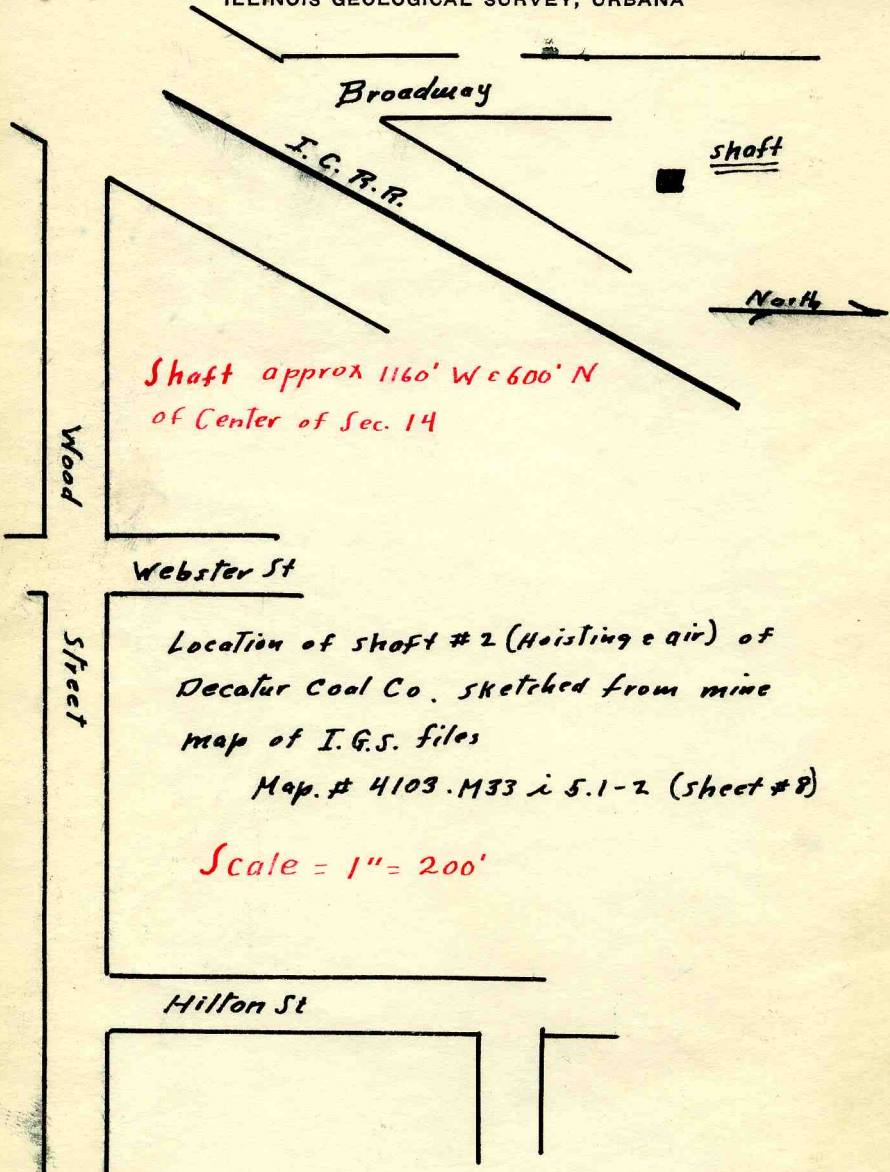


ILLINOIS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, URBANA



Shaft approx 1160' W & 600' N of Center of Sec. 14

shaft

North

Webster St

Location of shaft # 2 (Hoisting air) of Decatur Coal Co. sketched from mine map of I. G. S. files

Map. # 4103.M33 i 5.1-2 (Sheet # 8)

Scale = 1" = 200'

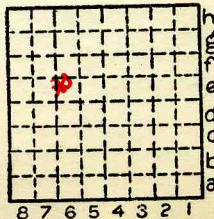
Hilton St

By K. E. Clegg Date 7-24-60

Quad. Decatur Part.

County Macou

County # 22



Sec. 14

T.	16	N.
R.	2	E.



ILLINOIS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, URBANA

Location of original shaft of Decatur Coal Co. - Subsequently converted to escape shaft after sinking of Shaft #2 in Sec. 14.

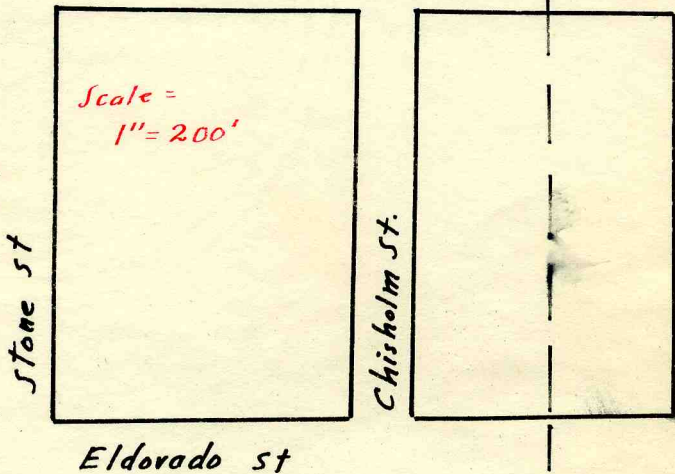
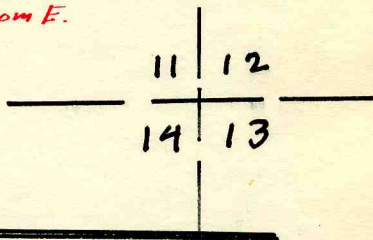
Sketch from mine map in I.G.S. files.

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Shaft = 5280' from N. line & 540' from E. line of Sec. 11



Escape Bldg

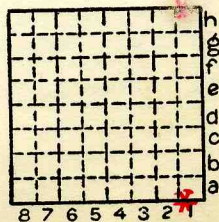


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Quad Decatur Part _____

County Macon

County # 21



Sec. 16

T. <u>16</u>	N.
R. <u>2</u>	E.

See ISGS Map files:
4103,
15.1-1 (2 sheets)
M33 15.1-2 (8 sheets)

Miscellaneous Data on Mines at Decatur, IL,
from Annual "Coal Reports" (JAS 12/27/79)

- 1882 No mines listed in Macon County
- 1883 Decatur Coal Co. reported as new - table shows "10 acres worked" 612' depth 4.4' of coal
- 1886 Decatur Coal Co. No. 2 reported Production "Sunk for escapement shaft"
- 1887 Decatur Coal Co. No. 1 Same order of magnitude of production
Decatur Coal Co. No. 2
- 1903 Decatur Coal Co. No. 1
Decatur Coal Co. No. 2
Manufacturers and Consumers Coal Co. (NEW) has completed sinking a shaft on ICRR "1 mile N. of Sangamon River" 600 feet deep - #5 Coal 4' thick (no production listed)
- 1904 All 3 of above mines (1903) at Decatur listed production
- 1915 Decatur Coal Co. No. 1 Abandoned - (no production listed)
- 1918 Macon County Coal Co. (appeared w/o comment Mfgs. & Cons. CC. not listed - presumed name change) - confirmed on page 146 Coop. Bull. 26
Decatur Coal Co. No. 2
- 1919-1924 Ditto 1918
- 1925 Macon County Coal Co. No. 1
- 1926 Ditto

- 1927 Macon County Coal Co. No. 2 Abandoned
 only "Macon County Coal Co." listed
- 1946 Macon County Coal Co.
- 1947 Ditto - produced less than 2,000 tons -
 Prob. abandoned this year (not listed in
 1948)



Town, **Decatur**

Local Authority,

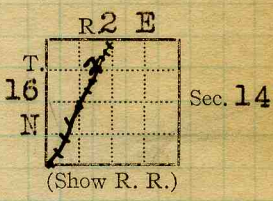
Level: Auth., *Mine Notes*

Method,

R. R., *I. C., Penna + Wabash*

Location: authority, **Decatur Coal Co.**

Surface alt., *670 ± Roll* ft.
 Depth to coal, *610* ft.
 Alt. top coal, *607* ft.
 Thickness: Av. *48* in.
 Max. in., Min. in.



Operator

Mine Name or No.

1884

Decatur Coal Co.

No. 2

Decatur

Successor to
Date

Succeeded by

Date **1926 Macon County Coal Co.,**

Succeeded by

700 S. Main St.,

Date

Decatur, Ill. No. 2

PRODUCTION.

	Illinois				U. S. No.			
1917		73	937					
	Shaft 612' 4'6" #5 coal 1954 Coal Rept p. 80				No reply Out 25 production include 24			
1928								

Geol. Notes? *No*

Coop. No.

Coal secs.? *No*

Analyses No.

3 21

Examined by

Ref.

Coal bed name: Local
County **Macon**

SHIPPING MINE

Survey No. **5**

Index No. **1114a 37**

K.—ACTIVE SHIPPING ~~OR LOCAL~~ COAL MINE.

Apr 1927

ILLINOIS COAL MINE NOTES

TOWN *Decatur* T. 16N R. 2E S. 14 NW 1/4 *macon* CO.
 COAL BED *5* DATE COLLECTOR
 OPERATOR *Decatur Coal Co.,* MINE *No. 2.* *1114a*
 HEAD OFFICE *Decatur, Ill.*
 CAPACITY MARKETS, FRT.
 ENTRANCE *Shaft*
 CAGE ENGINES
 DRUM

SCREENS

STORAGE

VENTILATION

GAS, SOURCE

COAL THICKNESS, AV *48"* MAX. MIN. ELE. FT.

SECTION LOCATED

No.	In.	No.	In.
1		7	
2		8	
3		9	
4		10	
5		11	
6			

TAPE

NOT SHIPPED NOT INCLUDED CAN SAMPLE

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES BY NOS.

ROOF

FLOOR

DIP

CLEAT

FAULTS, ETC.

MACHINES

HAULAGE

CARS

DRAINAGE

WORKING SYSTEM

ENTRIES, MAIN

CROSS

ROOMS

PILLARS, MAIN

CROSS

ROOM

DRAWN

TIMBERS

Note also: Variation in coal, impurities, roof, structure.

Collect records, analyses, fossils. Note land values, etc.

1114a

1114a

John C. Moore Corporation, Rochester, N. Y. Binder and holes in leaves, each Patented 1906.



TO THE STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY:
URBANA, ILLINOIS.

Mr. _____ owner, is

building a rig on _____ Farm _____ Acres,

Decatur Twp., **Macon** Co.

If possible, fill out: Located as follows in Section No. **14**

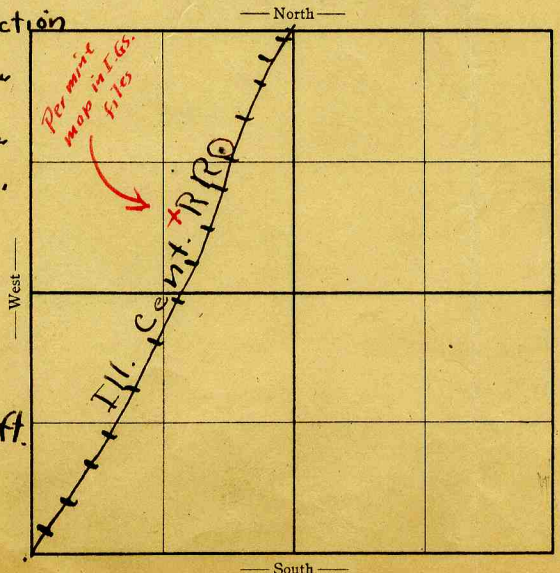
_____ feet from North line of section
_____ feet from East line " "
_____ feet from South line " "
_____ feet from West line " "

Remarks _____

No. 2.
Please place dot
at location of shaft.

Signed

The Decatur Coal Co.



Letter to _____
 Date _____
 Letter to _____
 Date _____
 _____ sample sacks
 to _____
 Date _____
 Samples rec'd _____
 Date _____
 Log rec'd _____
 Date _____
 Remarks _____

County **Macon** Well No. _____
 Farm _____
 Operator _____
 1114a



Location and Elevation Data

Location: Exact Approximate
(Approximate only if no trace of record of original exists)

Location by..... Decatur Quadrangle Map

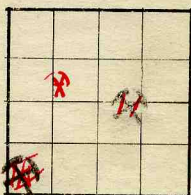
Date..... Notebook No..... Page.....

Looseleaf ref.....

Map files No.....

Mac. Co. C.C. #1 (DMM Act list 1937) also 1938
Description of location 1938 NWSW
Position in sec., 1/4 sec., 40 acres

850' feet from North line
200' SW cor NWSW
feet from East line
feet from South line
feet from West line
Nothing New 1939-08
(?)



Sec. 14
T 16 N.
S.
R 2 E.

Other description:.....



this location is not for this mine

Company. Macon County coal company

No. 2 refile?

County No.

This mine abd. in 1927

Elevation.....ft.

By.....

Method: Level, transit, alidade, hand level

Elevation of.....

Height of point above ground.....

Date..... Notebook..... P.....

Looseleaf ref.....

Map files No.....

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

SHIPPING MINE

County Macon Quadrangle Decatur

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