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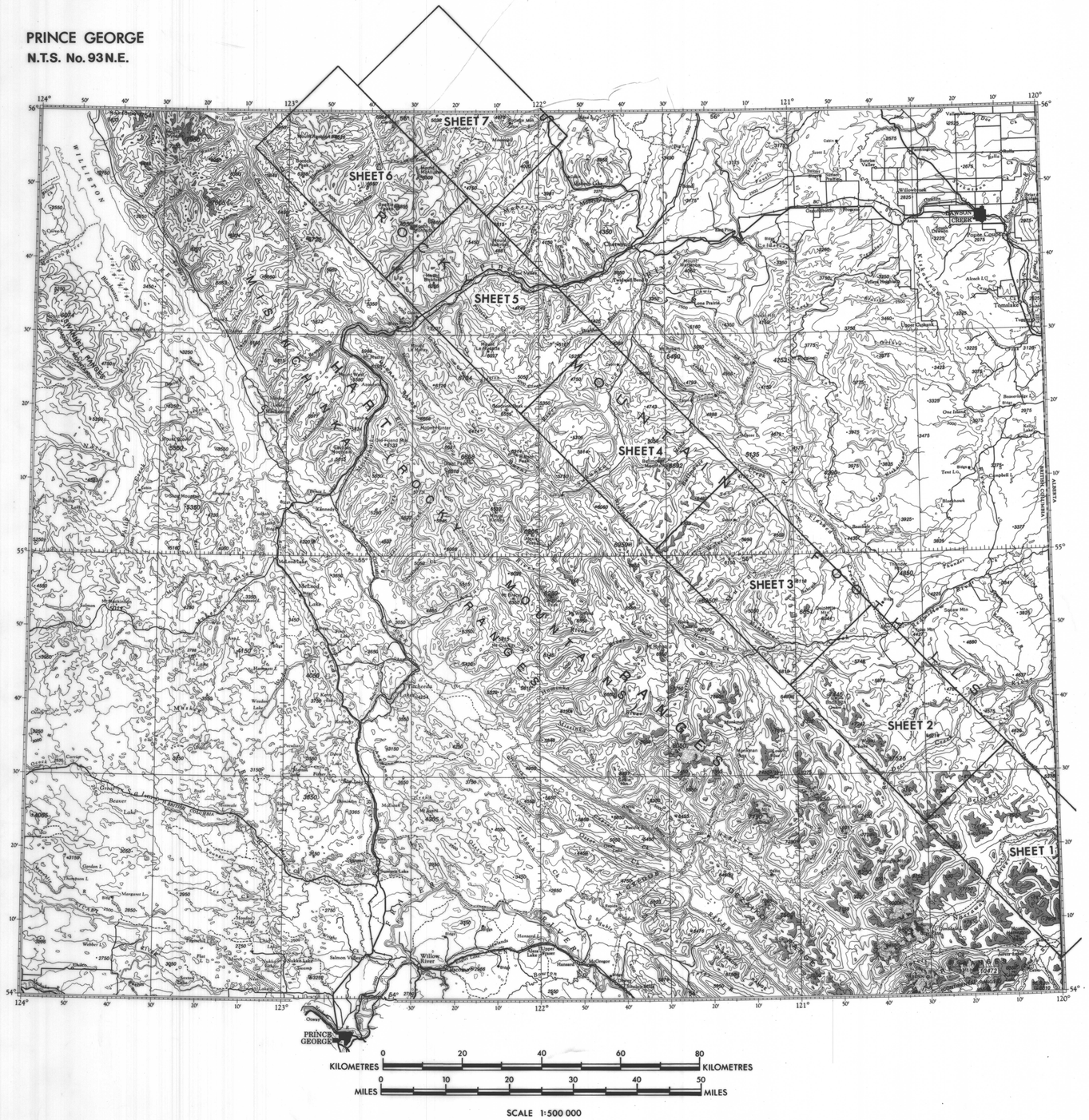

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PRELIMINARY MAPS

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AS SHOWN ON THE ACCOMPANYING INDEX MAP, THE LENGTHS OF THE MAPS PARALLEL THE TREND OF THE COALFIELD, THAT IS, NORTHWEST–SOUTHEAST. THE MAPS HAVE TOPOGRAPHIC CONTOURS (IN FEET) AND WATER COURSES DERIVED FROM THE NATIONAL TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY MAP SERIES. THE GEOLOGY WAS COMPILED BY B. P. FLYNN, UNDER THE GENERAL SUPERVISION OF THE AUTHOR, FROM GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OF CANADA OPEN FILE MAPS, FROM MAPS SUBMITTED (PRIOR TO OCTOBER 1976) BY THE COMPANIES HOLDING THE COAL LICENCES, AND FROM RECONNAISSANCE MAPPING BY THE BRITISH COLUMBIA MINISTRY OF MINES AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES.

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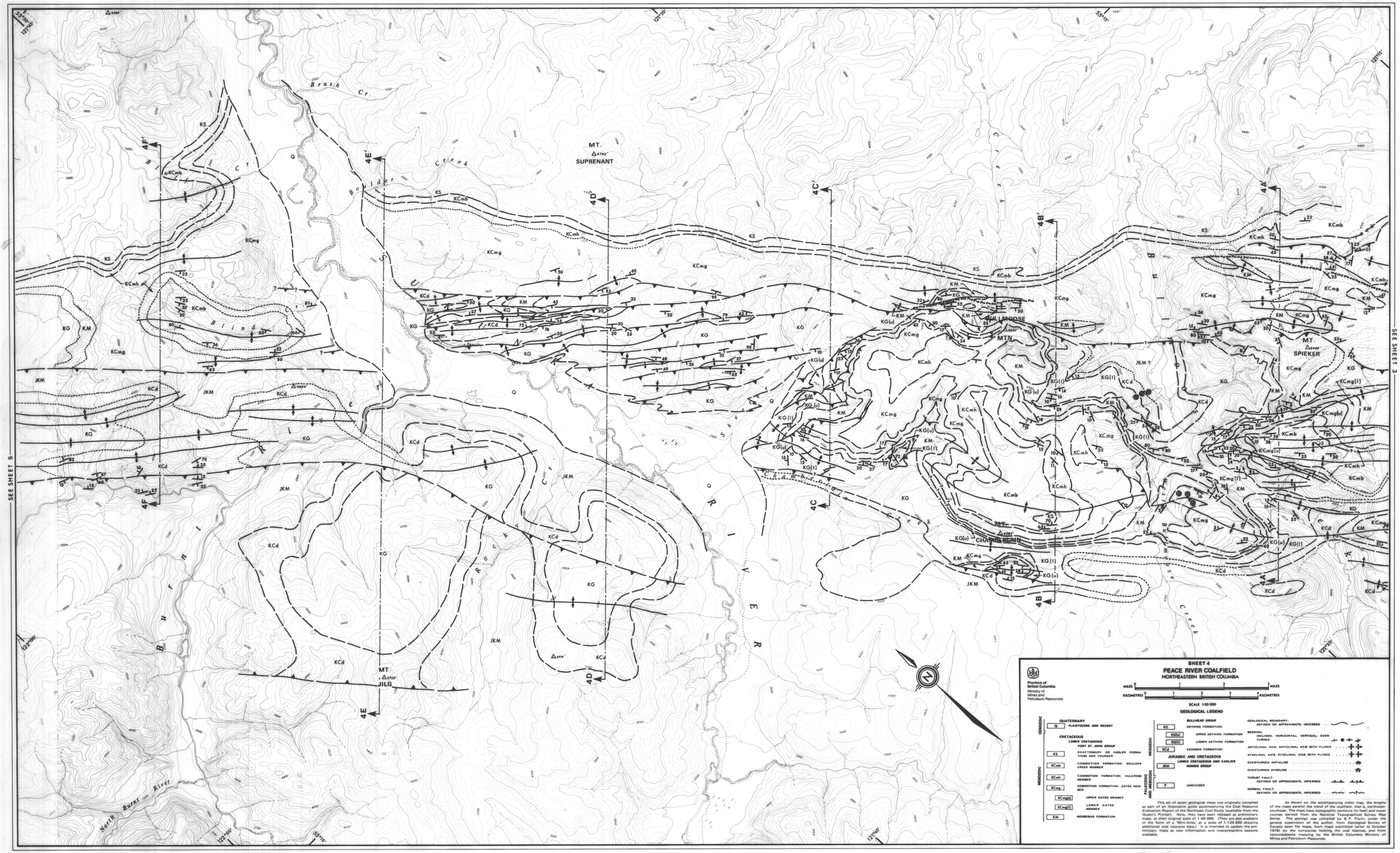

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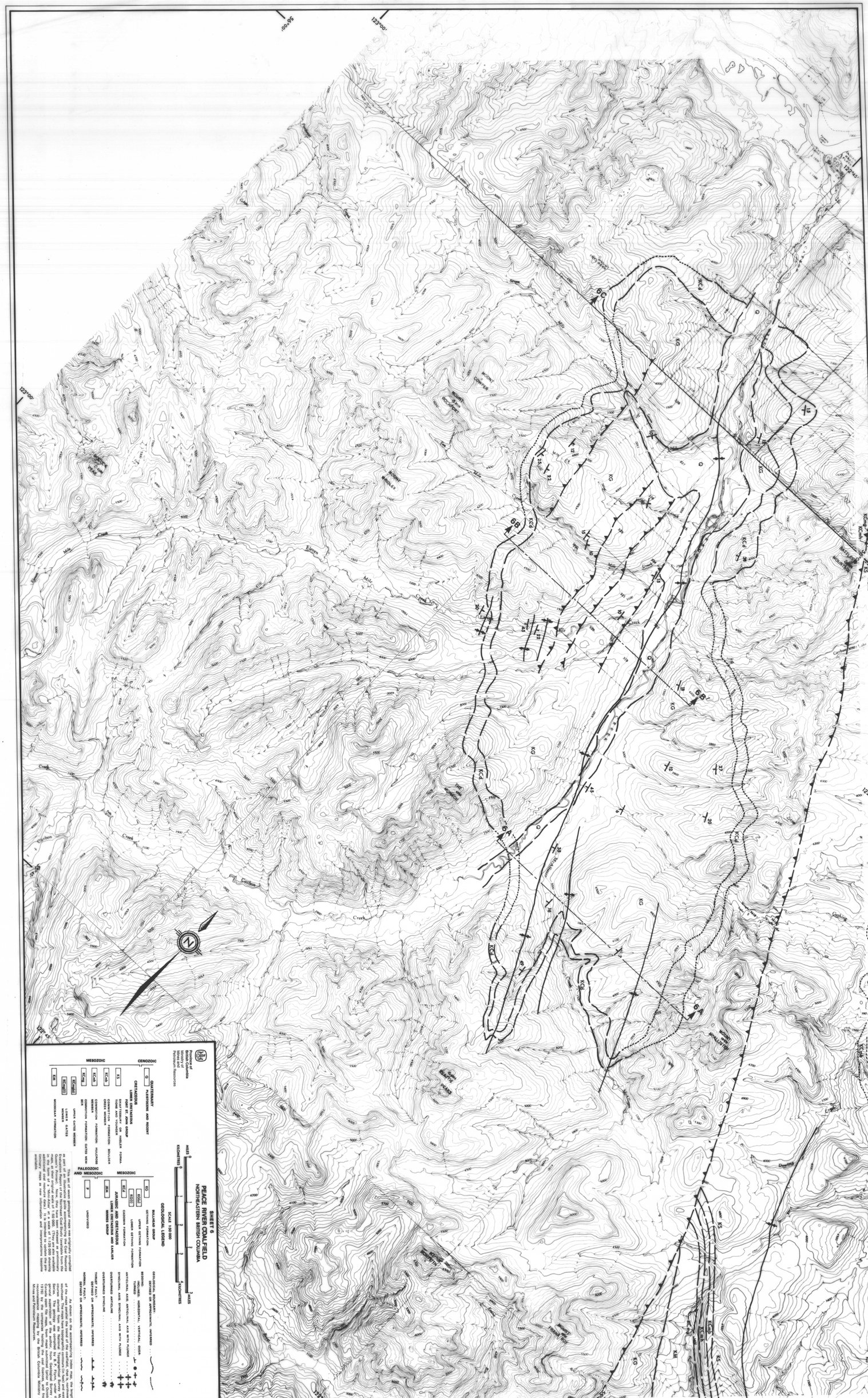
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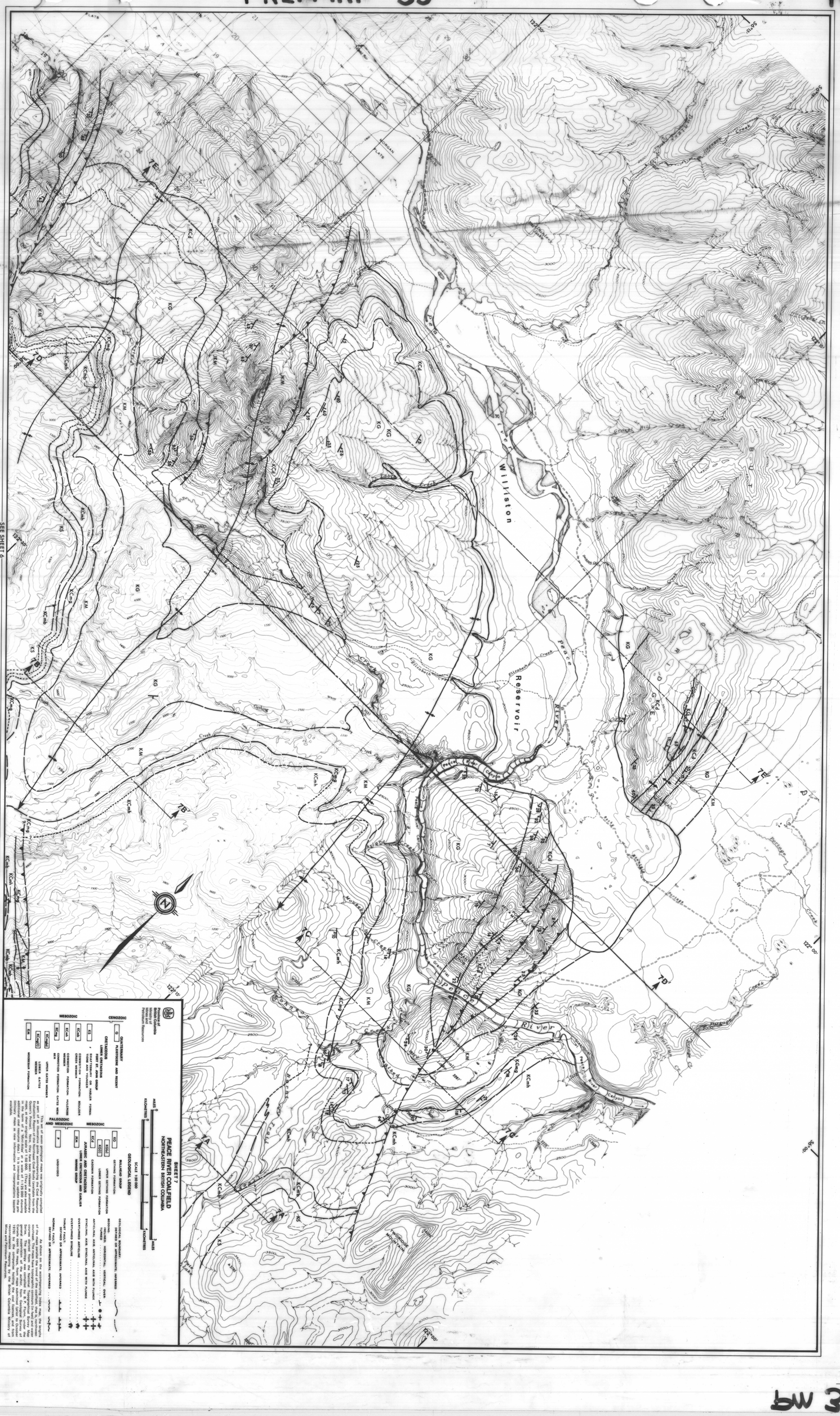

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