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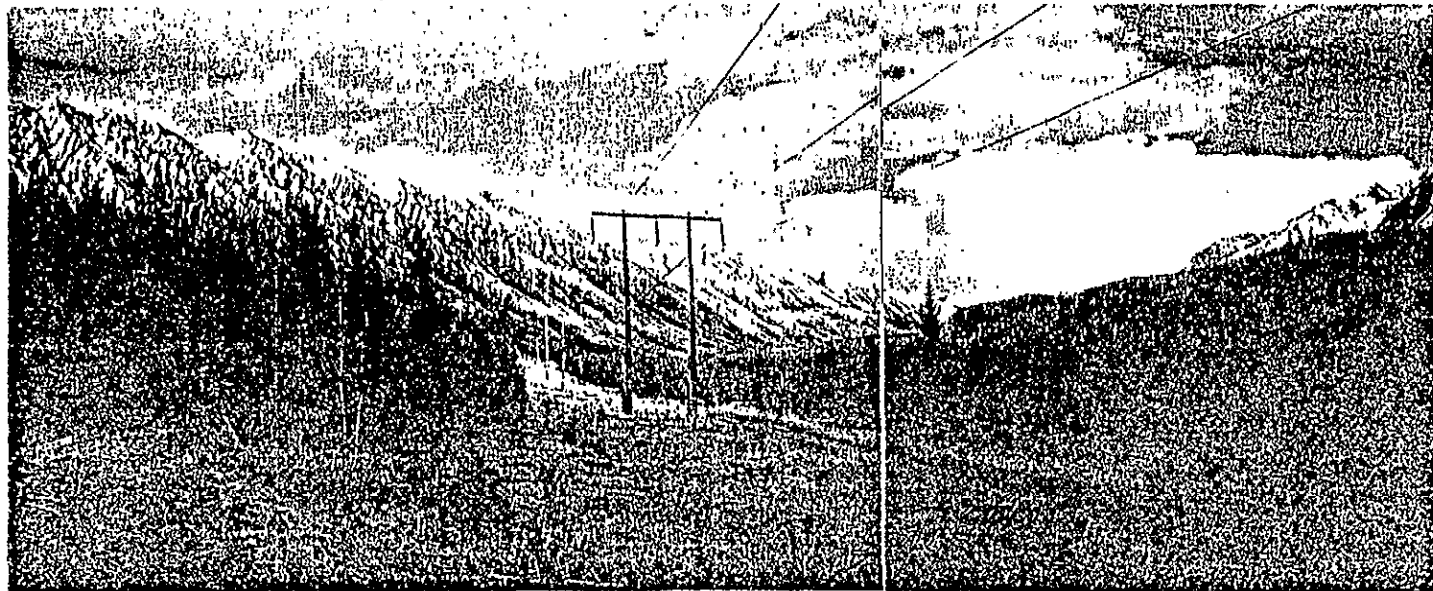


PLATE 1

Elk Valley (looking S.E.). Elk Range in background, Front Range at right. Elevated tree covered area at right represents Kootenay Formation, depressed area in centre of photo is underlain by Fernie Group.

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SUMMARY

A program of geological mapping and prospecting on a coal property owned by C. Vincent Construction Ltd. in the Upper Elk Valley, located certain coal occurrences. Steep structural dips and unfavourable topography over most of the property make the mining potential of this prospect doubtful. However, the possibility cannot be ruled out that additional studies, concentrated on the northwestern portion of the property, might disclose an area with mine-making potential.

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INTRODUCTION

General Statement

During the early part of 1970, Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited signed an agreement with C. Vincent Construction Ltd. of Dawson Creek, British Columbia, to option certain coal lands held by the company in upper Elk Valley near the British Columbia - Alberta provincial boundary. Geological mapping and prospecting for coal was carried out over the property during the month of June and part of July; this report presents the results of this work.

Property

When first optioned, the property comprised 9,256 acres held under 19 coal licences; last July, before our crews left the area, seven additional coal licences were staked covering 3,680 acres:

<u>COAL LICENCE</u>	<u>LOT NO.</u>	<u>ACRES</u>
C.L. 572	L. 8477	640
C.L. 573	L. 8479	320
C.L. 574	L. 8480	640
C.L. 575	L. 8481	640
C.L. 576	L. 8482	640
C.L. 577	L. 8483	640
C.L. 578	L. 8484	320
C.L. 579	L. 8485	640
C.L. 580	L. 8486	640
C.L. 581	L. 8487	320
C.L. 582	L. 8488	320
C.L. 583	L. 8489	640
C.L. 584	L. 8490	592
C.L. 585	L. 8491	233

<u>COAL LICENCE</u>	<u>LOT NO.</u>	<u>ACRES</u>
C.L. 586	L.8492	12
C.L. 587	L.8493	129
C.L. 798	Unsurveyed	640
C.L. 799	Unsurveyed	610
C.L. 800	Unsurveyed	640
C.L. 1012	Unsurveyed	320
C.L. 1013	Unsurveyed	640
C.L. 1014	Unsurveyed	640
C.L. 1015	Unsurveyed	640
C.L. 1016	Unsurveyed	640
C.L. 1017	Unsurveyed	640
C.L. 1018	Unsurveyed	160
TOTAL		12,936 acres

Location and Accessibility

The Vincent property lies in the Upper Elk Valley on the British Columbia side of the Alberta-British Columbia provincial boundary. It is some 55 air miles and 85 road miles southwest of Calgary, Alberta and 55 miles north of Sparwood, B. C. Geographically, the centre of the Vincent property is at:

50° 30' north latitude
 115° 00' west longitude
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Access to the property is via the Elk Pass road which is maintained by Calgary Power Limited to service their transmission line crossing the property. The road is in dismal condition and at best should be negotiated only by four-wheel drive vehicle. During the spring break-up in May and June it is impassable. The Elk Pass Road connects Kananaskis Highway to the north of Vincent property with Sparwood to the south. Recently,

the B.C. Forest Service constructed a new road on the west bank of Elk River which provides reasonably good access to part of the Upper Elk Valley; the new road joins the Elk Pass road approximately five miles south of the property.

Presently, the nearest railroad is C.P. rail line under construction to the mine site of Fording Coal Ltd.; the new line leaves Elk Valley and enters Fording River Valley approximately 40 miles south of our claims. It is expected that another rail line will be constructed northwards to Weary Ridge in Emkay-Scurry property, nine miles south of the Vincent property.

A Calgary Power Ltd. high-voltage transmission line (132,000 volts) crosses the entire length of the Vincent property. The line transmits power from the Elko plant south of Fernie, B.C. to as far north as Edmonton, Alberta.

Topography

The Upper Elk Valley is a narrow, north-south situated, depression between the Elk Range to the east and the Front Range of Rocky Mountains to the west (Plates 1 & 2). The elevations in both ranges reach 9,000 ⁺ feet above sea level whereas the highest point in the valley is on Elk Pass near the provincial boundary at 6,700 feet. The valley floor drops towards the south and at the south end of the property the elevation is 5,300 feet above sea level.

The Elk River, flowing out of Elk Lakes near the

northern end of the property, winds its way down the valley along the length of the Vincent property and carries considerable volume of water for the better part of the year. A number of creeks enter Elk River off both mountain ranges, but as these streams carry mostly spring run-off water they are dry during most of the year. The south end of the property is crossed by Cadorna Creek, a major tributary of Elk River from the west and which, similar to the Elk River, also carries considerable volume of water for most of the year.

The valley floor lies under a thick cover of gravel and till, and rock outcrops are sparse. The vegetation cover is mostly second growth, spruce and balsam. Forest fires during the 1930's destroyed vegetation in upper Elk Valley and left numerous upright dead trees or "snags", which make helicopter landings difficult or impossible.

Previous Work

Very little is known regarding coal exploration in the Upper Elk Valley prior to the mapping and prospecting by Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited last summer. Geological Survey of Canada Memoir 53 (Dowling, pp. 74) reports analyses of three coal samples, apparently taken from seams near Elk Lakes at the northern end of Elk Valley; the memoir was published in 1914 and thus indicates some investigations during the early part of this century. During the course of our mapping, several old coal adit sites were

discovered in the southern part of C.L. 576 and on the east side of C.L. 579. The physical appearance of these workings suggest that they also date back to the early 1900's.

In the summer of 1969, Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Geologists mapped certain coal lands north of the Vincent property on the Alberta side of the provincial boundary. During the course of this work, a reconnaissance survey was made of the Upper Elk Valley between Elk Pass and Weary Ridge. Several positive and possible coal occurrences which were found on the Elk Pass Road and on Tobermory Hill between Tobermory Creek and the road near the north end of the property, contributed to the subsequent optioning of the property.

Other known geological investigations in the general area have been at Weary Ridge, approximately six miles south of the confluence of Cadorna Creek and Elk River on a property now being readied for production by EmKay-Scurry Ltd.

During the past two summers Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited has been exploring a coal property north of the Vincent property on the Alberta side of the provincial boundary.

FIELD WORK

The first attempt to enter the Elk Valley was by R. A. Benkis and R. A. Chaudhry on May 2nd. It was an abortive scouting trip because deep snow on the Elk Pass Road forced us back at a point some 45 miles north of Sparwood.

It had been intended to start the field season late in May; although the first trip into Elk Valley was made on May 22, it was June 6 before work could get underway. Poor ground conditions during spring thaw made entering the valley difficult (Plates 5 & 6) and caused delays in establishing a camp. Camp trailers being towed to the property became stuck in the mud and it was necessary to bring in a bulldozer from Sparwood to tow the trailers the last four miles to the selected camp site.

The field work was done by four two-man parties flown into the field daily by a helicopter or driven to work in four-wheel drive vehicles. The aircraft, a Bell 47G3B-1 model equipped with supercharger for high altitude operations, was under charter to Rio from Alpine Helicopters Ltd. of Calgary. The availability of a helicopter contributed to rapid coverage of the property. Our parties left Elk Valley on July 8.

The mapping was done by traversing across the formations in search of outcrop, mainly along stream beds. Dead fall timber from forest fires in the 1930's covered the ground almost everywhere and made walking difficult and hazardous, particularly during wet periods. The information gathered in the field was plotted on overlays of air photos to the scale of 4" = 1 mile and later transferred to a base map of the same scale. The base map

was a blow-up of 1:50,000 scale maps of the National Topographic Series. Where indications of coal were found, attempts were made to locate and explore the concealed seams through trenching by hand. These attempts were not always successful because of a heavy cover of drift in the valley.

The crews were housed in industrial trailers leased from ATCO (Western) Ltd. in Calgary; catering service was provided by Classic Catering Ltd. of Calgary.

GEOLOGY

General Geology

Rocks ranging in age from Palaeozoic to Lower Cretaceous underlie the Vincent property; however, the major lithological unit encountered on the property is the Kootenay formation of Jurassic-Cretaceous age. This formation consists of a sequence of shale, conglomerate and non-marine sandstone beds. The coking coal deposits of southeastern British Columbia and southern Alberta all occur in the Kootenay formation. It is typical of the beds that they generally do not outcrop well but become converted to soil easily and are hidden under dense vegetation (Plate 3).

The topography of Upper Elk Valley closely relates to

its geology. The bordering mountain ranges are formed by competent Palaeozoic carbonates which have been thrust upon and now overlie the much softer Mesozoic sediments. Along the west side of the valley, Palaeozoic formations have been thrust along Borgeau Thrust upon Kootenay beds which occupy a lower topographical position. The Kootenay, in turn, overlies the soft shales of the Fernie group at the bottom of the valley; over most of its way the course of the Elk River has been confined to the Fernie. Along the east side of the valley the topography is rising again, passing through progressively harder formations of Mesozoic and Palaeozoic age.

The Laramide orogeny at the beginning Eocene time elevated the Rocky Mountains and resulted in tectonic deformation of sediments of the preceding eras, particularly of the coal-bearing Kootenay beds.

Stratigraphy

No attempt will be made to give a detailed description of the stratigraphic column; instead, only formations on, or near the Vincent property will be considered. Lower Mesozoic and Palaeozoic rocks will be considered as an undivided unit.

TABLE OF FORMATIONS

Era	Period of Epoch	Group or Formation	Lithology	Thickness in Feet
Cenozoic	Quaternary		Gravel, soil, till	
U N C O N F O R M I T Y				
Mesozoic	Lower Cretaceous	Elk Formation	Conglomerate, sandstone, shale minor coal. Deltaic.	900+
	Lower Cretaceous-Jurassic	Kootenay Formation	Coarse and fine grained sandstone, conglomerate, conglomeritic sandstone, siltstone, shale, COAL. Non-marine.	2000+
	Jurassic	Fernie Group	Black shale, interbeds of siltstone and silty shale. Marine.	750+
D I S C O N F O R M I T Y				
	Triassic	Spray River Formation	Siltstone & silty shale. Marine.	1000+
D I S C O N F O R M I T Y				
Palaeozoic			Carbonate rocks, limestone, dolomite calcareous shale, etc. Mostly Marine.	

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Palaeozoic

Lower Mesozoic-Palaeozoic formations form the mountains of Elk Range east of the Vincent property and Eastern Frontal Range of the Rocky Mountains along the west side of the ground. The formations consist of limestone, calcareous shales and dolomitic rocks.

Spray River Formations

The rocks of the Triassic Spray River formation outcrop east of the Vincent property along the west flank of Elk Range.

The Spray River formation is in an erosional contact with the underlying Palaeozoic formations. The estimated thickness of this formation in Upper Elk Valley is 1,000 ± feet. The formation is decreasing in thickness from west towards the east; near Banff its thickness is approximately 1,800 feet whereas along the west flank of Highwood Range it is estimated to be only 200 to 400 feet thick.

The Spray River rocks are moderately competent, thin bedded, grey to dark grey siltstones, silty shales and white quartzose sandstones.

Fernie Group

The Fernie Group underlies a strip of ground along the east side of the property. Being the most recessive formation in the area the Fernie occupies topographically lowest positions of upper Elk Valley and outcrops only rarely.

The Fernie rocks are in disconformable contact with the Spray River formation. The thickness of the Fernie strata in the Highwood area is known to be approximately 700 feet; as the Fernie sediments thicken towards the west in Upper Elk Valley their thickness is in excess of 700 feet.

Kootenay Formation

At least two thirds of the total acreage of the Vincent property is underlain by Kootenay formation which occupies the area between Borgeau thrust fault and the ground underlain by Fernie Group.

The bulk of the Kootenay formation consists of medium grey, silty shales, siltstones, very fine to medium grained argillaceous sandstones and coal seams. Conglomerate lenses appear throughout the formation but become more extensive, and the size of the pebbles increases, towards the top of the sequence. All units are lenticular and laterally grade into one another making correlation difficult. The formation lacks a definite marker horizon.

The contact between the Kootenay formation and the Fernie group is gradational and is arbitrarily placed at the base of a massive bedded, fine to medium grained sandstone unit. This basal-sandstone unit is commonly medium to dark grey with "salt and pepper" texture, but in the Upper Elk Valley it has a medium light olive color; it weathers to a medium brown-grey color and becomes iron stained. The thickness of the basal-sandstone is 40 to 150 feet. The thickness of the Kootenay formation in Upper Elk Valley

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is estimated at 1,200 to 2,000 feet; repetition through thrust faulting render an accurate measurement of the true thickness impossible. Generally the thickness of the formation varies considerably from area to area but on the whole the formation thickens from the east towards the west.

With the exception of the basal-sandstone member, all Kootenay beds are commonly of non-marine origin.

Elk Formation

The Elk formation overlies conformably the Kootenay formation. It occurs in the Elk Valley as far north as Lower Elk Lake; the absence of the formation further north might be explained by lateral facies change, pre-Blairmore erosion or having been cut off by the Borgeau thrust fault. At its maximum development in the southern regions of Elk Valley the formation attains a thickness of approximately 1,700 feet whereas in the Upper Elk Valley it is estimated to be some 900 feet thick. On the Vincent property the Elk formation underlies the northwestern corner near Lower Elk Lake, and again an area near the southeastern third of the property.

The Elk formation consists of resistant, commonly ridge forming, chert pebble conglomerate interbedded with medium to light grey, fine to coarse grained sandstone with gradational contacts. The formation weathers to a light grey color with iron staining. Commonly the pebble diameter is 4 to 40 mm; the size decreases towards the north. The matrix of the conglomerate is siliceous, fine to coarse grained sandstone; it fractures through the matrix

rather than the pebbles which distinguishes it from the Blairmore (Cadomin) conglomerate.

The Elk formation represents a deltaic depositional environment.

Quaternary

The Quaternary is represented by a considerable cover of unconsolidated river deposits and glacial debris, such as gravel, till, clay, etc.

Structural Geology

The Kootenay formation in the Upper Elk Valley lies in the Lewis Thrust Plate and generally strikes 330° to 350° although local variations in the strike are common. The lower contact of the Kootenay formation is exposed in several locations on the Vincent property, where it is seen in conformable contact with Fernie group. The upper contact of the Kootenay is lost under the Borgeau thrust in the areas where the Elk formation is absent.

For the most part, the structure in the area under study is relatively simple; this may be more apparent than real because the drift covering the valley floor makes outcrop information sporadic. Folding is apparent in the area; a southwards plunging major syncline and anticline follow the length of the property. Thrust faulting and minor folding are also present and had more outcrop information been available, probably would account for a more complex structural picture than the one presented in this report. The structural dips in the area are mainly SW although

NE dips were also located; the magnitude of the dips vary between 35° and 85° with the average being approximately 60° . The steeper dips generally occur in the upper Kootenay on the southwest side of the valley whereas the more gentle dips are prevalent in lower Kootenay along the northeastern side of the property.

At Elk Pass near the B.C.-Alberta boundary, thrust faulting appears the major structural element complicating the geological setting. Folding is also apparent and could have a profound effect on the structural picture. The strata here dip 25° to 50° SW with the average dip on Tobermory Hill being somewhat less than 40° SW. Dips towards NE are also encountered. The absence of good marker horizons in the Kootenay formation as well as the inter-fingering relationship of individual beds make a structural analysis of the area difficult.

Seven cross sections have been constructed (DWG.G-3352) to present the structural interpretation for the Vincent property. The dotted lines are structural lines rather than traced horizons; however, lithology was taken into consideration in placing the structure lines.

Sections 1-1' and 7-7':

There is evidence of folding in the upper, and of thrust faulting, in the lower Kootenay. A syncline is suspected beneath the overburden east of Lower Elk Lake.

Two coal horizons exist in this part of the property which are believed to be a repetition of the same horizon through thrust faulting.

Section 2-2':

The evidence of folding in the lower Kootenay and a small thrust fault near the Kootenay-Elk contact do not adequately account for the 4000 foot thickness of the Kootenay in the section. It must be assumed that additional faulting and/or folding has gone undetected. Evidence of coal was found in the drift near the section line, but the thickness of the cover defeated the attempt to expose bedrock.

Section 3-3':

Thrust faulting in upper Kootenay and evidence of folding elsewhere in the sequence partially explain the total mapped thickness of Kootenay strata; however, at least another thrust fault or additional folding is required to explain the apparent thickness.

Coal wash was found along the line of section, but no bedrock could be located. A 3-foot coal seam, believed to represent a similar stratigraphical horizon, was found some 700 feet northwest of the section line.

Section 4-4':

Evidence of folding in this area was found in the lower part of the Kootenay. To account for the apparent thickness of the Kootenay strata it must be assumed that a syncline in the southwestern half of the section, well developed in sections 5-5' and 6-6', has gone undetected beneath the overburden. Coal wash and two old adits were found along the line of section. Where bedrock could be exposed, a few coal seams were found, one approximately 8 feet thick.

Coal was also found approximately half way between sections 3-3' and 4-4'; it would appear to be in the same horizon as coal in section 4-4'.

Section 5-5':

A well developed syncline is present east of Borgeau thrust. Between the syncline and the fault, additional complex folding has occurred. Northeast of the syncline are some minor folds giving an apparent thickness of the Kootenay in excess of 2,000 feet.

Coal wash was found in the section but overburden prevented locating the source. It is possible that coal here lies in the same horizon as coal in section 4-4'.

Section 6-6':

As presented in this section, the Kootenay formation northeast of the syncline at the centre of the section line has an apparent thickness of 2,500 feet. To reduce this to the estimated thickness of 1,200 to 2,000 feet, thrust faulting or tight folding must exist in the area northeast of the syncline. No evidence to support such an assumption was found in the field.

Coal

Coal sufficiently interesting to warrant further consideration was found in the area immediately south of British Columbia-Alberta boundary. It does not mean that coal in similar quantities does not exist elsewhere on the Vincent property; overburden may have prevented us from finding it. However, interpretation of the structural information presently available nowhere indicates that a situation favourable for open-cut or underground mining might exist on the Vincent property beyond the height of land at Elk Pass. Considering this, an expensive exploration programme, which would be necessary because of the thick overburden, does not appear to be warranted.

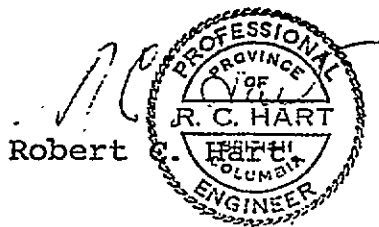
Along the west flank of Tobermory Hill, a chance exists that some open-cut mining might be possible. The formations dip in the same direction as the topography; although the dips are steeper than the hill slope, additional work here could possibly outline a limited area for mining of coal.

RECOMMENDATIONS

No additional field work is recommended for the present. The assembled geological data should be analyzed further, with an emphasis on the Tobermory Hill area. Should the office work suggest that the area warrants more attention, the next step in the field will have to be a diamond drill programme supplemented by bulldozer trenching on the southwest flank of Tobermory Hill.

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PLATE 2

Elk Valley (looking NW).
Cadorna Creek Valley in
left-central part of photo.
Note the sharp contact
between vegetation-covered
Mesozoic sediments and barren
Palaeozoic carbonates.

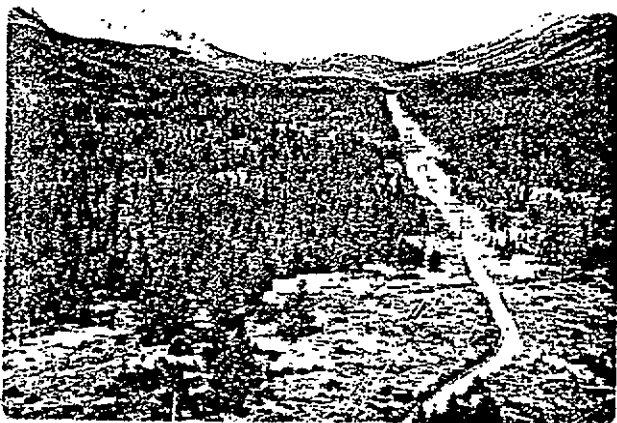


PLATE 3

Camp in Elk Valley (looking
NW). Elk Pass and Tobermory
Hill in upper-central part
of photo.



PLATE 4

Hand trench across a steeply
dipping coal seam. Light
coloured shale parting in
upper part of the seam.

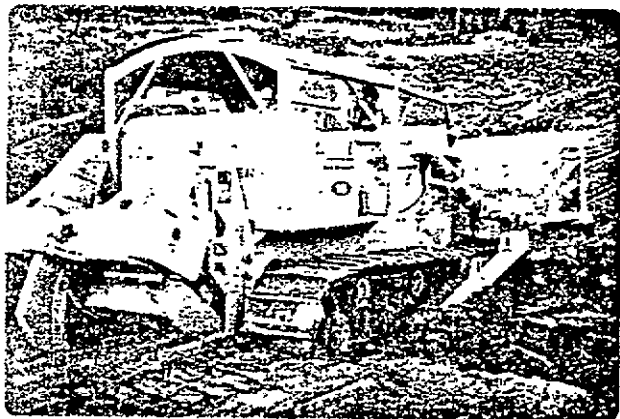


PLATE 5

Both photos illustrate road conditions in Elk Valley during the early part of field season.

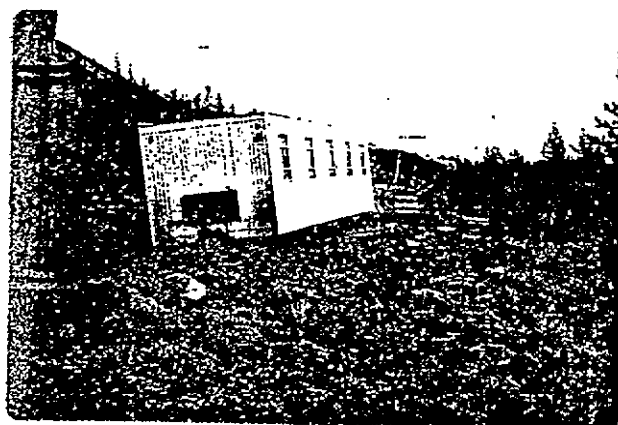


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A drilling programme consisting of three bore holes was carried out in August of 1971 by Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited on a property optioned from C. Vincent Construction Ltd. in the Upper Elk Valley of British Columbia. The drilling consisted of 2,400 feet of reverse circulation rotary drilling and intersected a total of 384 feet of coal in all three holes. An indication as to the quality of coal was obtained from twenty-five samples analysed by Cyclone Engineering Sales Ltd. of Edmonton and is dealt with later in the report.

References are made to a fourth hole drilled on an adjoining property, the Cassidy Option, which lies directly to the north of the Vincent Option in Alberta.

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The work done by W. J. Hennessey of Calgary on behalf of Rio Tinto is gratefully acknowledged and his advice and assistance enabled the programme to run more efficiently. Mr. R. A. Benkis is gratefully acknowledged for his advice and assistance during the full course of operations and he is responsible for the statistical summation of the qualitative coal analysis included in this report.

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INTRODUCTION

The Vincent property lies in the Upper Elk Valley of southeast British Columbia and extends south from the Alberta-British Columbia provincial boundary for approximately 11 miles to the confluence of the Elk River and Cadorna Creek.

An unimproved forestry road, maintained by Calgary Power, traverses the property and provides access from the north and south. To the north, the road links up with the Kananaskis Hwy., an improved forestry road, which joins the Trans-Canada Highway (#1) near Seebe some 40 miles west of Calgary, Alberta. To the south, the road links up with an improved forestry road which joins the Crowsnest Highway (#3) at Sparwood, British Columbia.

The Elk Valley is a northwest-southeast trending valley between the Front Range of the Rocky Mountains to the southwest and the Elk Range to the northeast. The Elk Pass at the north end of the property has an elevation of 6,500 feet while the south end of the property is at 5,300 feet above sea level. Tobermory Hill in the region of the Elk Pass is the highest point on the property with an elevation of 6,750 feet above sea level.

For a fuller description of topography and location, refer to "Geological Report, Vincent Option, Upper Elk Valley, British Columbia" of January 1971, by R. A. Benkis.

PREVIOUS WORK

Little is known regarding coal exploration in the Upper Elk Valley of British Columbia prior to excursions into the field by Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited. It is recognized, however, that some work was done in the early years of this century. A few old adits were encountered during a property examination in June of 1970 which were believed to have been worked in the early 1900's.

Geological Survey of Canada Memoir 53 (Dowling, pp 74) published in 1914, resulted from investigations in the early part of the century and reports analysis of three coal samples taken from seams near Elk Lakes at the northern end of the property.

In 1969, a reconnaissance of the Upper Elk Valley by Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited recognized several coal occurrences which resulted in the optioning of the property and a mapping and prospecting excursion in the summer of 1970. During this visit (June and July 1970) numerous coal occurrences were mapped and although the structural geology of the area appeared complicated, the quantity of coal found led to additional work in August 1971.

EXPLORATION - AUGUST 1971

A drilling programme consisting of seven holes was laid out for the Vincent Option, but owing to higher overall costs, only three of the holes were drilled. The purpose of the programme was to intersect the coal-bearing Kootenay Formation and to obtain coal samples for qualitative analysis.

Armsco Exploration Limited of Calgary moved a D-8 'Cat' into the area in early August and after improving the Elk Valley road, prepared the drill sites. A setback in the commencement of drilling occurred when Rig 58, owned and operated by Big Indian Drilling Ltd. of Calgary, was rolled enroute to the property. Drilling commenced on the Vincent Option with the completion of C.V.-1 on the Cassidy Option, August 19th and was concluded with the completion of hole C.V.-4, August 31st, 1971. (Plate 4).

A trailer camp, supplied by Corab Services Ltd. of Calgary, was established at Riverside Flats along the Elk River some ten miles south of the area of operations. (Plate 2)

The three holes drilled were along the Elk Pass Road separated by approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ of a mile. C.V.-2 was the most northerly of the three and was located $\frac{1}{4}$ of a mile south of the Alberta-British Columbia Provincial Boundary. All holes were drilled to a depth of approximately 800 feet. Downhole caving in hole C.V.-2 prevented deeper penetration and also prevented a complete log of the hole. Roke Oil Enterprises Ltd. of Calgary probed the holes with Gamma-Ray, Neutron and sidewall density tools.

Armsco Exploration Ltd. commenced the 'clean'up' operation September 3rd and brought the programme to completion September 9th, 1971 when it was inspected and approved by the British Columbia Forest Service.

GEOLOGY

General

Kootenay strata in this area is part of the Lewis Thrust Plate and owes its present position to deformation and erosion subsequent to the Laramide Orogeny. The rocks strike northwest-southeast and dip fairly steeply to the west. (Plate #3) The regular succession of strata is interrupted by thrusting and folding which strikes or trends subparallel to the strike of the rocks.

The lower contact of the Kootenay lies conformably on the Fernie Shales and is exposed at various places along the eastern edge of the property. The upper contact is overlain by the Elk formation in the south and north, but disappears under the Bourgeau Thrust in the centre region.

Outcrop over the property is poor due to a thick cover of glacial till, soil and other debris.

Stratigraphy

TABLE OF FORMATIONS

<u>Era</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Group or Formation</u>	<u>Brief Description</u>	<u>Thickness</u>
Cenozoic	Quaternary		Overburden of gravel, glacial till, and soil	
--- UNCONFORMITY ---				
Mesozoic	Cretaceous	Blairmore Group	Non-marine conglomerates sandstones and shales	?

<u>Era</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Group or Formation</u>	<u>Brief Description</u>	<u>Thickness</u>
--- DISCONFORMITY ---				
	Cretaceous	Elk Formation	Non-marine sandstone, conglomeratic sandstone, and conglomerate	+ 900'
	Cretaceous Jurassic	Kootenay Formation	Non-marine, sandstone, shale conglomeratic sandstone and coal	+ 2000'
	Jurassic	Fernie Group	Marine shale, siltstone and sandstone	+ 700'
--- DISCONFORMITY ---				
	Triassic	Spray River Formation	Marine, siltstones, silty shales and white quartzose sandstones. Dolomitic in part	+ 1000'
--- DISCONFORMITY ---				
Palaeozoic	Undivided		Limestones, dolomites, quartzites, chert & dark shale mostly marine.	2500' 3400'

Undivided Paleozoics

Limestones, dolomites, quartzites, chert beds and dark grey calcareous shales mostly of marine origin make up this group. The formations of the Palaeozoic form the mountains of the Elk Range to the east and the Eastern Front Range to the west of the property. The Palaeozoics of the Eastern Front Range are thrust over the less competent beds of the Kootenay Formation by the Bourgeau Thrust.

Spray River Formation

The rocks of the Spray River Formation lie disconformably on the Palaeozoics. These rocks are moderately competent and consist of gray to dark gray siltstones, silty

shales and white quartzose sandstones which are in part dolomitic. The formation in this area is about 1000 feet thick and is found outcropping on the southwestern flank of the Elk Range.

Fernie Group

The rocks of the Fernie Group lie disconformably on the Spray River Formation and consist mainly of marine black and gray fissile shale with siltstone and silty shale interbeds. Some green glauconitic shales are found in this group.

Kootenay Formation

The Kootenay Formation conformably overlies the Fernie Group and is for the most part composed of non-marine strata. An exception is the basal sandstone unit which is marine and transitional.

The basal sandstone unit is commonly a massive, medium to dark gray, fine to medium grained with subangular to subrounded grains, salt and pepper sandstone. Locally this unit is of a medium olive gray colour and is 40' to 60' thick.

The bulk of the Kootenay consists of medium gray shales, silty shales, siltstones and sandstones. In the upper part of this formation, some conglomeratic sandstones have been observed. The beds are lenticular and grade laterally into one another making correlation difficult.

Coal is an important constituent of the Kootenay Formation and seams have been found up to thirty-four feet thick.

Elk Formation

The Elk Formation lies conformably on the Kootenay Formation and outcrops in the northwest and southeast regions of the property. The Elk Formation is commonly a resistant ridge forming chert pebble conglomerate interbedded with medium to light gray, fine to coarse grained sandstones. The conglomerate beds are markedly different from the basal Blair more conglomerate. The Elk conglomerate fractures through the matrix and weathers more readily than does the Blairmore conglomerate which is very siliceous and fractures through the pebbles.

Blairmore Group

The Blairmore Group rests disconformably on the Elk Formation but is absent in the property area; it is probably lost under the Bourgeau Thrust.

The Blairmore Group commonly consists of a basal chert, pebble conglomerate which is extremely resistant overlain by sandstone and shales of non-marine origin.

Quaternary

The Quaternary is represented by the overburden consisting of gravel, glacial till, clay soil.

Correlation

The absence of any good continuous marker horizons, probably due to deltaic deposition and modification to the strata by tectonism, renders correlation difficult. Using the Gamma-Ray and Neutron Logs, correlation of strata penetrated by the bore holes has been attempted but is not entirely convincing. A number of marker horizons were isolated but the strata between these horizons is inconsistent. The variation in lithology and thickness is explained by structural and depositional features. The table below lists possible correlative points which were used to facilitate a correlation.

POSSIBLE CORRELATIVE POINTS THROUGH HOLES C.V.-1 to C.V.-4

<u>C.V.-1</u>	<u>C.V.-2</u>	<u>C.V.-3</u>	<u>C.V.-4</u>
347	-	-	26
403	-	-	79
601	-	170	263
641	-	249	398
728	-	332	457
-	49	442	514
-	-	656	708
-	297	680	730
-	340	733	-
-	364	758	-

Assuming the above correlation to be accurate, then the purpose of the drilling programme to intersect successive intervals of the Kootenay Formation, with a little overlap was not realized.

Because of the distance separating the drill holes and the variation in lithology of the continental deposits, the author questions the validity of attempting correlation at this time, but does so with reservations. (See correlation chart submitted with this report; pocket G-3374)

Structure

Little more can be added to the structural picture of the Vincent property over and above that described in a previous geological report of January 1971. Generally, thrusting subparallel to the strike of the beds interrupts the normal succession of stratigraphic events. Because of lithology variations, and scarce outcrop, these thrust slices cannot be accurately located rendering a structural interpretation which is generalized and not accurate.

Three structural cross sections were prepared passing through each of the bore holes and approximately at right angles to the strike. Where available, surface exposures were incorporated into the sections. One section through all the bore holes was prepared in an attempt to show the relationship between the holes and surface exposure. (Included in this report in pocket G-2567 to 2570)

If the above correlation is accepted as accurate, then thrust faults presumably are responsible for bringing sections of the Kootenay strata back to the surface. The surface trace of the thrusts would pass between the holes striking north to northwest.

COAL

A total of 384 feet of coal in all three bore holes was intersected but of this over 100 feet of coal occupied seams of less than six feet in thickness. The calculated true thickness (using dips measured at the surface of each hole) of what is considered mineable coal is only 180 feet giving an overall approximate stripping ratio of 8:1. The identifiable coal horizons were picked from the Gamma-Ray and sidewall Density Logs and are listed below:

COAL HORIZONS C.V.-2

<u>No.</u>	<u>Interval</u>	<u>Thickness</u>	<u>*True Thickness</u>	<u>Comments</u>
1.	9' - 12'	3'	2.2'	Not analysed- Prbly weathered
2.	50' - 53'	3'	2.2'	Horizon in 3 benches. <u>Not</u> sampled because of high ash Content and small size of seams
	64' - 68'	4'	2.8'	
	69' - 72'	3'	2.2'	
3.	178' - 184'	6'	4.2'	Horizon badly split small coal intervals Samples showed predominantly shale therefore <u>no samples analysed.</u>
	184' - 195'	1'	1.0'	
	199' - 204'	5'	3.5'	
	217' - 220'	3'	2.2'	
	229' - 231'	2'	1.5'	
4.	276' - 278'	2'	1.5'	Horizon in 2 benches. Only 5' of coal sampled. <u>No analysis</u>
	286' - 296'	10'	7.1'	
5.	341' - 350'	9'	6.4'	Horizon in 2 benches. Higher bench predominantly shale. <u>Lower bench analysed.</u>
	353' - 363'	10' <i>Sampled</i>	7.1'	
6.	439' - 453'	14'	9.9'	Horizon in 2 benches. <u>Upper bench sampled.</u> Lower bench showed predominantly coaly sh and was not analysed.
	473' - 481'	8'	5.7'	
7.	505' - 515'	10'	7.1'	Samples showed carbonaceous to coal shale and were not analysed

<u>No.</u>	<u>Interval</u>	<u>Thickness</u>	<u>*True Thickness</u>	<u>Comments</u>
8.	748' - 798'	50'	35.4'	Interval divided into 3 samples for analysis. <u>No log</u> obtained for this seam.

* True Thickness of the coal was calculated using a dip of 45° S.W.

COAL HORIZONS C.V.-3

<u>No.</u>	<u>Interval</u>	<u>Thickness</u>	<u>*True Thickness</u>	<u>Comments</u>
1.	19' - 22'	3'	1.9'	
	36' - 40'	4'	2.7'	
2.	67' - 70'	3'	1.9'	Samples are small and many showed high ash and were <u>not sent</u> for analysis
	86' - 90'	4'	2.7'	
	95' - 98'	3'	1.9'	
3.	129' - 132'	3'	1.9'	
	135' - 137'	2'	1.1'	
4.	172' - 176'	4'	2.7'	
5.	249' - 254'	5'	3.4'	Only 3' of coal recovered <u>not</u> analysed
6.	332' - 352'	20'	13.7'	Horizon in 2 benches. <u>Both</u> benches were analysed
	366' - 373'	7'	4.8'	
7.	442' - 465'	23'	15.3'	Interval divided into 3 samples of analysis

<u>No.</u>	<u>Interval</u>	<u>Thickness</u>	<u>*True Thickness</u>	<u>Comments</u>
8.	496' - 498' 501' - 509' 519' - 522' 525' - 527' 532' - 534' 549' - 552' 554' - 556'	2' 8' 3' 2' 2' 3' 2'	1.1' 5.5' 1.9' 1.1' 1.1' 1.9' 1.1'	Horizon is badly broken up into small seams. Samples showed high ash and recovery was not good. <u>No samples</u> were analysed.
9.	657' - 663' 672' - 679'	6') <i>both</i> 7') <i>sampled</i>	4.0' 4.8'	Horizon in 2 benches. <u>Both</u> benches were sampled and analysed.
10.	734' - 757'	23') <i>2 samples</i>	15.3'	Horizon divided into 2 samples for analysis

*The true thickness of the coal was calculated using a dip of 48° S.W.

COAL HORIZONS C.V.-4

<u>No.</u>	<u>Interval</u>	<u>Thickness</u>	<u>*True Thickness</u>	<u>Comments</u>
1.	18' - 25'	7'	5.0'	Seam analysed Weathered
2.	80' - 95' 105' - 107'	15') <i>sample</i> 2'	10.6' 1.5'	Horizon in 2 benches. Only upper bench sampled for analysis
3.	164' - 167'	3'	2.2'	
4.	191' - 193' 203' - 204' 232' - 236'	2' 1' 4'	1.5' 1.0' 2.8'	Seams did not show in samples and may not exist
5.	266' - 272'	6') <i>sampled</i>	4.2'	Seam was sampled and analysed.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Interval</u>	<u>Thickness</u>	<u>*True Thickness</u>	<u>Comments</u>
6.	328' - 329'	1'	1.0'	
	347' - 351'	4'	2.8'	
	356' - 358'	2'	1.5'	
7.	398' - 400'	2'	1.5'	Seams are small and many showed high ash
	408' - 409'	1'	1.0'	
	414' - 416'	2'	1.5'	
	434' - 436'	2'	1.5'	
	458' - 462'	4'	2.8'	
	478' - 486'	8'	5.7'	
8.	514' - 523'	9' <i>sampled</i>	6.4'	Sample was analysed
9.	569' - 571'	2'	1.5'	Horizon in 3 benches. Poor recovery. Only 4' of last bench sampled for analysis
	586' - 589'	3'	2.2'	
	611' - 622'	11' <i>only 4' sampled</i>	7.8'	
10.	714' - 724'	10' <i>sampled</i>	7.1'	Horizon sampled and analysed.

* The true thickness of the coal was calculated by using a dip of 45° S.W.

Twenty five samples of coal from the three bore holes were sent to Cyclone Engineering Sales Ltd. of Edmonton for qualitative analysis. The results of the analysis are included in this report as an appendix but a summary of calculated characteristics of 1/4" x 0 float at - 1.55 specific gravity is given below.

Drill Hole	Interval Drillers Depths	Apparent Thickness	True Thickness	Weight %	Ash %	Volatile Matter %	Fixed Carbon %	Sulphur %	F.S.I.
CV-2	356 - 364	8'	5.7'	86.58	5.28	27.6	65.9	0.62	5.80
	448 - 454	6'	4.2'	54.47	11.81	25.2	61.8	0.50	5.91
	748 - 754	6'	4.2'	71.46	10.9	24.8	63.1	0.49	6.93
	754 - 792	38'	26.9'	66.57	10.9	25.2	62.8	0.35	7.74
	792 - 798	6'	4.2'	35.27	23.3	25.1	56.3	0.34	7.45
	748 - 792	44'	31.1'	67.3	10.9	25.1	62.9	0.36	7.92
	748 - 798	50'	35.4'	63.5	12.0	25.2	62.6	0.36	7.75
CV-3	331 - 347	16'	10.7'	96.44	3.49	33.6	61.9	0.60	8.40
	361 - 367	6'	4.0'	95.79	3.08	32.6	61.8	0.51	8.94
	442 - 452	10'	6.7'	84.26	6.26	33.8	58.5	0.47	9.35
	452 - 458	6'	4.0'	92.88	2.88	32.9	63.2	0.36	8.89
	458 - 464	6'	4.0'	69.82	10.85	31.8	58.2	0.47	8.85
	442 - 458	16'	10.7'	87.4	4.50	33.5	60.2	0.43	8.82+
	442 - 464	22'	14.7'	82.6	6.30	33.4	59.4	0.43	8.87+
	656 - 660	4'	2.7'	92.44	5.65	27.3	66.1	0.42	7.21
	672 - 677	6'	3.4'	63.61	10.84	28.0	60.4	0.48	7.40
	736 - 746	10'	6.7'	56.98	7.01	27.7	64.4	0.39	7.76
	746 - 757	11'	7.4'	60.38	10.54	26.7	61.8	0.62	7.39
	736 - 757	21'	14.1'	58.8	9.15	27.2	61.9	0.50	7.57
CV-4	22 - 28	6'	4.2'	87.17	3.11	34.7	60.8	0.52	3.97
	85 - 96	11'	7.8'	78.67	4.73	34.7	59.2	0.37	6.30
	272 - 276	4'	2.8'	84.93	2.92	34.6	61.2	0.87	6.87
	518 - 526	8'	5.7'	82.71	3.99	32.2	62.7	0.58	7.37
	617 - 621	4'	2.8'	95.68	3.96	32.6	62.5	0.59	8.40
	714 - 724	10'	7.1'	78.54	7.91	31.0	60.2	0.50	8.33

The raw ash content of the coal appears high but after washing is fairly reasonable. However, in the larger seams, the ash content appears to be a little on the high side even after washing. The volatile matter falls in the category of medium to high and high which would probably be an unfavourable aspect in securing a market.

The sulphur content is variable between 0.35% and 0.62% with the exception of one sample from bore hole C.V.-4, 272'-276', which has a value of 0.87%. The coking characteristics appear very good with the F.S.I. ranging from 5.8 to 9.35. One seam, from 22'-28' in hole C.V.-4, shows and F.S.I. of only 3.97 but it is felt this is due to oxidation because of its proximity to the surface. The sampling technique employed by Big Indian Drilling is explained in detail in a geology report on the J.A.Cassidy Option of October 1971 and will not be dealt with here. However, it should be noted that the technique was deemed very satisfactory, by the author, for retaining nearly 100% of the fines (Plate 5). Contamination of the samples was very little to non-existent and it is therefore felt that the results of the analysis should be taken as a good indication as to the quality of the coal. It should be noted that in some cases, the raw ash content seems unreasonably high.

CONCLUSIONS

1. Bore hole C.V.-2 penetrated the deepest in the Kootenay Formation. Bore holes C.V.-3 and C.V.-4 essentially penetrated the same horizon.
2. The stratigraphic record is probably interrupted by thrust faulting of small magnitude.
3. Shale partings and splits in the coal seams are numerous and common.
4. A high percentage of volatile matter in the coal could be unfavourable in securing a market.
5. Correlation with any degree of confidence is difficult.
6. Structural interpretation is very generalized and is not accurate.
7. The thickest coal seams appear to occur in the lower Kootenay.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Any future investigation of the Vincent Property should be carried out by a drilling operation designed to facilitate a better understanding of the structure as well as sampling the coal intersected for qualitative analysis. A programme consisting of a number of holes drilled in close proximity and at right angles to the strike would give the best results. Emphasis should be placed on investigating the lower Kootenay horizon and at least one hole should penetrate in the Fernie Group to allow definite recognition of the Lower Kootenay.

Tobermory Hill at the north end of the property has a more favourable topography for a mining situation and additional drilling throughout the hill would shed more light on the potential of the entire Elk Pass area. It has been recognized that without this area, the southern end of the property holds little interest.

In view of the amount of activity regarding coal exploration being conducted adjacent to the southern boundary of the Vincent property, a programme in the south might prove interesting. The best location for such a programme would be to the west of the Elk River on the west half of the area covered by Coal Licence 572.

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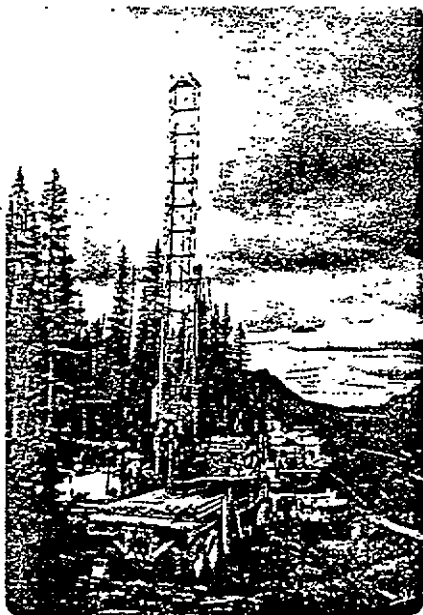


PLATE 4

Rotary Drilling rig.
Looking south into Elk Valley
from Tobermory Hill.



PLATE 5

Apparatus used for
coal sampling.

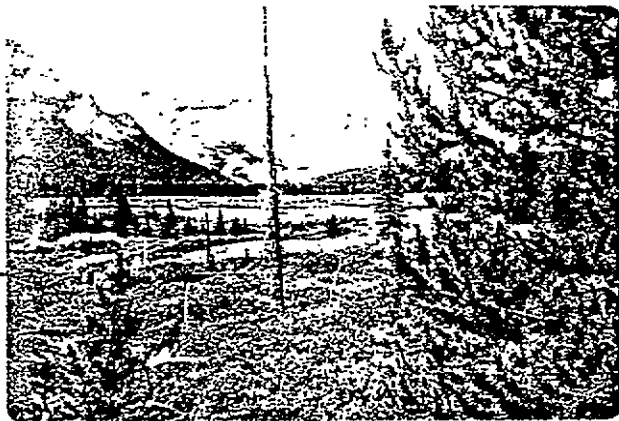


PLATE 1

View of Elk Valley
looking northwest toward
the Elk Lakes.

PLATE 2

Trailer camp
established at River-
side Flats - Elk
Valley.

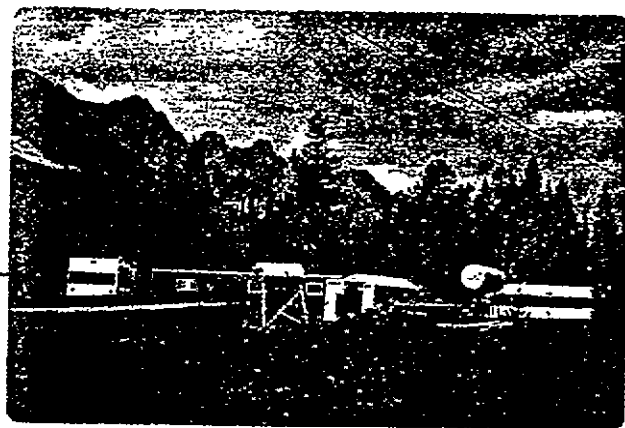


PLATE 3

Prepared drill site
#C.V.-3 showing steeply
dipping strata.

BOREHOLE SAMPLES:

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited

DATE: Sept. 23, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: SI-71

CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21884

CV-2 (356' - 358') CV-2 (358' - 360')
CV-2 (360' - 362') CV-2 (362' - 364')

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 144

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	15.39%
VOLATILE MATTER:	24.71%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	0.96%
FIXED CARBON:	58.94%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	5
B.T.U./lb.:	12,260
SULPHUR:	0.57%
RANK:	mvb

DATE: Sept 24th 71

LOCATION: Vincent Opium


R.H. CV-2

WIDTH: 1

REMARKS: 356-364

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CYCLONE ENGINEERING SALES LTD.

Per: 

R. S. Sehgal, R. Eng.
Laboratory Manager.

BOREHOLE SAMPLES

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 23, 1971.

PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1-71

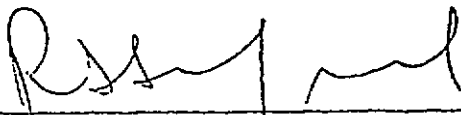
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TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	82.70	4.68		27.85	66.51	0.63	6
1.45-1.55	3.88	18.18		23.52	57.34	0.55	1½
+ 1.55	13.42	75.33					N.A.
TOTAL	100.00	14.69					

Remarks:

Per:


 R.S. Schgal, P. Eng.,
 Laboratory Manager

HOLE SAMPLES:

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited

DATE: Sept. 23, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: SI-71

CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21885

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 145

CV-2 (448' - 450')
CV-2 (450' - 452') CV-2 (452' - 454')

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	42.17%
VOLATILE MATTER:	17.73%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	0.92%
FIXED CARBON:	39.18%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	2
B.T.U./lb.:	8,330
SULPHUR:	0.49%
RANK:	mvb

DATE: September 24th 1971

LOCATION: Vincennes Op Mine

C.V. - 2

WIDTH: 6'

REMARKS: 448' - 454'

CYCLONE ENGINEERING SALES LTD.

Per: [Signature]
R. S. Schgal, P. Eng.
Laboratory Manager.

BORNEHOLE SAMPLES

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 23, 1971.

PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1-71

SAMPLE NO: C-21885 C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 145

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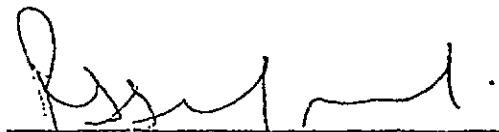
Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash %	RM %	VM %	FC %	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	39.85	10.55		25.54	62.99	0.53	6½
1.45-1.55	14.62	16.12		24.21	58.75	0.46	5
+ 1.55	45.53	78.70					N.A.
TOTAL	100.00	42.39					

Remarks:

C.E.S. Form 34

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Per:



R.S. Sehgal, P. Eng.,
Laboratory Manager.

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EXCELLOLE SAMPLES:

REPORT OF ANALYSIS ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited

DATE: Sept. 23, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: S1-71

CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21886

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 146

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	30.31%
VOLATILE MATTER:	20.33%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	0.99%
FIXED CARBON:	48.37%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	4
B.T.U./lb.:	10,530
SULPHUR:	0.45%
RANK:	mvb

DATE: *August 23, 1971*

LOCATION: *Univest Optics*

R.H. C.V-3

WIDTH: *6'*
REMARKS: *245-754*

Driller Depth

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Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 23, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1-71

SAMPLE NO: C-21886

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 146

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash %	RM %	VM %	FC %	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	62.48	9.57		25.51	63.93	0.50	7½
1.45-1.55	8.98	20.05		22.18	56.78	0.39	3
+ 1.55	28.54	76.19					N.A.
TOTAL	100.00	29.52					

Remarks:

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Per: R.S. Schgal, P. Eng.,
Laboratory Manager.

RSS:hg

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited	DATE: Sept. 23, 1971.
PROJECT:	C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: S1-71
CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21887	C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 147

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	31.53%
VOLATILE MATTER:	21.34%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	1.09%
FIXED CARBON:	46.04%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	3½
B.T.U./lb.:	10,270
SULPHUR:	0.32%
RANK:	mvb

DATE: *Sept. 24th*

LOCATION: *Vincennes*

R.H. C.V. - 2

38'

DEPTH: *754 - 742*

MARKS: *Circle Depth*

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 23, 1971.


PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. SI-71

SAMPLE NO: C-21887 C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 147

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	59.03	10.00		25.44	63.47	0.35	8
1.45-1.55	7.54	17.75		22.94	58.22	0.33	5
+ 1.55	33.43	70.49					3
TOTAL	100.00	30.81					

Remarks:

Per: 
 R.S. Sehgal, P. Eng.,
 Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration
L limited

DATE: Sept. 23, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO.:
SI-71

CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21888

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 148

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	53.42%
VOLATILE MATTER:	16.79%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	1.35%
FIXED CARBON:	28.44%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	2
B.T.U./lb.:	6,660
SULPHUR:	0.31%
RANK:	mvb

DATE: August 24th 1971

LOCATION: Mount Copley

R.H. CV-3

WIDTH: 6'

REMARKS: 742 - 778

Dollar Dept

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R. S. Sehgal, P. Eng.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 23, 1971.

PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1-71

SAMPLE NO: C-21888 C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 148

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	27.92	12.74		26.16	59.75	0.35	8½
1.45-1.55	7.35	32.00		21.37	45.28	0.30	3½
+ 1.55	64.73	73.31					½
TOTAL	100.00	53.36					

Remarks:

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration
Limited

DATE: Sept. 28, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1.71

SAMPLE NO: C-21889 (331' - 347')

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 149

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	94.27	3.10		33.68	62.07	0.60	8½
1.45-1.55	2.17	19.94		27.96	50.95	0.54	4
+ 1.55	3.56	62.88					½
TOTAL	100.00	5.59					

Remarks:

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Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration
Limited

DATE: Sept. 28, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO.:
S1-71CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21889
(331' - 347')

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 149

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	5.85%
VOLATILE MATTER:	31.24%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	1.15%
FIXED CARBON:	61.76%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	7½
B.T.U./lb.:	14,000
SULPHUR:	0.58%
RANK:	hvAd

DATE: *August 28th 1971*LOCATION: *Vic. east of John**RH. - C.V. - 3*WIDTH: *16'*REMARKS: *331 - 347**2 ft. Depth*

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Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited	DATE: Sept. 28, 1971.
PROJECT:	C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: SI-71
CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21890 (361' - 367')	C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 150

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	6.21%
VOLATILE MATTER:	31.95%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	1.02%
FIXED CARBON:	60.82%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	8
B.T.U./lb.:	13,970
SULPHUR:	0.55%
RANK:	hvAb

DATE: August 25th 1971

LOCATION: Western Africa

R.H. - C.V. - 3

WIDTH: 6'

REMARKS: 361-367

St. Louis, D. 1/1

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 Laboratory Manager.

BOREHOLE SAMPLES

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 28, 1971.

PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. SI-71

SAMPLE NO: C-21890 (361' - 367') C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 150

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash %	RM %	VM %	FC %	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	93.89	2.79		34.15	62.04	0.51	9
1.45-1.55	1.90	17.21		27.18	54.59	0.65	6
+ 1.55	4.21	70.85					N.A.
TOTAL	100.00	5.93					

Remarks:

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BOREHOLE SAMPLES

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Ltd. DATE: Sept. 28/71

PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1 - 71

SAMPLE NO: C-21891 (442' - 452') C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 151

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt.%	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S.%	FSI
- 1.45	76.19	5.34		34.72	58.94	0.46	9+
1.45-1.55	8.07	14.99		30.25	53.76	0.58	8
+ 1.55	15.74	72.06					1/2
TOTAL	100.00	16.62					

Remarks:

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Ltd.	DATE: Sept. 28/71
PROJECT:	C.E.S. PROJECT NO.:
CLIENT SAMPLE NO.:	SI - 71
C-21891 (442' - 452')	C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.:
	151

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	16.29%
VOLATILE MATTER:	28.88%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	1.00%
FIXED CARBON:	53.83%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	7½
B.T.U./lb.:	12,440
SULPHUR:	0.48%
RANK:	hvAb

DATE: August 28th 1971

LOCATION: Miner's Opit

R.H. - B.V. - 3

WIDTH: 10'

REMARKS: 442 - 452

Drill Depth

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Ltd. DATE: Sept. 28/71
 PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1 - 71
 SAMPLE NO: C-21892 (452' - 458') C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 152

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	82.71	2.38		33.12	63.56	0.35	9
1.45-1.55	10.17	6.90		31.36	60.80	0.44	8
+ 1.55	7.12	70.73					1/2
TOTAL	100.00	7.71					

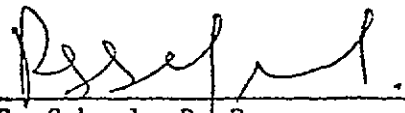
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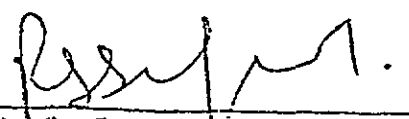
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 PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO.:
 CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: S1 - 71
 C-21892 (452' - 458') C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.:
 152

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	7.40%
VOLATILE MATTER:	30.01%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	0.94%
FIXED CARBON:	61.65%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	8
B.T.U./lb.:	13,860
SULPHUR:	0.34%
RANK:	hvAb

DATE: August 28th 1971
 LOCATION: Plant Office
 P.H. C.V - 3
 IDTH: 6'
 MARKS: 452 - 458'
Below Depth

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Ltd. DATE: Sept. 28/71
 PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO.:
 CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: G-21893 (458' - 464') C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.:
 SI - 71
 153

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	30.57%
VOLATILE MATTER:	23.76%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	0.95%
FIXED CARBON:	44.72%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	6
B.T.U./lb.:	9,660
SULPHUR:	0.37%
RANK:	hvAb

DATE: August 23rd 1971
 LOCATION: Vertical Drift
PH - C.V. - 3
 DEPTH: 6'
 MARKS: 458 - 464'
Dr. [Signature]

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 Laboratory Manager.

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BOREHOLE SAMPLES

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Ltd. DATE: Sept. 28/71
 PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1 - 71
 SAMPLE NO: C-21893 (458' - 464') C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 153

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt.%	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S.%	FSI
- 1.45	52.18	9.98		32.31	56.76	0.44	9
1.45-1.55	17.64	13.55		30.24	55.26	0.50	8
+ 1.55	30.18	76.97					1/2
TOTAL	100.00	30.83					

Remarks:

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Per: *R.S. Sehgal*
 R.S. Sehgal, P. Eng.,
 Laboratory Manager.

RSS:hg

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.

PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1-71

SAMPLE NO: C-21894 C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 154
CV-3 (656' - 660')

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt.%	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S.%	FSI
- 1.45	87.83	4.90		27.49	66.62	6.41	7½
1.45-1.55	4.61	19.73		22.24	57.04	0.50	1½
+ 1.55	7.56	62.41					½
TOTAL	100.00	9.93					

Remarks:

For: R. S. Sehgal, P. Eng.,
Laboratory Manager.

BOREHOLE SAMPLES:

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited	DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.
PROJECT:	C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: SI-71
CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21894 CV-3 (656' - 660')	C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 154

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	10.93%
VOLATILE MATTER:	26.25%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	0.99%
FIXED CARBON:	61.83%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	6
B.T.U./lb.:	13,420
SULPHUR:	0.43%
RANK:	mvb

DATE: *August 28th 1971*

LOCATION: *Clinton Cyclic*

R.H. C.I. - 3

WIDTH: *4'*

REMARKS: *656-660*

Driller Depth

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.

PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1-71

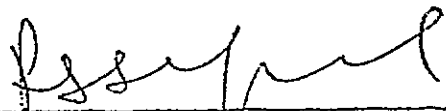
SAMPLE NO: G-21895 C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 155
 CV-3 (672' - 677')

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	57.01	10.40		28.26	60.48	0.47	7½
1.45-1.55	6.60	14.69		25.75	58.70	0.59	6½
+ 1.55	36.39	74.86					½
TOTAL	100.00	34.14					

Remarks:

Per:


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 Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited	DATE: Sept. 28, 1971.
PROJECT:	C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: S1-71
CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: G-21895 CV-3 (672' - 677')	C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 155

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	33.79%
VOLATILE MATTER:	21.33%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	0.86%
FIXED CARBON:	44.02%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	4
B.T.U./lb.:	9,350
SULPHUR:	0.45%
RANK:	mvb

DATE: August 28 1971

LOCATION: Venezia Op. plant

R.H. - C.V. - 3

WIDTH: 3

REMARKS: 672 - 677

Other notes

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited

DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: SI-71

CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21896
CV-3 (736' - 746')

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 156

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	36.97%
VOLATILE MATTER:	21.17%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	0.94%
FIXED CARBON:	40.92%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	3½
B.T.U./lb.:	8,830
SULPHUR:	0.41%
RANK:	mvb

DATE: *August 25-8-71*

LOCATION: *Vincent Copper*

R.H. - C.V. - 3

DTH: *10'*

MARKS: *736 - 746*

Drillers Depth

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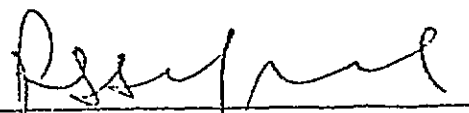
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CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.
PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. SI-71
SAMPLE NO: C-21896 C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 156
CV-3 (736' - 746')

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI	
- 1.45	50.18	5.87		28.10	65.09	0.38	8	
1.45-1.55	6.80	16.87		24.66	57.53	0.45	6	
+ 1.55	43.02	77.13					$\frac{1}{2}$	
TOTAL	100.00	37.27						

Remarks:

Per: 
R.S. Sehgal, P. Eng.,
Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited	DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.
PROJECT:	C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: SI-71
CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21897 CV-3 (746' - 757')	C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 157

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	35.25%
VOLATILE MATTER:	20.80%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	0.92%
FIXED CARBON:	43.03%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	4
B.T.U./lb.:	11,760
SULPHUR:	0.51%
RANK:	mvb

DATE: August 28th, 71

LOCATION: Rio Tinto Exploration

R.H., C.V-3

DEPTH: 11'

MARKS: 746 - 757

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R. S. Sehgal, P/Eng.
Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited

DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S171

SAMPLE NO: C-21897
CV-3 (746' - 757')

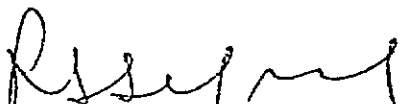
C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 157

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash %	RM %	VM %	FC %	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	48.25	8.58		27.13	63.37	0.56	8
1.45-1.55	12.13	18.32		24.79	55.97	0.79	5
+ 1.55	39.62	73.21					1/2
TOTAL	100.00	35.37					

Remarks:

Per:


R.S. Sehgal, P. Eng.,
Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio tinto Canadian Exploration Limited	DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.
PROJECT:	C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: SI-71
CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21898 CV-4 (22' - 28')	C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 158

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	14.13%
VOLATILE MATTER:	30.72%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	1.33%
FIXED CARBON:	53.82%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	3½
B.T.U./lb.:	9,450
SULPHUR:	0.52%
RANK:	hvcB

DATE: August 30th 1971

LOCATION: Vancouver

CV-4

WIDTH: 1.5

REMARKS: 1.5

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Per: R. S. Sehgal
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Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL.

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.
 Limited
 PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1-71
 SAMPLE NO: C-21898 C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 158
 CV-4 (22' - 28')

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	84.20	2.77		34.86	61.04	0.52	4
1.45-1.55	2.97	12.75		29.10	56.82	0.68	3
+ 1.55	12.83	82.72					N.A.
TOTAL	100.00	13.32					

Remarks:

Per: *R.S. Sehgal*
 R.S. Sehgal, P. Eng.,
 Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited	DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.
PROJECT:	C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: S1-71
CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21899 CV-4 (85' - 96').	C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 159

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	19.29%
VOLATILE MATTER:	30.83%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	1.30%
FIXED CARBON:	48.58%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	4½
B.T.U./lb.:	11,660
SULPHUR:	0.38%
RANK:	hvAb

DATE: *Sept 30 1971*

LOCATION: *Mount Elbert*

RH. = CV = 4

DEPTH: *11'*

MARKS: *85-96'*

Over Depth

CYCLONE ENGINEERING SALES LTD.

Per: *R. S. Sehgal*
R. S. Sehgal, P. Eng.
Laboratory Manager.

BOREHOLE SAMPLES

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.

PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. SI-71

SAMPLE NO: C-21899 C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 159
CV-4 (85' - 96')

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	75.02	4.11		35.03	59.56	0.37	6½
1.45-1.55	3.65	17.60		28.74	52.36	0.44	2½
+ 1.55	21.33	71.17					½
TOTAL	100.00	18.91					

Remarks:

C.E.S. Form 34

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Per: R. S. Sehgal, P. Eng.,
Laboratory Manager.

RSS:hg

BOREHOLE SAMPLES:

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Ltd. DATE: October 5, 1971
 PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: S1 - 71
 CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21900 CV-4 (272' - 276') C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 160

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	13.36%
VOLATILE MATTER:	29.70%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	1.29%
FIXED CARBON:	55.65%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	5½
B.T.U./lb.:	12,070
SULPHUR:	2.73%
RANK:	1vAb b

DATE: August 20th 1971
 LOCATION: Western Ontario

N.H. - C. 4 - 2

 WIDTH: 1'
 REMARKS: 272 - 276

Drill Depth

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 Laboratory Manager.

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Ltd. DATE: October 5, 1971

PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1 - 71

SAMPLE NO: C-21900 , CV-4 (272' - 276') C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 160

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	82.22	2.38		34.80	61.53	0.86	7
1.45-1.55	2.71	19.49		27.97	51.25	1.15	2½
+ 1.55	15.07	72.31				13.05	n.a.
TOTAL	100.00	13.38				2.70	

Remarks:

BOREHOLE SAMPLES:

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited	DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.
PROJECT:	C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: SI-71
CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21901	C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 161
CV-4 (518' - 526')	

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	16.11%
VOLATILE MATTER:	28.25%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	1.03%
FIXED CARBON:	54.61%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	6½
B.T.U./lb.:	12,190
SULPHUR:	0.51%
RANK:	hvAb

DATE: 29-31st '71

LOCATION: Verint Explor

R.H. - C.V.-4

DEPTH: 5'

MARKS: 518 - 526

30/11/71

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 R. S. Sehgal, P. Eng.
 Laboratory Manager.

BOREHOLE SAMPLES

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.

PROJECT: C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1-71

SAMPLE NO: G-21901 C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 161
CV-4 (518' - 526')

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	78.63	3.49		32.63	62.85	0.58	7½
1.45-1.55	4.08	15.16		26.49	57.32	0.49	5
+ 1.55	17.29	72.38					½
TOTAL	100.00	15.53					

Remarks:

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Laboratory Manager.

BOREHOLE SAMPLES:

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited	DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.
PROJECT:	C.E.S. PROJECT NO.: S1-71
CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21902 CV-4 (617' - 621')	C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 162

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH:	7.08%
VOLATILE MATTER:	31.41%
RESIDUAL MOISTURE:	1.00%
FIXED CARBON:	60.51%
FREE SWELLING INDEX:	8
B.T.U./lb.:	13,000
SULPHUR:	0.60%
RANK:	hvAb

DATE: *Aug. 30th '71*

LOCATION: *Vincennes*

R.T. C.V. 7-

WIDTH: *7'*

REMARKS: *617-621*

Over 30% - 40% ...

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Per: *R. S. Schgal*

R. S. Schgal, P. Eng.
Laboratory Manager.

BOREHOLE SAMPLES

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1-71

SAMPLE NO: G-21902
CV-4 (617' - 621')

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 162

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

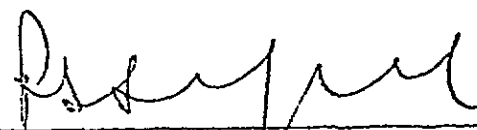
Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	93.47	3.56		32.81	62.63	0.59	8½
1.45-1.55	2.21	22.96		24.67	51.37	0.68	4
+ 1.55	4.32	64.02					½
TOTAL	100.00	6.60					

Remarks:

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Per:



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Laboratory Manager.

RSS:hg

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REPORT OF ANALYSES ON RAW MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration
Limited

DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO.:
SI-71

CLIENT SAMPLE NO.: C-21903
CV-4 (714' - 724')

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO.: 163

ANALYSES ON AIR DRY BASIS:

ASH: 19.81%

VOLATILE MATTER: 28.02%

RESIDUAL MOISTURE: 0.93%

FIXED CARBON: 51.24%

FREE SWELLING INDEX: 7

B.T.U./lb.: 11,730

SULPHUR: 0.49%

RANK: hvAb

DATE: *Aug. 31st 1971*

LOCATION: *Lowest Opalin*

714' - 724'

WIDTH: *10'*

REMARKS: *714' - 724'*

See Depth

CYCLONE ENGINEERING SALES LTD.

Per: *R. S. Sehgal*
R. S. Sehgal, P. Eng.
Laboratory Manager.

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C 21903

BOREHOLE SAMPLES

REPORT OF ANALYSES ON FLOAT-SINK MATERIAL

CLIENT: Rio Tinto Canadian Exploration Limited DATE: Sept. 29, 1971.

PROJECT:

C.E.S. PROJECT NO. S1-71

SAMPLE NO: C-21903
CV-4 (714' - 724')

C.E.S. SAMPLE NO. 163

TABLE 1. Float-Sink Analyses on 1/4" x 0

Property Fraction	Wt. %	Ash%	RM%	VM%	FC%	S. %	FSI
- 1.45	69.28	6.20		32.78	60.09	0.50	8½
1.45-1.55	9.26	20.65		17.21	61.21	0.53	7
+ 1.55	21.46	59.89					1
TOTAL	100.00	19.06					

Remarks:

C.E.S. Form 34

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Laboratory Manager.

RSS:hg

C.V.-1 (ALTA)



C.V.-3 (B.C.)



C.V.-4 (B.C.)



C.V.-2 (B.C.)



CAUTION
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 OF ORIGINAL SIZE

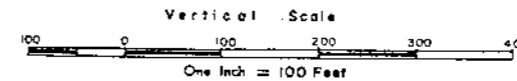
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 shown also + in brown top
 of both columns*

LEGEND

-  SANDSTONE
-  SILTSTONE
-  SHALE
-  COAL



N.T.S.
 82 - J-6,7,10,11

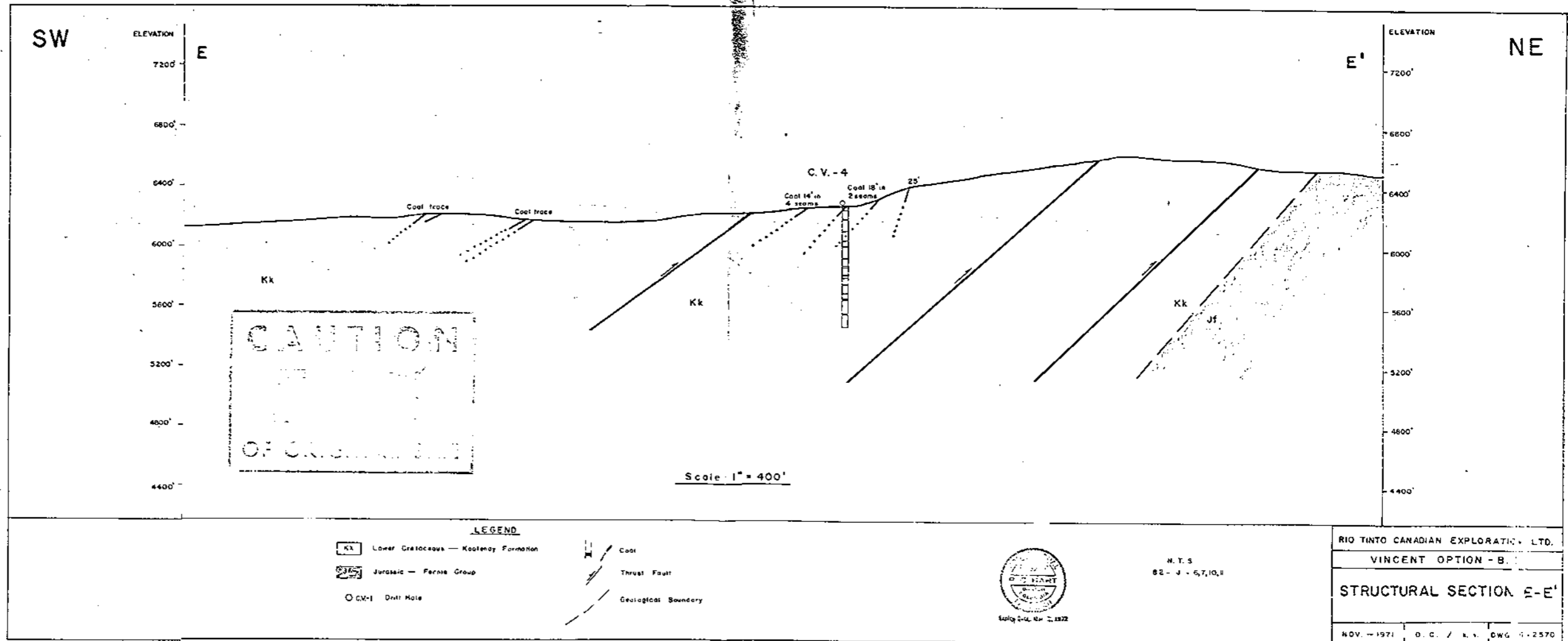
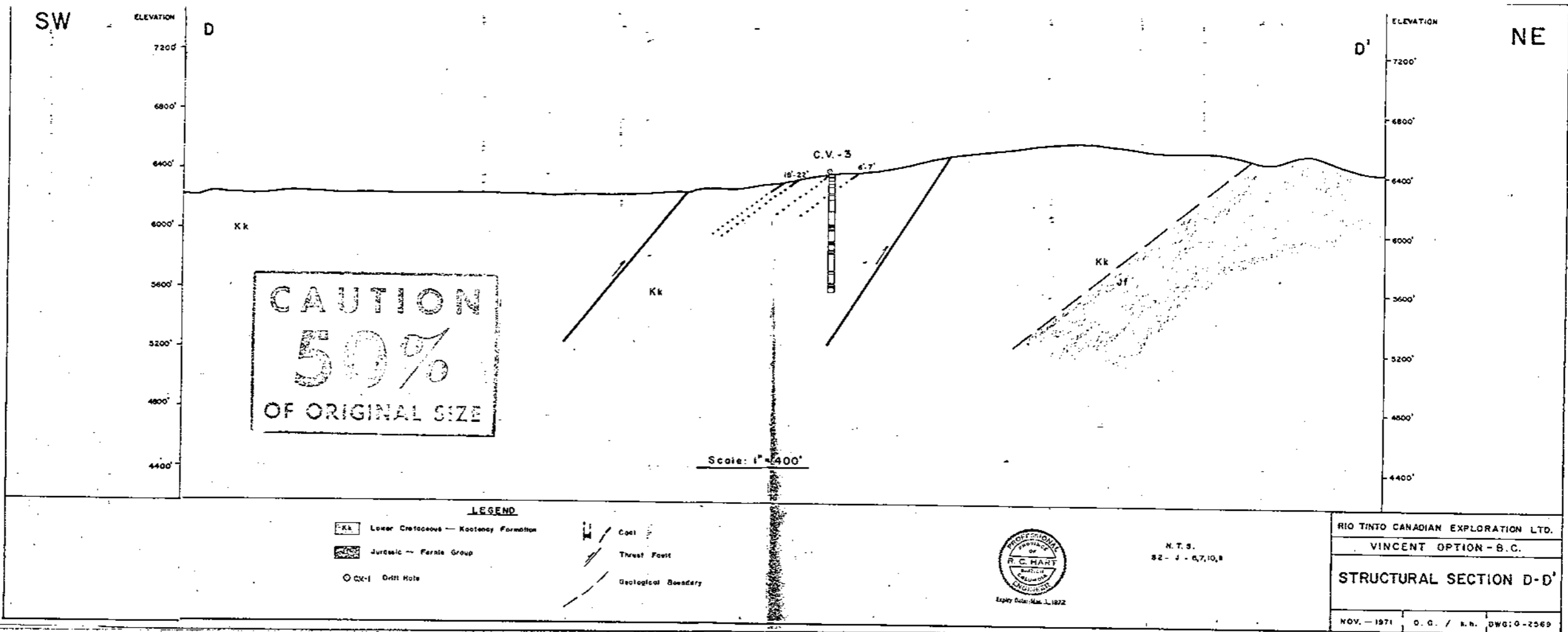


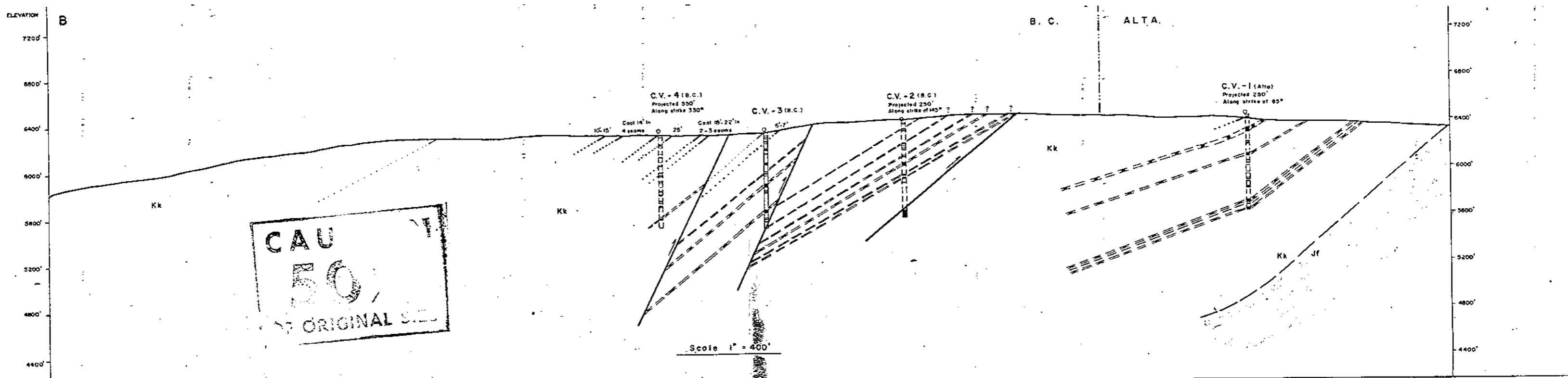
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STRATIGRAPHIC CORRELATION
 DRILL HOLES C.V.-1-CV-4

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LEGEND

Kk Lower Cretaceous - Kootenay Formation

Jf Jurassic - Fernie Group

○ C.V.-1 Drill Hole

Coal

Thrust Fault

Geological Boundary

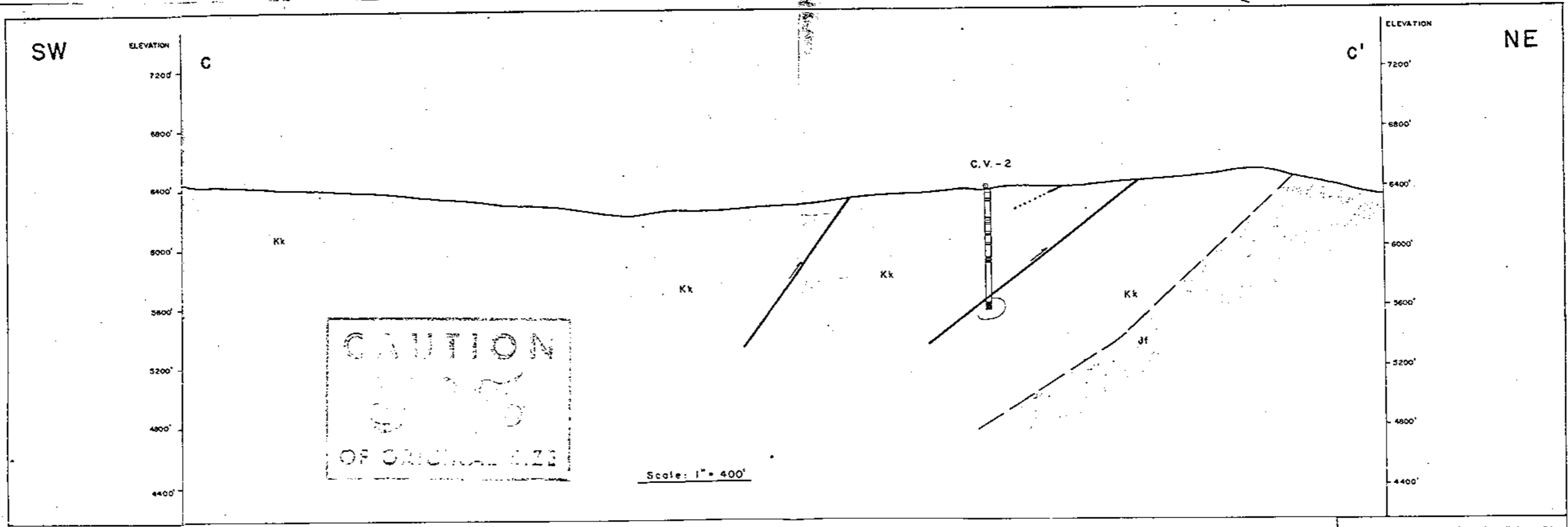


M.T.S.
82-4-6,7,10,8

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VINCENT OPTION - B.C., CASSIDY OPTION - AL

STRUCTURAL SECTION B

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LEGEND

Kk Lower Cretaceous - Kootenay Formation

Jf Jurassic - Fernie Group

○ C.V.-1 Drill Hole

Coal

Thrust Fault

Geological Boundary



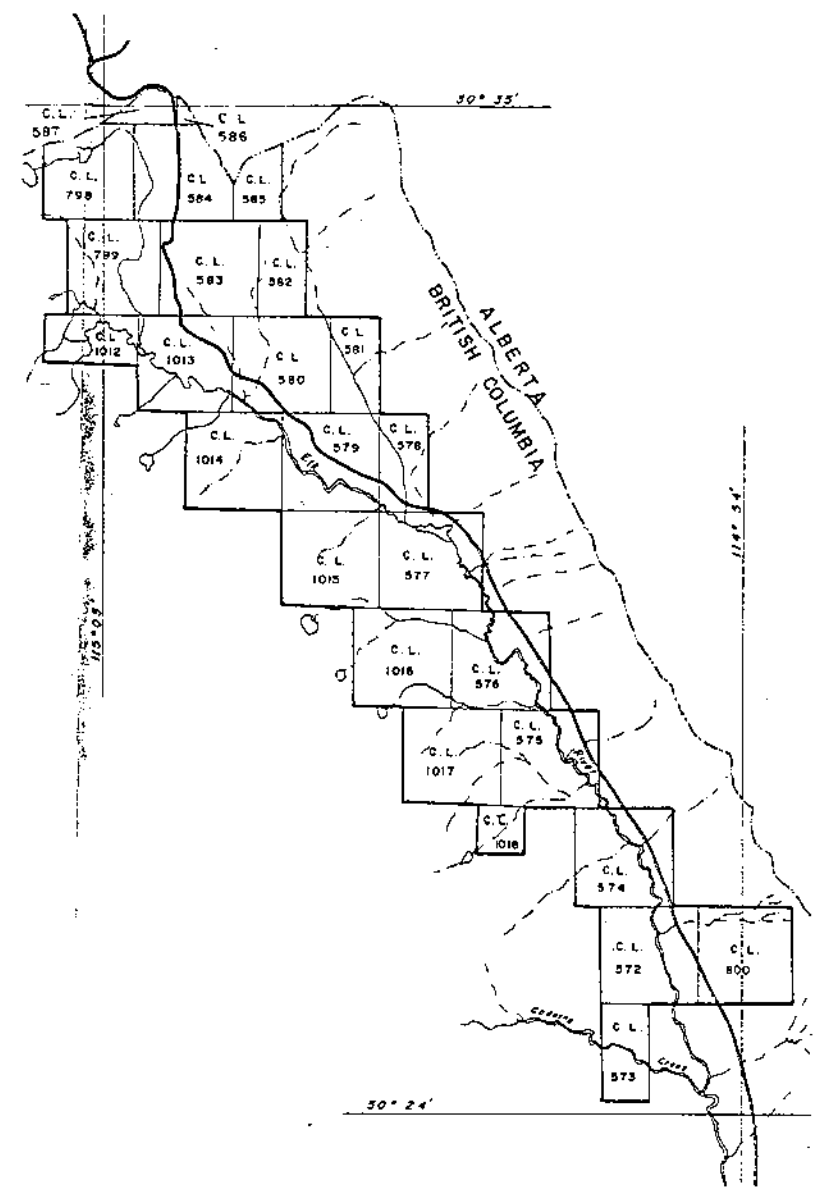
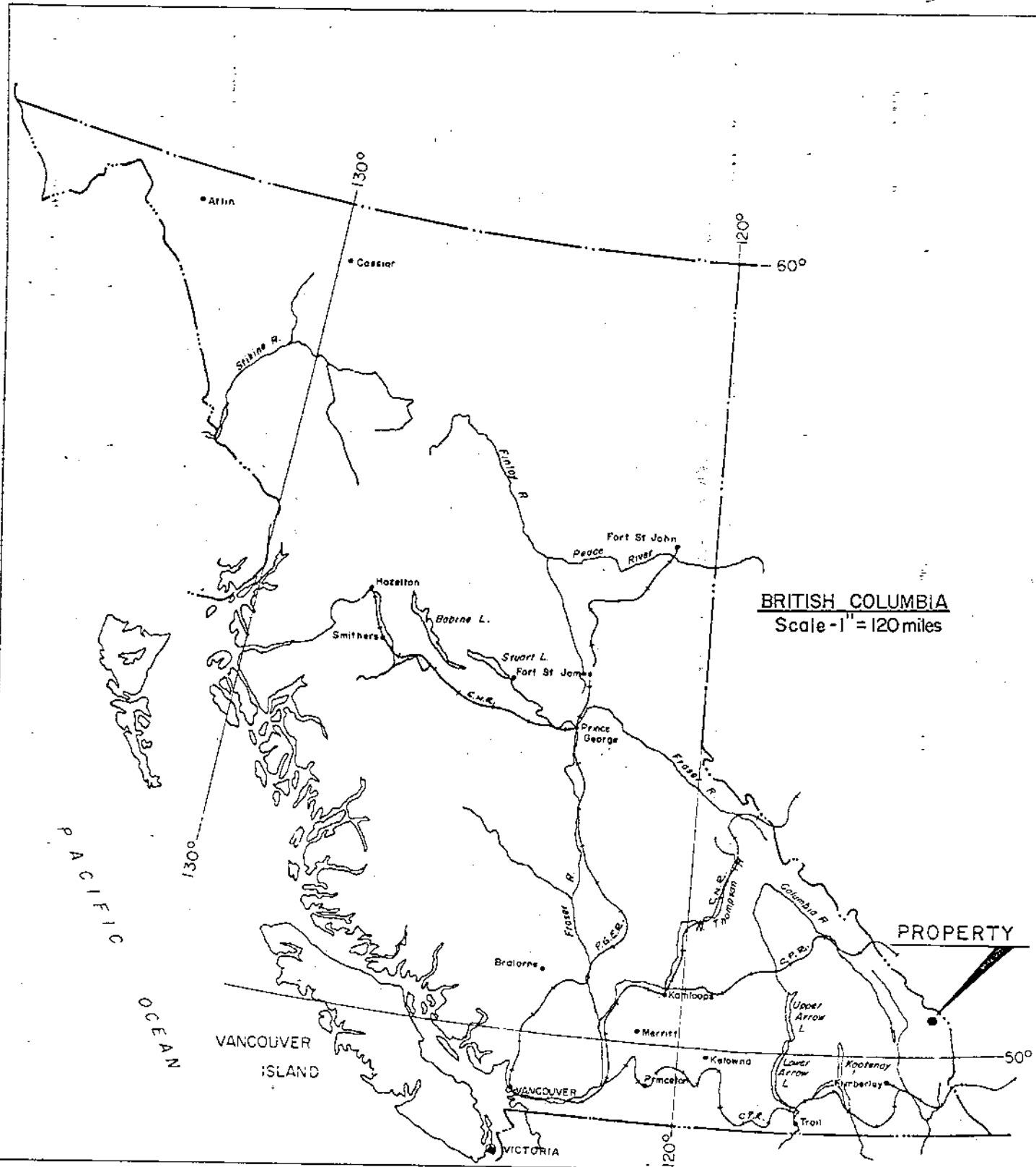
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VINCENT OPTION - B.C.

STRUCTURAL SECTION C-C'

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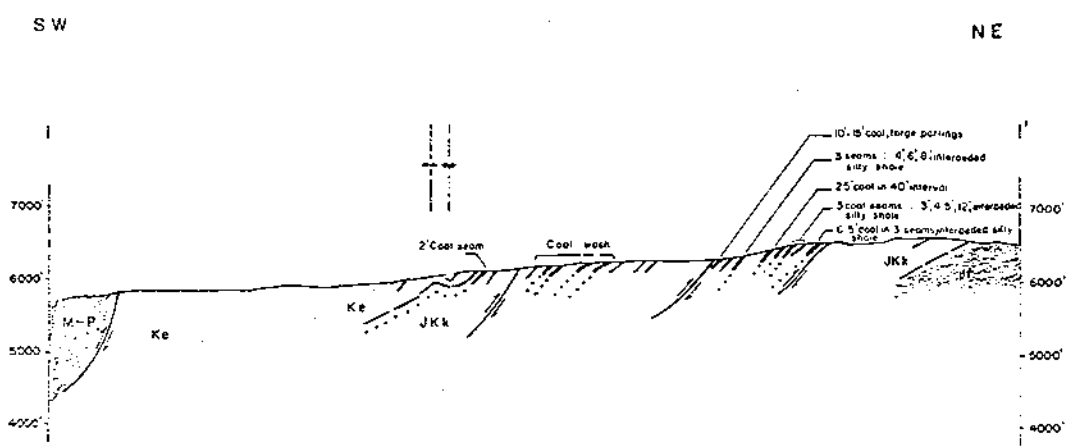
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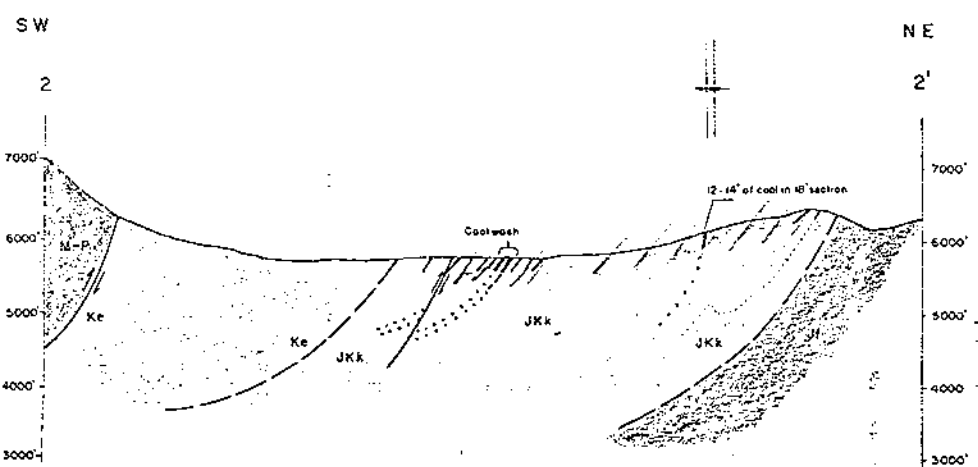
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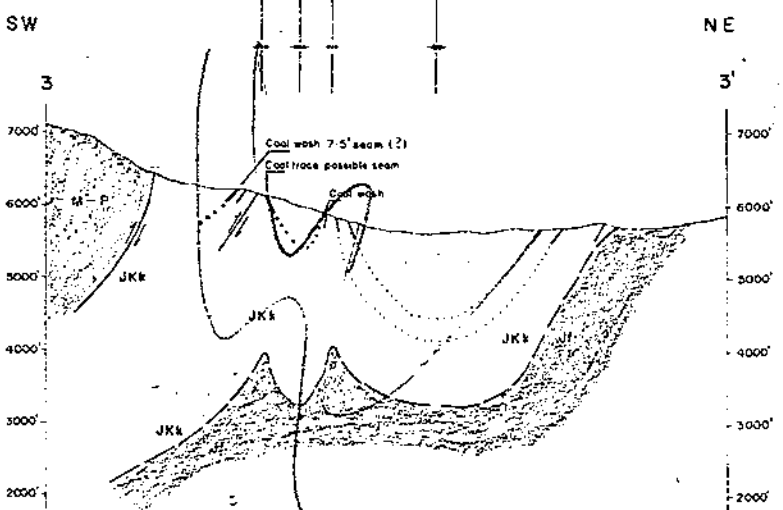
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VINCENT OPTION - ELK VALLEY - BC		
LOCATION MAP		
DEC. 1970	R.A.B. / e. x	DWG L-2556



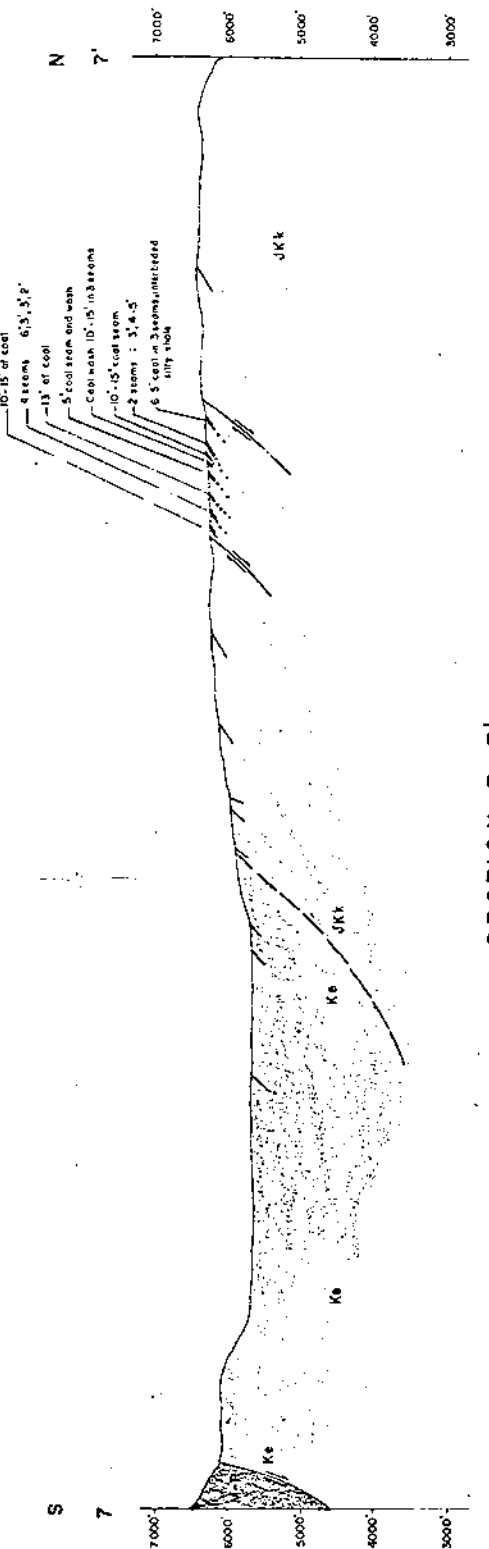
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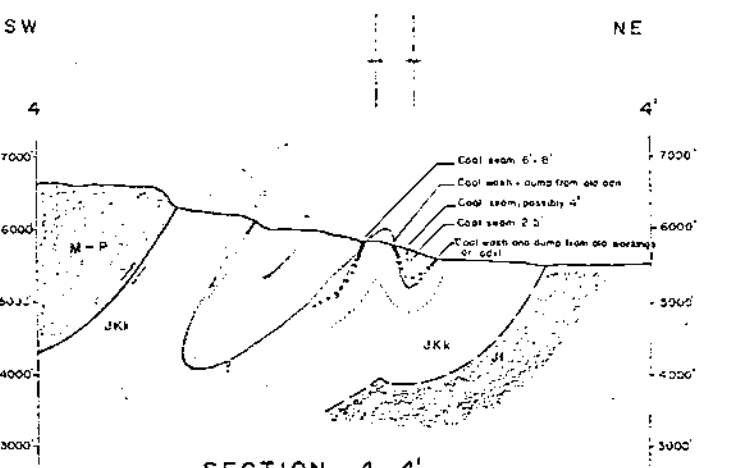
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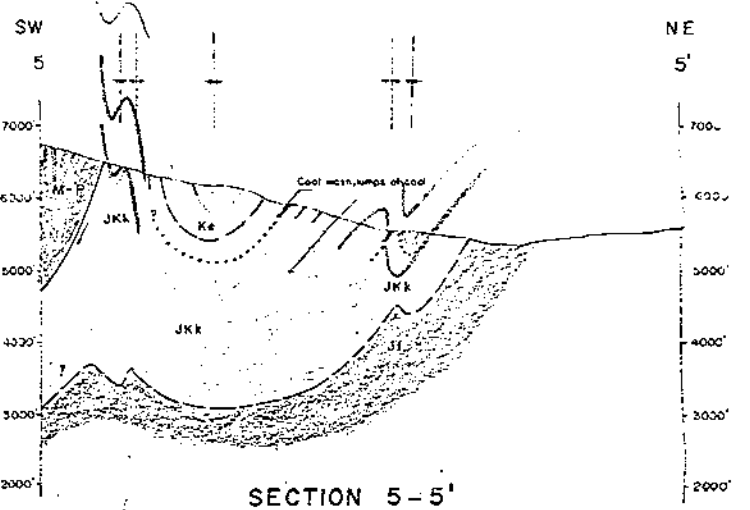
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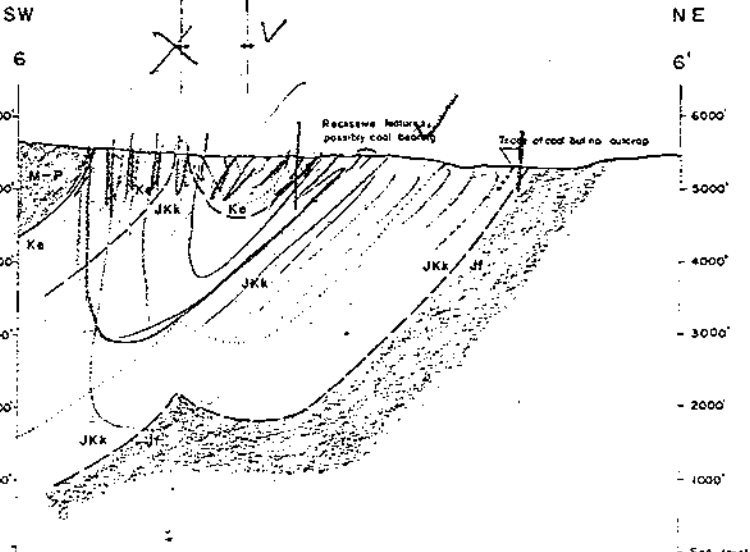
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SECTION 4-4'



SECTION 5-5'

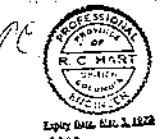
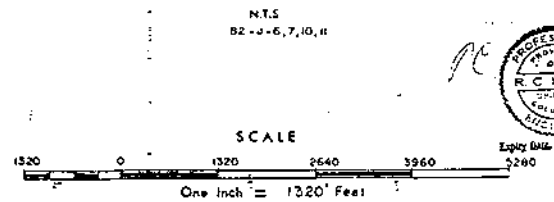


SECTION 6-6'

CAUTION
50%
OF ORIGINAL SIZE

- LEGEND**
- LOWER CRETACEOUS
 - Ke Elu Formation
 - CRETACEOUS - JURASSIC
 - JKk Kootenay Formation
 - JURASSIC
 - Ferres Group
 - PALEOZOIC
 - Lower Mesozoic, Paleozoic, undivided

- Coal seam
- Thrust fault
- Geological boundary



RIO TINTO CANADIAN EXPLORATION LIMITED
VINCENT OPTION - ELK WALLEY - B.C.
STRUCTURAL SECTIONS
DEC. 1970 O.C. / * & DWG. G - 3552

These cross-sections show the deposit open to the west under the thrust fault. I don't believe that at all. ID



LEGEND

- LOWER CRETACEOUS
 - K₁ Elk Formation
- CRETACEOUS-JURASSIC
 - JK₁ Kootenai Formation
- JURASSIC
 - J₁ Fernie Group
- PALEOZOIC
 - M-P Lower Mesozoic, Paleozoic Undivided

SYMBOLS

- ▨ Bedding, inclined, vertical, overturned
- Geological Boundary
- Anticlinal Axis
- Synclinal Axis
- ▲ Thrust Fault, Triangles on Downthrow Side
- Coal Occurrence, Altitude Measured
- × Coal Occurrence, Altitude Uncertain
- Oil/Gas, Altitude Undetermined
- Property Boundary
- Proposed drill sites

Note: Revision C.V. - 2, 3, 4, Section B-C, D-C, D-D, E-E'

CAUTION
50%
OF ORIGINAL SIZE



REVISED NOV. 1971
RIO TINTO CANADIAN EXPLORATION LIMITED
VINCENT OPTION - ELK VALLEY - B-C

GEOLOGICAL MAP

N.T.S.
82-2-4,7,10,11

SCALE
0 120 240 360 480
One inch = 1320 Feet

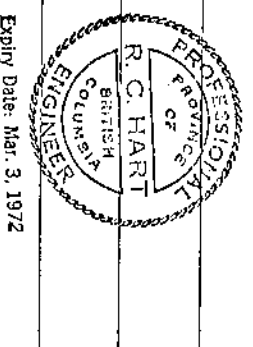
ROKKE

GAMMA RAY NEUTRON

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

FILE NO. _____ COMPANY RIO TINTO CANADIAN EXPLORATION LTD.
 LSD _____ WELL C. V. 2
 SEC _____ TYPE _____ LOCATION TOBERMORY HILL
 RGE _____ FIELD ELK PASS
 W _____ M _____

PROVINCE BRITISH COLUMBIA
 Permanent Datum: GROUND LEVEL
 Log Measured from: GROUND LEVEL
 Well Depths Measured from: _____
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 G.L. _____

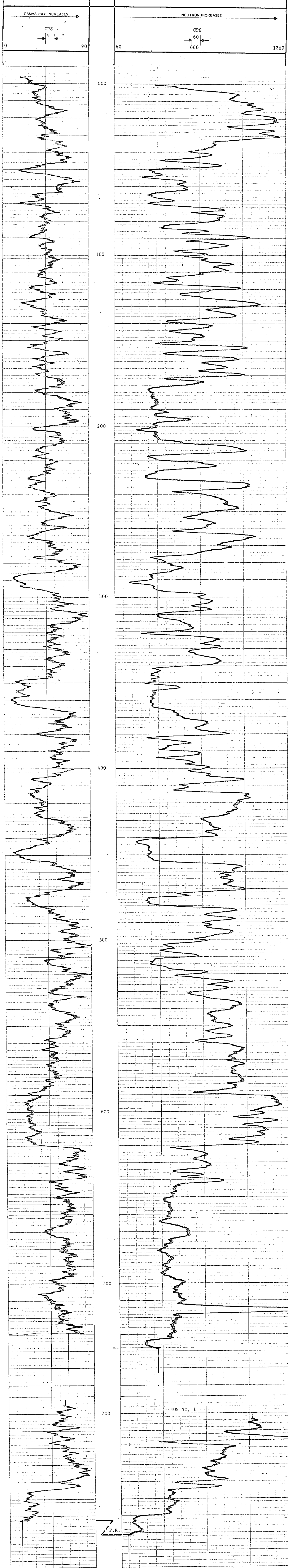


Run No. ONE
 Date 22 AUGUST 71
 First Reading 771
 Last Reading 0
 Footage Logged 771
 Depth Reached 772
 Depth Driller 798
 Casing Note _____
 Casing Order _____
 Fluid Type _____
 Liquid Level 4 778
 Min. Depth _____
 Operating Time 4 HOURS
 Truck No. 30
 Recorded By S.M. Witnessed By C. LANGRISH

EQUIPMENT DATA			
GAMMA RAY		NEUTRON	
RUN NO.	ONE	RUN NO.	ONE
TOOL MODEL NO.		LOG TYPE	NEUTRON/NEUTRON
DIAMETER	1 1/8	TOOL MODEL NO.	
DETECTOR MODEL NO.		DIAMETER	1 1/8
TYPE	GEIGER	DETECTOR MODEL NO.	
LENGTH	18 INCH	TYPE	PROPORTIONAL
DISTANCE TO N. SOURCE	8.55 FT	LENGTH	6 INCH
		SOURCE MODEL NO.	MRC-N-SS-W
		SERIAL NO.	606
GENERAL		SPACING	19 INCH
HOIST TRUCK NO.	30	TYPE	AmBe
INSTRUMENT TRUCK NO.		STRENGTH	7.00 x 10 ⁶ N/S
TOOL SERIAL NO.	CGN27U4CB177		

LOGGING DATA											
GAMMA RAY					NEUTRON						
RUN NO.	DEPTHS FROM	DEPTHS TO	SPEED FT/MIN	T.C. SEC	SENS SETTINGS	ZERO DIV L OR R	API GR UNITS PER LOG DIV	T.C. SEC	SENS SETTINGS	ZERO DIV L OR R	API N UNITS PER LOG DIV
1	700	771	11	5	100	OL	9 CPS	3	1000	IL	50 CPS
2	0	748	11	5	100	OL	9 CPS	3	1000	IL	60 CPS

REMARKS LOGGED THRU DOUBLE WALL PIPE



WELL NAME: Elk Valley #1
LOCATION: LATITUDE ° ' N. LONGITUDE ° ' W.
U.T.M. ZONE E. N.

LOGS AVAILABLE: K.B.
STATUS: G.R.
LOGGED BY: SAMPLE QUALITY: T.D.
DATE: R.R.

Units	Lithology	Remarks
1100		
1000		
900		
800		
700		
600		
500		
400		
300		
200		
100		
0		

(3.6m) 12'
 (3.1m) 10'
 (9.4m) 31'
 2'
 (2.4m) 8'
 2'
 (0.9m) 3'
 (3.1m) 10'
 (1.4m) 4.5'
 (1.4m) 4.5'
 (2.1m) 7'
 (2.7m) 9'

Total
 55.9'

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GAMMA RAY NEUTRON LOG

DENSITY LOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

FILE NO. COMPANY RIO TINTO CANADIAN EXPLORATION LTD.

WELL C. V. 4

LOCATION TOBERMORY HILL

R.C. HART

PROVINCE BRITISH COLUMBIA

DATE 31 AUGUST 71

DEPTH REACHED 732

DEPTH DRILLER 802

FLUID TYPE WATER

LIQUID LEVEL 4 7/8

OPERATING TIME 7 HOURS

TRUCK NO. 30

RECORDED BY SIM

WITNESSED BY C. LINGHAM

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER

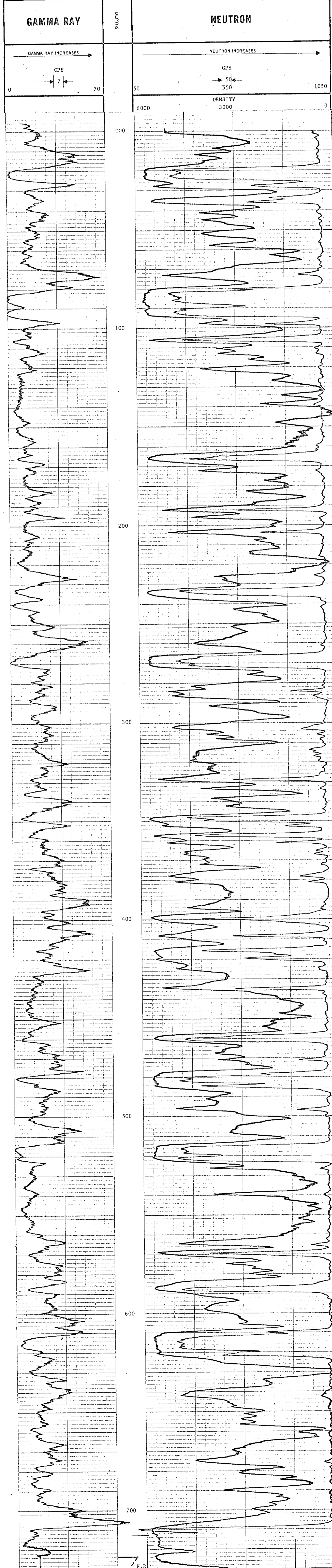
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RUN NO.	ONE			RUN NO.	ONE		
TOOL MODEL NO.	116			TOOL MODEL NO.	NEUTRON/NEUTRON		
DETECTOR MODEL NO.	GEIGER			DETECTOR MODEL NO.	PROPORTIONAL		
TYPE	18 INCH			TYPE	6 INCH		
LENGTH	8.55 FT			LENGTH	MRC-N-SS-W		
DISTANCE TO N. SOURCE				SOURCE MODEL NO.	606		
GENERAL				SERIAL NO.	19 INCH		
HOIST TRUCK NO.	30			SPACING	AmBe		
INSTRUMENT TRUCK NO.				TYPE	7.00 x 10 ⁶ N/S		
TOOL SERIAL NO.	CGN27U4CB177			STRENGTH			

LOGGING DATA

RUN NO.	DEPTHS		SPEED FT/MIN	T.C. SEC	SENS SETTINGS	GAMMA RAY		T.C. SEC	SENS SETTINGS	NEUTRON	
	FROM	TO				ZERO DIV. L OR R	API GR. UNITS PER LOG DIV.			ZERO DIV. L OR R	API N. UNITS PER LOG DIV.
1	0	732	11	5	100	OL	7 CPS	3	1000	1L	50 CPS
DENSITY		9	3	5000	OR	300 CPS					

REMARKS



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SANDRA RAY NEUTRON LOG

DENSITY LOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

FILE NO. COMPANY RIO TINTO CANADIAN EXPLORATION LTD.

WELL C. V. 3

LOCATION TOBERMORY HILL

FIELD EIK PASS

PROVINCE BRITISH COLUMBIA

Remanent Datum GROUND LEVEL

Date 31 AUGUST 71

Run No. ONE

First Reading 799

Footage Logged 799

Depth Reached 800

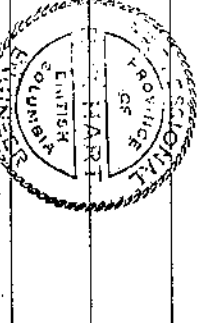
Depth Driller 800

Casing Driller

Fluid Type WATER

Operating Time 4 HOURS

Track No. 30



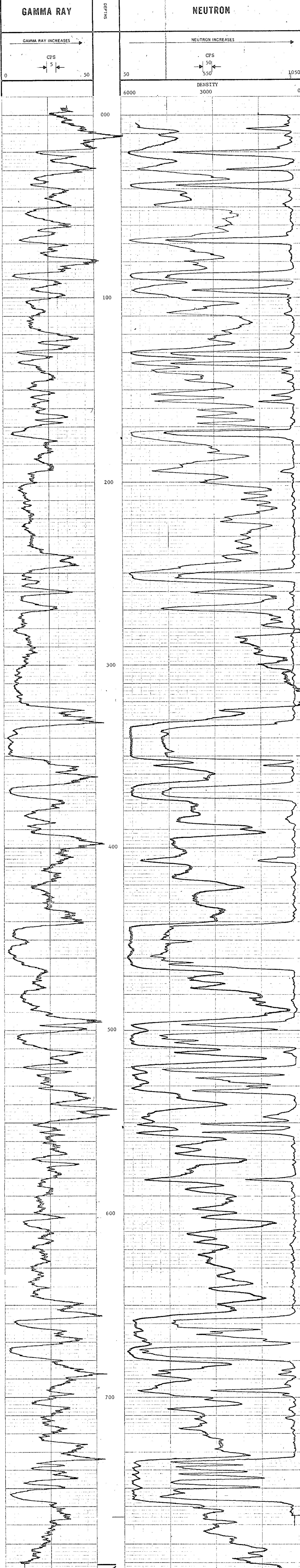
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RUN NO.	ONE			RUN NO.	ONE		
TOOL MODEL NO.				LOG TYPE	NEUTRON/NEUTRON		
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DETECTOR MODEL NO.				DIAMETER	1 1/8		
TYPE	GEIGER			DETECTOR MODEL NO.			
LENGTH	18 INCH			TYPE	PROPORTIONAL		
DISTANCE TO N. SOURCE	8.55 FT			LENGTH	6 INCH		
GENERAL				SOURCE MODEL NO.	MRC-N-SS-W		
HOIST TRUCK NO.	30			SERIAL NO.	606		
INSTRUMENT TRUCK NO.				SPACING	19 INCH		
TOOL SERIAL NO.	CGN27U4CB177			TYPE	AmBe		
				STRENGTH	7.00 x 10 ⁶ N/S		

LOGGING DATA

RUN NO.	DEPTHS		SPEED FT/MIN	T.C. SEC.	GAMMA RAY			NEUTRON				
	FROM	TO			ZERO DIV. L OR R	API GR UNITS PER LOG DIV	T.C. SEC.	SENS. SETTINGS	ZERO DIV. L OR R	API N. UNITS PER LOG DIV		
1	0	799	11	5	50	50	OR	300	3	1000	11	50
DENSITY			9	3	5000	OR	300	CPS				

REMARKS



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SIDEWALL DENSITOG

OIL ENTERPRISES LTD. CALGARY, ALBERTA

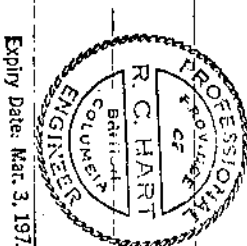
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LSD _____ WELL C. V. 2

TWP _____ LOCATION TOBERMORY HILL

RCE _____ FIELD ELK PASS

W _____ M _____ PROVINCE BRITISH COLUMBIA



Permanent Datum _____ GROUND LEVEL _____ Elev. _____ Ft. Above Perm. Datum _____
 Log Measured from _____ GROUND LEVEL _____ Ft. Above Perm. Datum _____
 Well Depths Measured from _____ G.L. _____

Run No. ONE

Date 31 AUGUST 71

First Reading 476

Last Reading 0

Footage Logged 476

Depth Reached 478

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Fluid Type WATER

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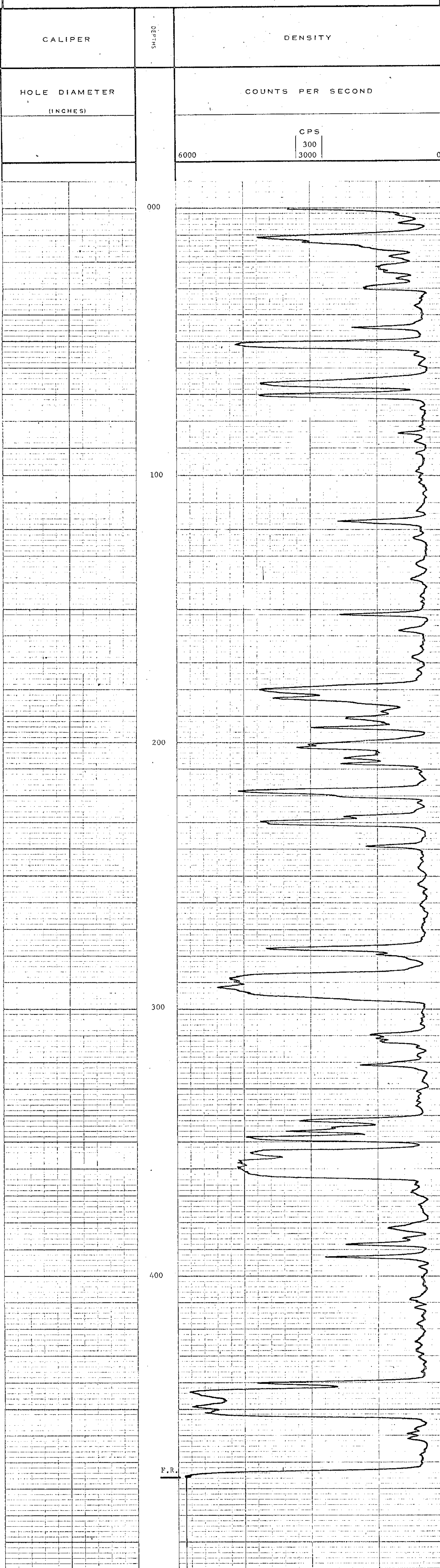
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REMARKS



1'-50'

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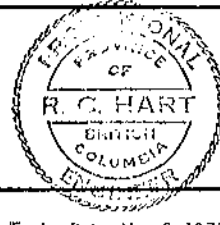
WELL NAME: *ELK VALLEY # 4*
 LOCATION: LATITUDE N. LONGITUDE W.
 U.T.M. ZONE E. N.

LOGS AVAILABLE: K.B.
 STATUS: SAMPLE QUALITY: G.R.
 LOGGED BY: DATE: T.D.
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Units	Lithology	Remarks
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RIO TINTO CANADIAN EXPLORATION LIMITED
DRILL & CORE LOG

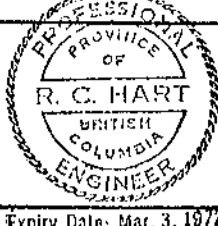
PROPERTY: Vincent Option, Elk Valley, B.C.	HOLE NO. 00 31
LOCATION: 2,200'E, 1,600'S of NW corner, Lot S490 (C.B. 584)	
AZIMUTH:	ELEVATION: 359 (approx.)
TOTAL DEPTH: 900'	PROBE DEPTH: 799'
HOLE SIZE: 4 7/8"	CORE SIZE:
DATE STARTED: August 21, 1971	AIR: <input type="checkbox"/> WATER: <input type="checkbox"/>
DATE COMPLETED: August 27, 1971	LOGGED BY: G. Collingwood
CONTRACTOR: Rio Tinto Drilling	PROBED BY: Mike Orl Entolor



FORMATION TOPS	DEPTH	PERCENT TYPE	LITHOLOGY	GRAIN SIZE IN MMS	BOUNDING	SPACING	DESCRIPTION	ANALYSIS	EVERYTHING
							SH: m. gy, blocky, mod. hd. sl. limsh. colour due to wthrg.		
							Coal: vit. to bri. > 20% vitrain & 13% ash		
							SH: m. gy, minor carb. material SS: quartzose ss. bimodal, v.f. gr. sm. gr. nd. sil. tr. calc.		
							Coal Horizon: clean bri. cloro-vitrain, few sh. ptcls. m. ash		
							SS: m. gy. v. arg. graywacke, calc. veinlets, m. hd.		
							SH: m. gy. sdy, few coal ptcls.		
							SS: m. gy. graywacke, arg. sil. mod. hd.		
							Coal Horizon:		
							SH: m. to m. dk. gy. sdy, blocky, hd. few carb. ptcls. v. sl. micro-mica		
							Coal Horizon:		
							SH: m. to m. dk. gy. sl. carb. mod. hd. Coaly sh: dk. gy. brn. & 70% sh. sl. carb. 30% coal ptcls.		
							SS: m. gy. quartzitic bimodal, v.f. sm. gr. v. sil. hd. tr. calc. veinlets.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. sdy, sl. carb. mod. hd. calc. veinlets.		
							SS/SH: SS: m. dk. gy. sl. arg. sil. calc. veinlets bimodal SH: m. dk. gy. sdy, carb. in part. blocky m. hd.		
							Coal Horizon: v.f. grnd. cloro-vitrain, sh. ptcls. at top & bot.		
							SH: coaly, few coal frag. pt. frag. stly in part.		
							SH/SS: SH: m. dk. gy. blocky, sdy, hd. SS: m. dk. gy. sil. hd.		
							SS: m. dk. gy. silt to v.f. gr. mod. sort, a gr. sil. sl. arg. tr. coal frag. sl. calc. veinlets.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. to dk. gy. carb. to coaly in part mod. hd. few coal ptcls.		
							SS: m. dk. gy. sil. quartzitic gr. to gr. m. gr. l.f. gr. hd. calc. veinlets 20% sh. ptcls.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. sdy, blocky 20% SS: AA		
							SS: m. to m. dk. gy. arg. sl. carb. in part sil. hd. calc. veinlets - some almost quartzitic, mod. hd. to hd.		
							SH: dk. gy. platy to blocky, hd.		
							SS, SH: SS: m. brn. gy. sil. sl. to v. carb. mod. hd. sh. dk. gy. carb. sds		
							Coal Horizon: v.f. grnd. clean vit. to bri., low wash.		
							SS: m. to m. dk. gy. sil. hd. minor calc. veinlets, sl. carb. in part almost quartzitic.		
							Sdy. SH: m. gy, mod. hd. tr. calc. veinlets		
							SS: AA		
							SH: m. dk. to dk. gy. sdy, carb. tr. calc. & coal.		
							Coal Horizon: Mostly clean vit. to bri. cloro-vitrain low ash few sdy sh. frag. 78' - 35'		
							SS: m. gy. brn. mod. hd. sl. carb. calc. veinlets sds		
							SH: m. dk. to dk. gy. carb. some sdy sh. ptcls. m. coal, m. calc.		
							Coal Horizon: clean vit. to bri. lustre, cloro-vitrain low ash - coaly sh. ptcls. at bot.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. stly to sdy, hd. few coal ptcls.		
							SH, SS, SH-AA; SS: m. dk. gy. sil. hd. sl. arg.		
							SS: m. dk. gy. sil. hd. tr. carb. tr. calc.		
							SH: m. dk. to dk. gy. mod. hd. v. sl. stly		
							SS: m. dk. gy. sil. cont. hd. v. sl. carb.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. mod. hd. v. sl. stly blocky minor calc. veinlets.		
							SS: m. dk. gy. sil. sl. arg. mod. hd. blocky		
							SS/SH: 2:1 SS: AA SH: m. dk. gy. stly, hd. v. sl. carb.		
							Coal Horizon: dull to bri., cloro-vitrain low to mod. ash, f. grnd. Some arg. ptcls.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. to dk. gy. carb. in part, stly in part, mod. hd. stly to sdy in part graywacke at bot.		
							SS: m. to m. dk. gy. hd. sil. tr. calc. veinlets		
							SH: m. dk. gy. minor carb. few coal ptcls.		
							Coal Horizon: dull to bri. - med. to hi. ash.		
							SH: dk. gy. carb. in part, coaly in part, few coal frag. stly in part mod. hd.		
							Coal: m. dk. gy. cloro-vitrain - some coaly sh.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. carb. in part some coaly sh. frag. cont. pt. stly at top of unit mod. hd.		
							SS: m. brn. gy. hd. sil. sl. arg. tr. calc. veinlets.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. mod. hd. platy, tr. calcite.		
							SS: m. gy. mod. hd. sl. arg. sil. cont.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. stly to sdy in part, mod. hd.		
							SS: m. to m. dk. gy. hd. tr. calcite.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. mod. hd. stly to sdy in part v. sl. micro-mica		
							SS: m. to m. dk. gy. mod. hd. arg. tr. calc.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. mod. hd. stly to sdy, blocky		
							SS: m. gy. arg. mod. hd. tr. calc. veinlets approaching graywacke		
							SH: m. dk. gy. sdy, mod. hd.		
							SS: m. dk. gy. arg. sl. sil. graywacke, tr. calc.		
							Coal Horizon: dull to bri. mostly cloro-vitrain med. ash.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. carb. to coaly in part, sl. sdy, mod. hd.		
							Coal Horizon: clean v.f. grnd. vit. bri. cloro-vitrain 20% vit. low ash.		
							SH: m. to m. dk. gy. blocky sl. stly to carb. in part mod. hd.		
							SH/ST: dk. gy. arg. platy to blocky, some calc. veinlets, hd. tr. calc. cont.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. sl. stly in part tr. calc. hd.		
							SH/ST: m. dk. gy. arg. sl. calc. sl. calc. veinlets.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. sl. stly in part tr. calc. hd.		
							SH, SH/ST: m. dk. gy. arg. to stly, sl. sdy, tr. calc. mod. hd. to hd.		
							Coal Horizon: f. grnd. clean vit. to bri. cloro-vitrain low to med. ash.		
							SH: m. gy. to m. dk. gy. stly hd. few ss frag.		
							SS: m. - m. dk. gy. hd. sil. v. minor arg. qtz. & chert gr. graywacke to quartzitic		
							Total Depth 800'		

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DRILL & CORE LOG

PROPERTY: Vincent Option, Elk Valley, B.C.		HOLE NO. 1001
LOCATION: 1001E, 100N, T12N, R12W, S40 (N.T. 584)		
AZIMUTH: _____	ELEVATION: 6,100 (approx.)	DIP: _____
TOTAL DEPTH: 798'	PROBE DEPTH: 777'	DIP TESTS: _____
HOLE SIZE: 4 7/8"	CORE SIZE: _____	
DATE STARTED: August 13, 1971	AIR <input type="checkbox"/> WATER <input type="checkbox"/>	
DATE COMPLETED: August 22, 1971	LOGGED BY: R. C. Hart	DATE: August 22, 1971
CONTRACTOR: _____	PROBED BY: _____	DATE: _____



FORMAT ON TOPS	DEPTH	POROSITY TYPE	LITHOLOGY	GRAIN CRystal SIZE In mm's	ROUNDING	SORTING	DESCRIPTION	ANALYSIS	ENGINEERING DATA
	0						SH: m. brn. silty. Fe str. mod. hd. m. dk gy		
	10						Coal: f. fine. arg. material hi ash		
	15						SH: m. gy. small amnt. Fe str.		
	20						SH: m. gy. mod. hd. to hd. blocky, v. sl. arg. some calc. veinlets.		
	25						siltst, sh: 1:1, m. gy. arg. to silty, mod. hd.		
	30						Coal: clean bri. clark-vitrain, m. ash. 57-58%		
	35						Coal: dull to brn. some fb. gy. carb. durain, m. ash		
	40						SH / siltst: m. gy. v. sl. carb. arg. to silty, shs mod. hd. to hd.		
	45						siltst: m. dk gy. hd. blocky, few frag. of f. gr. ss. sil.		
	50						SH / siltst: m. gy. silty to arg. hd. v. sl. carb.		
	55						siltst: m. gy. hd. blocky, few v. p. gr. ss frag. some calc. veinlets.		
	60						SH: m. gy. mod. hd. silty		
	65						SS: m. gy. hd. sil. well sort.		
	70						siltst: m. gy. hd. blocky some calc. veinlets or infilling.		
	75						SH: m. gy. v. sl. carb. hd. silty to sdy in part.		
	80						Coal: f. fine. carb. to coaly		
	85						SS: m. gy. v. hd. sil. some calc. veinlets.		
	90						siltst: m. gy. hd. blocky few v. p. gr. ss. frag. calc. veinlets.		
	95						m. to m. dk. gy. sl. silty to sl. carb.		
	100						SH: mod. hd. shs. some calc. veinlets.		
	105						SS: m. gy. hd. sil.		
	110						181'-185' SH: dk. gy. v. carb. to coaly some coal frag.		
	115						200'-205' carbargillite ~ 90% coal frag		
	120						SS: m. gy. hd. sil. few siltst ptcls.		
	125						SS / SH 2:1 SS: m. dk. gy. hd. minor calc. veinlets		
	130						SH: m. dk. gy. sdy		
	135						SH: dk. gy. some sdy sh ptcls, sl. carb. tr. calc.		
	140						siltst: m. gy. hd. tr. calc. coal flecks		
	145						SS: m. gy. v. hd. tr. calc. sil. few siltst ptcls.		
	150						SH: dk. gy. sl. carb. shs, sdy in part calc. veinlets.		
	155						SS / siltst 2:1 m. gy. hd. sil.		
	160						siltst: m. dk. gy. sl. arg. mod. hd. calc. infilling.		
	165						SS: m. gy. sil. calc. veinlets or infilling mod. hd.		
	170						siltst, SS, SH: 3:1:1; m. to m. dk. gy. calc. infilling		
	175						SH: m. dk. to dk. gy. sdy, carb. to coaly 20% coal ptcls.		
	180						Coal: v. p. grad. prob. mostly durain, low ash		
	185						SH: m. dk. gy. silty mod. hd. minor calc. infilling tr. pyr.		
	190						205-210' carbargillite few coal frag.		
	195						siltst: m. gy. arg. hd. calc. veinlet or infilling		
	200						SH: dk. gy. carb. to coaly shs, few coal ptcls.		
	205						Coal: f. fine. shale ptcls. mostly durain 15-20% ash.		
	210						No sample bagged		
	215						SH: m. dk. gy. carb. mod. hd.		
	220						SH: m. dk. gy. sl. carb. sl. silty tr. calcite		
	225						siltst, SS: m. to m. dk. gy. silt to v. p. gr. mod. sort sl. carb. in part. calc. veinlets, mod. hd.		
	230						SH, siltst: m. dk. gy. sl. carb. in part. mod. hd.		
	235						SH: dk. gy. carb. to coaly silty in part shs.		
	240						SH, SS: m. dk. gy. sl. carb. in part, silty in part blocky, mod. hd. 30% ss ptcls. calc. infilling		
	245						siltst, SS: m. to m. dk. gy. silt. to f. gr. mod. hd. calc. infilling		
	250						SH: m. dk. gy. carb. to coaly - few sdy sh ptcls.		
	255						SS: m. to m. dk. gy. sil. hd.		
	260						Carbargillite local frag.		
	265						Coal: f. fine. minor arg. mat. mostly durain, m. ash.		
	270						SS: m. gy. hd. sil. some calc. infilling shs. no best, sl. carb. in part.		
	275						Coal / coaly sh: dull to vit. shs. hi ash.		
	280						SS: m. gy. f. gr. a well sort, calc. infilling, hd.		
	285						SH: m. to dk. gy. carb. to coaly or top sdy or best.		
	290						Shaly Coal to Coaly sh:		
	295						SH: sl. carb. - few coal frag. sl. silty		
	300						siltst, SS 1:1; m. to m. dk. gy. hd. silt to v. f. gr. ss		
	305						SS: m. gy. sil. hd. few siltst ptcls.		
	310						SH: m. gy. mod. hd. sdy		
	315						SH / SS: m. gy. mod. hd. some calcite veinlets		
	320						SS / siltst: m. to m. dk. gy. hd. silt to v. f. gr.		
	325						SS: m. gy. v. sl. arg. mod. hd. to hd. sil. some calc. veinlets or infilling.		
	330						Becomes coarser gr. towards base of unit.		
	335						SH: m. gy. hd. sl. silty in part, mod. hd. to hd. blocky, carb. in part v. sl. micro-mica in part		
	340						SH / SS: m. dk. gy. silt. to sdy, blocky hd.		
	345						SH: m. dk. gy. blocky carb in part.		
	350						SS / SH: As for 655' - 660'		
	355						SH: m. gy. to dk. gy. silty in part carb in part mod. hd.		
	360						SS / SH 1:1.		
	365						SS: m. gy. sil, sl. arg. hd. tr. calcite		
	370						SH: m. gy. to m. dk. gy. silty to sdy in part hd.		
	375						SH: m. to m. dk. gy. sl. carb. in part v. sl. sdy mod. hd.		
	380						few coal ptcls on base of unit		
	385						Coal: sl. arg. for top 7 ft. m. to hi ash.		
	390						Mostly clark-vitrain ~ 20% vitrain, some conc in conc structure, low ash		
	395						Last 7 ft. med. ash		
	400						Coal underlay		
	405						Total Depth 798'		

1" = 1320'

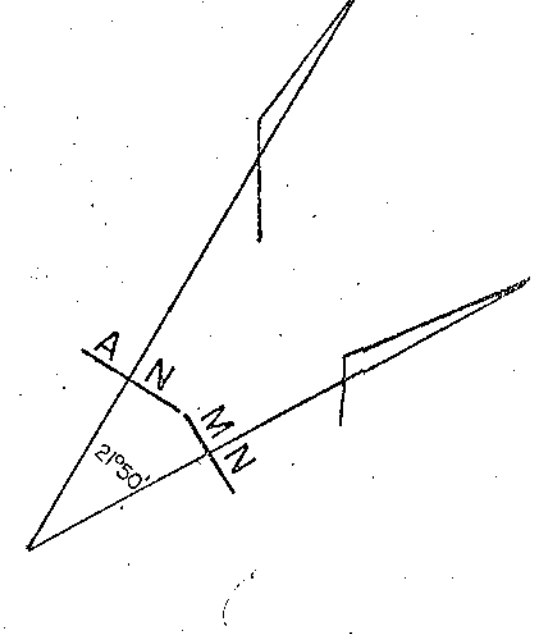


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- LOWER CRETACEOUS
- Ke Elk Formation
- CRETACEOUS-JURASSIC
- JKk Kootenay Formation
- JURASSIC
- Jf Fernie Group
- PALAEZOIC
- M-P Lower Mesozoic, Palaeozoic Undivided

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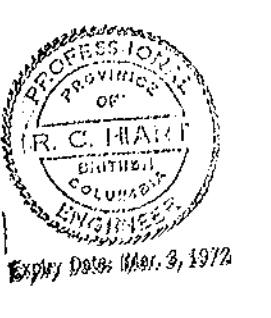
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- Geological Boundary
- Anticlinal Axis
- Synclinal Axis
- Thrust Fault, Triangle on Overthrust Side
- Coal Occurrence, Altitude Measured
- Coal Occurrence, Altitude Uncertain
- Outcrop, Altitude Undetermined
- Property Boundary



1" = 1320'
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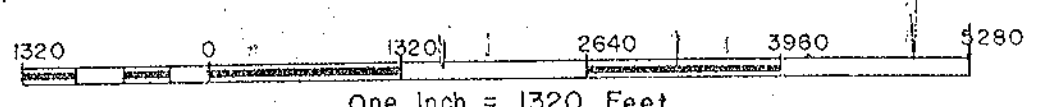
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SCALE



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VINCENT OPTION - ELK WALLEY - B. C.

GEOLOGICAL MAP

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DRILL & CORE LOG

PROPERTY: Vincent Option, Elk Valley, B.C.		HOLE NO. 0014
LOCATION: 2,500' E, 2,900' S of NW corner, Lot 8490 (C.I. 584)		
AZIMUTH:	ELEVATION: 6,310 (approx.)	DIP:
TOTAL DEPTH: 802'	PROBE DEPTH: 732'	DIP TESTS:
HOLE SIZE: 4 7/8"	CORE SIZE:	
DATE STARTED: August 27, 1971	AIR: <input type="checkbox"/> WATER: <input type="checkbox"/>	
DATE COMPLETED: August 31, 1971	LOGGED BY: Wallingham	DATE: August 31, 1971
CONTRACTOR: Big Indian Drilling	PROBED BY: Oke Oil Enterprises	DATE: August 31, 1971

*Vincent
Option*



Professional Engineer
R.C. HART
British Columbia
Engineer
Expiry Date: Mar. 3, 1972

FORMATION TOPS	DEPTH	POROSITY TYPE	LITHOLOGY	GRAIN or CRYSTAL SIZE "mm"	ROUNDING	SORTING	DESCRIPTION	ANALYSIS	ENGINEERING DATA
							SH: m. brn. utng. mod. hd. m. gy. med. carb.		
							SS: m. gy. brn. utng. m. gy. v.f. to f.gr. m. med. sort. sil. sl. arg. hd.		
							SH: m. gy. sl. silty in part, mod. hd.		
							Coal Horizon: vit. to bri. shearing.		
							SS: lt. gy. quartzitic v. hd. well comp. bi. med. silty above.		
							SH: m. gy. brn. carb. to coaly 20% coal frag.		
							SS: m. gy. sil. hd. minor sh.		
							SH: m. gy. to m. dk. gy. sdy. to silty in part mod. hd. tr. calcite.		
							SS: m. gy. hd. sil.		
							SH: m. gy. mod. hd. tr. calcite, silty to sdy. sl. carb.		
							SH to SS: m. gy. sh. to f. gr. p. sort. sil. cont. arg. hd.		
							SH: dk. gy. carb. to coaly ~ 20% coal frag. faintly green.		
							Coal Horizon: Finely grad. vit. to bright. clark. vitrain. mostly low ash.		
							SS: m. gy. sil. hd. some calc. veinlets		
							Coal Horizon: dk. to vit. few coaly sh. frag. m. ash.		
							SH: m. gy. blocky mod. hd. sl. silty in part.		
							SS: m. gy. sil. hd. varies from graywacke to quartzitic, calcite veinlets, sl carb. in part.		
							SH: m. dk. to dk. gy. carb. in part minor coaly sh. tr. calc. infilling abrupt change from above.		
							SS: m. gy. sl. arg. sil. cont. arg. hd. tr. calc.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. silty to sdy. blocky, mod. hd.		
							SS: m. gy. sl. arg. sil. hd. calc. veinlets.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. silty in part, blocky mod. hd. tr. calc.		
							SH, SS: 3:1 RR		
							SH: m. dk. gy. silty to sdy in part hd.		
							SS: m. gy. sil. hd. tr. calcite, m. mod. sort.		
							SH: m. - m. dk. gy. silty to sdy, mod. hd. tr. calc. - carb. to coaly in part.		
							Coal: clean, clark-vitrain ~ 20% vitrain low ash		
							SH: m. dk. gy. sl. carb. in part ben. tint. sdy in part, ss ind. below coal mod. hd. tr. calcite.		
							SS: m. gy. sil. arg. mod. hd. calc. veinlets.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. sdy mod. hd. carb. veinlets, sl. carb. in part.		
							SS: m. gy. sil. hd.		
							Coal: dk. to vit. mostly vitrain, low ash.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. carb. to coaly in part silty to sdy in part.		
							Coal/SH: 2:1 dk. gy. to blk. carb. sh. to org. coal vit. to bri. frag. of coal		
							SH: m. dk. to dk. gy. platy mod. hd. sl. carb. in part, coaly sh. ptcls in part		
							402'-404' - sh/coal ~ 30% coal		
							SS: m. dk. gy. arg. graywacke, some sil. frag. hd.		
							Coal: dk. to bri. clark-vitrain, shs, few coaly sh. ptcls, med. ash.		
							SH: dk. gy. carb. to coaly bench tint. f. grad.		
							SS: m. dk. gy. arg. graywacke, hd.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. v. sh. silty in part, mod. hd. coaly from 435'-438'		
							SS: m. gy. sl. arg. mod. hd. sil. cont. tr. calc.		
							Coal Horizon: dk. to vit. high ash carb. to coaly sh. frag.		
							SH, SS: SH: m. dk. gy. silty in part mod. hd.		
							SS: m. dk. gy. sil. mod. hd. m. calc. veinlets.		
							SH: m. dk. to dk. gy. tr. silty in part carb. to coaly in part.		
							480'-488' sh/coal dk. gy. brn. tint; 20-30% coal ptcls.		
							SS: m. dk. gy. sh. to v.f. gr. mod. sort. sil. hd. minor arg. mat. shs, hy. calc. infilling abrupt change from above		
							SH: m. gy. sdy to v. sdy. sl. calc. approx. graywacke.		
							Coal Horizon: vit. to bri. shearing, cleaner, low ash few coaly sh. ptcls at base		
							SH: dk. gy. silty in part, carb. to coaly mod. hd.		
							SS: m. gy. sil. hd. tr. calc.		
							583' sh dk. gy. carb. sdy.		
							SH: dk. gy. carb. to coaly, few coal frag. sh. wd. struct. to part, sdy sh.		
							SH: dk. gy. brn. tint. few coal frag. carb. to coaly		
							SS: m. dk. gy. arg. sil. cont. some calcite veinlets sl. carb.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. carb. in part		
							Coal: dk. to bri. clark-vitrain, coaly sh. frag. high ash.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. carb. in part, mod. hd. tr. calc.		
							Coal Horizon: vit. to bri. clark-vitrain, shs, 70% vitrain, low ash.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. brn. tint in part, carb. in part silty to sdy. tr. calc. veinlets.		
							SS: m. dk. gy. arg. in part, sil. cont. hd.		
							SH: m. dk. gy. mod. hd. tr. calcite veinlets sl. carb. in part.		
							SH to SS: m. dk. gy. sh. to f. gr. sil. hd. calc. veinlets.		
							SS/SH: SS: m. dk. gy. sh. to f. gr. sil. hd.		
							SH: m. dk. to dk. gy. carb. in part, platy sl. silty in part.		
							SH/SS: SH-RR		
							SS - m. gy. sil. hd. calc. veinlets		
							690'-695' - minor py.		
							SS, SH		
							SH - m. dk. gy. sdy, sl. carb.		
							SH - m. - m. dk. gy. carb. to coaly shs, mod. hd.		
							Coal Horizon: dk. to bri. sheared, clark-vitrain, coaly sh. ptcls, ben. tint. Possibly some comb. mination, m. to hi. ash.		
							SH: m. dk. to dk. gy. sl. silty in part, blocky mod. hd. carb. to coaly in part tr. calc. veinlets.		
							735'-740' 20% SS frag. m. dk. gy. v.f.-f. sil. hd. a med. sort.		
							745'-750' 15% coal frag.		
							755'-760' few coal ptcls.		
							765'-802' 50% SS m. dk. gy. quartzitic, sil. hd. a, v.f.-f. gr. mod. sort. calc. veinlets.		
Total Depth 802'									