

BURLEIGH COUNTY

Planning Unit 072: AML Printout #343: T142N, R79W, Section 11, SW

Additional Legal Location: None

Name:

Owner:

Fosberg Mine (1923-1925)
Fosberg Coal Mine (1926-1940)
Fosberg Mine (1941)
Fosberg Coal Mine (1942)

Alfred Fosberg (at least
from 1923-1933)

Category: Commercial/local

Type: Underground, slope, single entry

Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Thickness Mined:	Source:
60 ft.	12 ft.	9 ft.	CMID:1926

Cultural Resource Site Number: 32BL32

Basic Data (excerpted from primary sources):

The Fosberg Mine is not listed as a new mine in 1923, and it may have been in operation prior to that time. The mine was operated and reported continuously from 1923 until 1942. The last listing noted for this mine is 1942; it is likely that the mine ceased operations around that time, however, the mine may have been operated and not reported or operated and reported under some other name following 1942.

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year(pages)]

CMID:1926(22)

WCB Map:1923

SHSND:NDCRS Site Files (32BL32)

Notes:

This mine is referred to as Vollen on the 32BL32 NDCRS site form; this name likely was used because it was the name of the landowner at the time the site was recorded.

Sources (primary and secondary):

Anthro Research:1901(NDCRS site form, 32BL32)
CMID:see table, next page, for appropriate years
Harrington:1934a(3)
SHSND:NDCRS Site Files (32BL32)
WCB:1923

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Year	Days Operated	Employees	Price Per Ton	Tons Produced	Tons		Owner or Superintendent*
					Local Trade	Shipped	
1923	300	4	2.50	2,000	2,000	none	A. Fosberg**
1924	no report						
1925	200	3	2.50	1,428	1,428	none	Alf. Fosberg**
1926	125	2	2.25	675	675	none	Alf. Fosberg**
1927	100	3	2.00	750	750	none	Alf. Fosberg**
1928	180	3	2.00	1,800	1,800	none	Mike Ferrick**
1929	180	3	2.00	1,150	1,150	none	Mr. Fosberg**
1930	110	2	2.00	1,200	1,200	none	Alf. Fosberg**
1931	100	2	2.00	975	975	none	Alfred Fosberg**
1932	100	2	1.50	960	960	none	Alfred Fosberg**
1933	110	2	1.50	860	860	none	Al Fosberg**
1934	6	4	1.50	771	771	none	J.H. Taplin**
1935	284	6	1.50	3,200	3,200	none	James Taplin**
1936	200	6	1.50	1,160	1,136	24	James H. Taplin**
1937	170	5	1.47	1,872	1,872	none	James H. Taplin**
1930	240	5	1.65	1,908	1,908	none	James H. Taplin**
1939	240	6	1.60	2,031	2,031	none	James H. Taplin**
1940	140	5	1.60	1,633	1,633	none	James H. Taplin**
1941	140	6	1.60	1,368	1,368	none	James H. Taplin**
1942	120	5	1.80	1,167	1,167	none	James H. Taplin**

*Unless otherwise indicated, name listed is that of owner.

**Individual was superintendent of the mine; owner not listed.