETC.	LOGS RUN BY _____	COLLAR LOCATION On N.W. side of D.R. Dodds property, approx 300' N. of South Border. Fence in a slight depression located between two groves of poplar trees. 457 1501 Elevation Approx. 2950	HOLE NO. Princeton U.P. #3
	Gamma Oens Res FBL Other NEUTSON		Date July 9th, 1980 Logged by B. Carpenter
Casing left in hole 0-17	Core Cut Reverse Circulation (3m) SAMPLES	Sampling Record	194

PROXIMATE ANALYSIS

FROM	TO	Representative 3m sample are taken for possible H ₂ O ₂ content. Starting @ 17 m	SAMPLE NO.	FROM	TO	WIDTH	% H ₂ O IM	VM	ASH	FC	S	BTU/lb	SEAM
0	14	Casing Set, Glacial C.S. Angular - Surrounded Pebbles, very clean, minor clay partings toward bottom. Very bad drilling conditions continuous sluffing in off well	2685	17	20	3							
			2686	20	23	3							
			2687	23	26	3							
14	17.2	Casing Set, Sandstone Loosely cemented lgt. Grey, Medium Fine Gr., 30% Clay, Soft.	2688	26	29	3							
22.5	30.8	Sandstone as above, dry											
		T.D. = 30.8											
		Abandoned Hole Due to Casing Twisting off.											
		Unable to continue drilling											
		NO COAL											
		DRY HOLE											

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CORE HOLE LOG

PLUGS RUN ETC.	LOGS RUN BY <u>ROBE</u>	COLLAR LOCATION Lot 966 70' past locked gate giving access to old abandoned farm.	HOLE NO. <u>U.P. #4</u>
	Gamma x Dens x Res x FBL Other <u>Neutron</u>		Date <u>July 10th, 1980</u>
Casing left in hole 0-42 m	Core Cut	Elevation Approx. 2600 ft.	Logged by <u>B. Carpenter</u>
		Sampling Record	PROXIMATE ANALYSIS

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FROM	TO		SAMPLE NO.	FROM	TO	WIDTH	% H ₂ O IM	VM	ASH	FC	S	BTU/lb	SEAM
0	36	Glacial fill, Gravel & Boulder, Minor Sand, Loose, Unconsolidated	2689	42	45								
			2690	45	48								
36	39.5	Clay, Lgt Grey, Sandy, Soft, Minor Gravel Chips	2691	48	51								
			2692	51	54								
39.5	41.3	Sandstone Hard, Banded, Lgt & Dr. Grey	2693	54	57								
		Fine - Med Gr.	2694	57	60								
41.3	44.0	Sandstone, Fine Gr., Hard, Lgt Brown	2695	60	63								
44.0	44.7	Siltstone, Lgt. Brown, Soft	2696	63	66								
44.7	50.0	Sandstone, Coarse Gr., Lgt Grey	2697	66	69								
		Hard	2698	69	72								
50	53	Sandstone, Fine Gr., Lgt Brown	2699	72	75								
		Soft, Banded	2700	75	78								
53	56	Mudstone, Dr. Brown, Clayey, Soft	2701	78	81								
		Slightly Carbonaceous	2702	81	84								
56	113	Sandstone, Lgt Grey, Minor Clay	2703	84	87								
		Bands thru-out, Med Coarse Gr.	2704	87	90								
			2705	90	93								
			2706	93	96								
		T.D. = 113	2707	96	99								
		No Coal	2708	99	102								

Hole is flowing @ approx. 3 gal/min.



Fording
COAL LIMITED

#200, 205 Ninth Avenue S.E., Calgary, Alberta T2G 0R4 / (403) 264-1063 / Telex 03-825846

27 August 1980

Cominco Ltd.
200 Granville Square
Vancouver, B.C. V6C 2R2

RE: Princeton Coal Prospect

Dear Sirs:

The following represents the total costs incurred by Fording Coal on the Princeton Project. We have also enclosed copies of contractor's invoices for drilling costs and logging of the core drilled.

Field supervision and report preparation		\$ 5,535.67
Contract work - Drilling Service	\$26,046.72	
Logging Services	3,353.69	
5% administration costs	<u>1,470.00</u>	30,870.41
Employee expense - travelling, etc.		2,040.00
Reproduction services - bluelines, etc.		<u>41.92</u>
		<u>\$38,488.00</u>

Yours very truly,


W.E. Steele
Accountant

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enclosures

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ROKE OIL ENTERPRISES LTD.

516 MORAINÉ ROAD N.E., CALGARY, ALBERTA T2A 2P2 • TELEPHONE 273-5553

TO: Fornding Coal Limited,
205 - 9th Avenue S.E.,
Calgary,
Alberta.

INVOICE N^o 1940

DATE July 28, 1980

SERVICES RENDERED Re: Princeton Field - Service Order #4626 - Dated July 12, 1980

Total Logging Charges	\$ 2,198.34
Mileage: 1640 km @ .60/km	984.00
Accommodation: 3 nights	91.35
Meals: 4 @ 20.00	80.00

\$ 3,353.69

FORNDING COAL LIMITED

EXTENSIONS O.K.

MATERIAL REC'D.

PAYMENT APPROVED

A.C. Taplin

CHARGE

C-488 \$3353.69

I N V O I C E



SDS DRILLING

DIVISION OF SDS INDUSTRIES LTD.
 4636 FIRST STREET S.E.
 CALGARY, ALBERTA T2G 2L3
 PHONE (403) 287-1460

Invoice No 1233

Date July 23, 1980

Client - Project No FCL-100-206

SDS - Job No PROJECT 237
 RIG 601-04

Fording Coal Limited,
 205 Ninth Avenue South East,
 CALGARY, Alberta,
 T2G 0R4.

Attention: Mr. A. C. Taplin.

Billing Period July 3, 1980 To July 13, 1980 Location Princeton, B. C.

Mobilization and demobilization - lump sum	\$ 2,500.00
Drilling - 125.0 hours @ \$125.00 per hour	15,625.00
Crew Travel - 7.0 Hours @ \$40.00 per hour	280.00
Living allowance - 57 man days @ \$35.00 per day	1,995.00
CHARGEABLE SUPPLIES	
3 only 7 7/8P retip bits @ \$250.00 each	750.00
3 only 5" WM tricore bits @ \$190.92 each	572.76
34 only bags gel @ \$7.45 each	253.30
80 feet 6 5/8" casing @ \$5.75 per foot	460.00
300 feet 5 9/16" casing @ \$4.90 per foot	1,470.00
B. C. Sales Tax, 4% on \$3,506.06	140.25
Plus 10% Handling	364.63

MOBILIZATION OF SECOND CREW

Air fares, Marlin Travel Invoice No. 011303	\$ 191.10
Crew Travel Time	
V. Theriault 10.0 hours @ \$92.00 per hour	92.00
B. Wolf 8.0 hours @ \$6.00 per hour	48.00
J. Doble 6.0 hours @ \$6.00 per hour	36.00
M. Pinnette 8.0 hours + 8.5 0. EXTENSIONS O.K. <i>B. Laporte</i>	140.07
	\$ 316.07
Benefits 20%	63.22
Pick-up - 550 miles @ \$.0.45 per mile	247.50
TOTAL ONE WAY	\$817.89
Demobilize second crew	817.89

FORDING COAL LIMITED
 MATERIAL REC'D *B. Laporte*
 PAYMENT APPROVED
 CHARGE

Terms:
 Payment due 30 days from receipt
 Interest charged at 2% per month over 30 days
 Make cheques payable to above address

TOTAL \$ 26,046.72