**Illinois State Geological Survey** 

July 22, 1930.

(1827.7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>9) · 23h

Abandoned strip mine s. side of road.

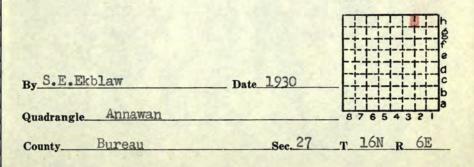
- 4' Sh. gray to yellowish gray, weathered and broken with abundant fragments of ironstone concr.
- 4-5" Sh. gray to dk. gray, bedded, thinly with beds of darker shale interbedded and plant impressions on bedding surface

34 1/2" Coal

9 1/2" Coal

- 1/2" Clay, yellow gray, non calc.
- 20" Clay, gray non-calc. somewhat bedded breaking out in irregular fracture with some rust on fracture surfaces, and carbonized plant or stem remains on bedding surfaces.

On dump of shaft mine about 100's. of pit are fragments of ss. slate and ls. Slate is similar to that collected over #6 s. of Sheffield. Evidently shaft went down to #6 while strip mine is in #7 because no ls., sh. nor ss. is found over coal in pit. Interval is not great enough for ss. not ls. to come in above coal at shaft. Black slate has fossils pelecypods and conodonts.





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## 1827.3h

August 14, 1935

Old strip pit approximately 50-60' across. Probably took out coal #7. 14"-16" coal appears above water level. Elevation of coal about 730'-740'. Roof is dark carbonaceous shale, possibly some reddish shale above, though not seen above.

