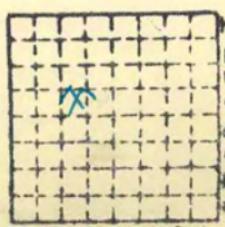


MS 3340

Peabody

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T.	15	N.
R.	5	E.
		W.

Index No.

Mine originally operated by: (1)

Date

Springfield Original name or number:
Illinois Coal Report 1954 p. 88

LATER OPERATORS

Date	Operator	Name or No.
1903		
1885	Springfield Coal Mining Co.	No. 5
1919	Springfield District Coal Co.	No. 55
1925	Peabody Coal Co.	No. 55

7/16/93 These dates are mixed up. Need to research

Springfield coal & Mining Co. #5 movement
1903. Bought up property of Junction mine.
See Coal Report. Fifth District of 1903. mB.

Dept M + M - date of last record - 1931 Min Map file # 29

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*Also owners

#See ownership sheet

SHAFT Railroad, Wagon, Strip, Idle, Abandoned

250!

IDENTIFICATION

5'9"

County No. _____

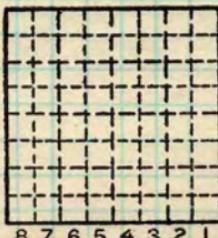
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Quad.

County SANGAMON



Sec.

T.

N.

R.

S.

E.

W.

a Index. No.

COAL MINE OPERATOR

(92753-1M-6-54)



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Mine originally operated by: (1)

Date 1917 (1900 Quad)



Springfield Dist CMCo #3
Springfield

Orginal name or number:

Illinois Coal Report

KLONDYKE? Junction
p. Sangamon

LATER OPERATORS

Date

Operator

Name or No.

2 1924 Peabody

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* Also owners

See ownership sheet

Platsheet #3.

Railroad, Wagon, Idle, Abandoned

SHIPPING MINE

IDENTIFICATION

County No.

Coal No.

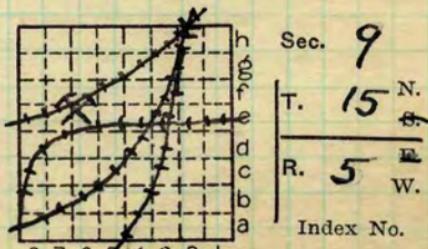


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County Sangamon

COAL MINE OPERATOR



Location and Elevation Data

Location:

Exact

~~Approximate~~

(Approximate only if no trace or record of original exists)

Location by

W. B. Roe

Date 4-22-31

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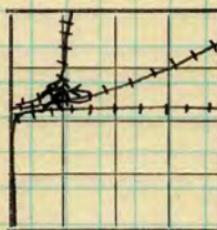
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Map files No. 12-83-13d

Description of location

Position in sec., $\frac{1}{4}$ sec., 40 acres

feet from North line



Sec. 9

feet from East line

T. 15 N.

750 feet from South line

R. 5 W.

1200 feet from West line

Farm

No.

Company

Peabody Coal Co.
Klondike Mine

No.

55

County No.

45

Elevation 613.5 ft.

By

W. B. Roe

Method: Level, transit, alidade, hand level

Alidade

Shaft Casing

Elevation of

Height of point above ground

Date 4-22-31

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ABANDONED

Description of item: (drill hole, mine, etc.)

Mine shaft

256' to bottom Coal 5'11"

SHIPPING MINE

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Quadrangle

Index No.

(45576 1st 10-30)

1509

Town, Springfield

Local Authority, Harry Preble, Supt.

Level: Auth.,

(Preble reports 234' to
top of Coal, 240' to bottom.
Elev. of Curb not known.)

Method,

Surface alt., 607 ft.

Depth to coal, 250 ft.

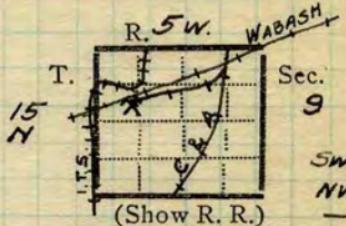
Alt. top coal, 357 ft.

Thickness: Av. 71 in.

Max. 75 in., Min. 59 in.

R. R., Chicago & Alton.
Wabash.

Location: authority, Mine Map.



Operator

Mine Name or No.

19 Springfield District Coal Mining Co.
Mine No. 55

Successor to

Date

Succeeded by

Date

Succeeded by

Date

(Block sample for Prof. Layng.
from 4600 ft. S. & 60 ft W. of Shaft)

PRODUCTION.

19											U. S. No.

Geol. Notes? Yes

Coop. No.

Coal secs? 2

Analyses No.

Examined by P.T.P.

Ref.

Coal bed name: Local - 5

Survey No.

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K.—ACTIVE SHIPPING COAL MINE.

(9019-1M-7-18)

Entrance *Shaft*

Kind of tipple *Steel*

Motive power for hoist *Steam*

Source if electrical

Kind of hoist (cage, skip, etc.) *Cage*

Kind of haulage *Mule gathering, Trolley motor haul.*

Mining equipment *Shoot off Solid.*

Note any features of the equipment that are of special interest

SURFACE DATA.

A. Topography, *Flat*

B. Surficial materials, (1) Character,
No data.

(2) Thickness, (3) Effect on mining and shaft-sinking, of
former drainage lines, underground water strata, etc.

C. Outcrops, *N.O.* (1) Character,

(2) Structure,

(3) Fossil horizons,

Collection No.,

(4) Evidences of subsidence,

D. Note collection of mine maps, drill records and shaft logs.

See drill record sheet,

E. Notes on surrounding area,

Coal bed name: Local, *5*

Survey No.

Collector, *P.T.P.*

Mine, *No. 55*

Co. *Sangamon*

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L.—SURFACE SHEET (Geol.)

F. Thickness of rock above bed worked, *More than 60' seen.*

(1) Important variations,

See *X1.*

G. Note presence of strata having important effect on mining,

See

(1) Position,

(2) Character,

(3) Persistence,

(4) Other workable coal beds

See

H. Cap rock, *Lis, med. gray, banded.*

(1) Thickness, *feather edge to 10"*

(2) Height above coal, *2' to 4'*

See *X1.*

I. Immediate roof, *Black St. with $\frac{1}{2}$ " 5" band*

(1) Thickness, *$2'-4'$* (2) Contact with coal, *Sharp,
Coal sticks to roof.*

(3) Horizontal variation, *Slate very uniform*

See *X1*

J. Draw slate, (1) Thickness, (2) Contacts

None

(3) Persistence,

K. Coal bed: Max. *75* Min. *59* Av. *71* inches

(1) Benches, *None.*

(a) Position,

(b) Persistence,

See *X1*

(2) Bedded impurities, kind, position in benches, persistence,

Sh. & Sh. & S.

partings observed in a

few places, not over $\frac{1}{4}$ " thick,

and not persistent over

mine.

See

(3) Irregularities in bed (due to deposition, erosion, or

Movement), Reported very uniform

over entire mine, horsebacks

numerous.

(a) Effect on mining,

See *X2*

Collector, *P.T.P.*

Coal: Survey No.

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Mine, *No. 55*

Co. *Sangamon*

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M.—UNDERGROUND SHEET (Geol.)

K. (5) Physical character of coal in benches,

(a) Relative hardness, *Very Uniform.*

(b) Lustre, *Dull in most,*

(c) Fracture, *Irreg.*

(d) Texture,

See

(6) Impurities in coal, other than bedded,

(a) Kind, *Sulphur lenses & masses.*

(b) Position and persistence, *Not persistent.*

(c) Rejected,

Ease of separation,

See

L. Floor: (1) Material, *Med. gray clay, gritless, very tough.*

(2) Thickness,

(3) Variation,

(4) Note character, condition, tendency to heave, relation to undercutting commercial value.

Very tough, no grit, no heaving.

Coal Not undercut.

See

(5) Clay sample No.

Location,

M. Stratigraphy,

(1) Fossiliferous horizons underground,

Collection No.

Location,

N. Notes on effect of deep drilling in coal mine areas.

See

Collector, *P.T.P.*

Mine, *No. 55*

Co. *Sangamon*

Coal: Survey No.

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N.—UNDERGROUND SHEET (Geol.)

Symbol (1 division=3 in.)	Description	Inches
	Roof: 2" "S" band under black slate.	$\frac{1}{8}$ "
	Coal, clean, bright, some calcite facings.	27-0
S lens	Sulphur lens, $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 8''$	1-0
	Coal as above, more dull bands toward base	42-0
		70"
	Floor: Clay, med. gray, non gritty, very tough.	
	Tape $5' 9\frac{1}{2}''$ = $69\frac{1}{2}''$	
	Location of Sec: 6 th S off 12 th E off M. S.	

Collector, P.T.P.

Mine. No. 55

Co. Sangamon

Coal: Survey No.

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Symbol (1 division=3 in.)	Description	Inches
	Roof: Blk. st. Top 3" coal sticks to roof.	8 $\frac{1}{8}$ "
	Coal, fairly hard, bright, irreg. fract. Clean.	33-2
:	Sh. ptg.	0-2
	Coal, as above	39-0
	Sh. & S. ptg. Coal	0-2 2-2
	Floor: Clay, med. gray, no grit, very tough.	75-0
	Tape 6'-3"	
	Loc. of Section: Rm 25, off 16 th W off M. S.	

Collector, P. T. P.

Coal: Survey No.

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Q.—COAL SECTION SHEET.

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- F. On S. Side of Shaft the roof had caved, due to a fire many years ago. The rock was exposed for ca. 60' above the coal, all a lt. gray "Soapstone" above the cap lis. The lower part was being walled with concrete, and the upper part held up by timbering set on steel I beams in the concrete.
- H. Cap rock where broken by horseback especially at the intersection of 2, often comes down. It is rather persistent and thins out in only a few places.
- I. Slate is black, with dolomite lenses ca. $\frac{1}{4}'' \times 2''$, concretions, especially in lower part, and a few pyritized shells. The "S" band is a calcareous-pyritiferous zone $\frac{1}{8}''$ to 2" in thickness carrying shell fragments. Some concretions are in it. The band suggests the "band rock" of the Macon mine at Decatur. Above the slate and below the cap lis. is a layer of clod, $\frac{1}{2}$ to 3" thick; very persistent over the mine.
- The "S" band slacks on exposure in old rooms & haulage ways, and crinkles up, giving a shelly roof)
- ~~Slate~~
"S" band
- K. Lower 1 ft ± sticks to floor, and shots are placed low in coal to break it loose.

Collector P.T.P.

Coal



State No.

Mine No. 55

Co. Sangamon

Co-op No. 1509.26

X.—EXTRA SHEET No.

K3

Horsebacks are very common throughout the mine. The filling is very tough. Movement of gouge apparently downward, with slate fragments below st. level, & coal below in gouge. Where horsebacks are large, & where two cross often weakens the roof that it must be timbered. Maximum slip at horseback observed: 18"!

Collector P.T.P.

Coal 5"

State No.

Mine No. 55

Co. Sangamon

Co-op No.

X.—EXTRA SHEET No. 2

1509.26