

BURLEIGH COUNTY

Planning Unit 071: AML Printout #192: T142N, R80W, Section 22, SW

Additional Legal Location: Section 22, SW, SE, SE and SE, SW, W1/2

Name:	Owner:
Peterson & Peterson Coal Mine (1921-1922)	No data
Peterson Coal Co. (1923-1927)	
Gradin Coal Mine (1929)	
Graden Coal Mine (1930)	
Peterson Coal Co. (1931-1934)	
Category: Underground, drift	

Type: Commercial/local

Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Thickness Mined:	Source:
35 ft.	6.5 ft.	6 ft.	CMID:1926

Cultural Resource Site Numbers 32BL31

Basic Data (excerpted from primary sources):

The 1921 CMID lists this mine as a "small, recently opened" mine. The mine operated from about 1921 through about 1926, and in 1927, the Peterson Coal Co. is listed as closed. In 1929 a Gradin Coal Mine is listed as a new mine, and in 1930, the Graden Coal Mine is listed as the "Peterson Bros. Mine Successor." In 1931, the mine again is listed as the Peterson Coal Co., and it is listed as the Peterson Coal Co. through 1934. Since no further listings were noted for this mine following 1934, it is assumed that the mine ceased operations in about that year; however, it is possible that the mine continued to be operated but was not reported or that the mine was operated and reported under some other name following 1934.

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year (pages)]

CMID:1921(28)	SHSND:NDCRS Site Files (32BL31)
CMID:1926(26)	

Notes:

Ray and Hazeltine (1900) refer to a Casino or Elizabeth McClelland Mine at this approximate location. However, no additional data was noted about an Elizabeth McClelland mine, and the Casino Mine was located in T142N, R80W, Section 22, SE (as opposed to SW, as identified by Planning Unit 071, AML location 192).

Peterson Coal Co. (continued)

Anthro Research (1981 SHSND NDCRS site form, 32BL31) refers to the Little Casino Mine. No additional data was noted about a Little Casino Mine; it may be that the Peterson Coal Mine was known locally as the Little Casino Mine (the Peterson Coal Mine apparently was located one quarter-section west of the Casino Coal Mine).

Sources (primary and secondary):

CMID:see table, next page, for appropriate years

Harrington:1934a(3)

Ray and Hazeltine:1900

SHSND:NDCRS Site Files (32BL31)

Mine: Peterson & Peterson Coal Mine (1921-1922)
 Peterson Coal Co. (1923-1927)
 Gradin Coal Mine (1929)
 Graden Coal mine (1930)
 Peterson Coal Co. (1931-1934)

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Year	Days Operated	Employees	Price Per Ton	Tons Produced	Tons		Owner or Superintendent*
					Local Trade	Tons Shipped	
1921	no data	no data	2.50	250	250	none	F. Peterson**
1922	no data	1	2.50	325	325	none	L.C. Peterson**
1923	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	Ed Peterson**
1924	53	3	2.00	91	91	none	E. Peterson**
1925	100	no data	1.50	470	470	none	James Kellar**
1926t	12	2	2.00	35	35	none	Dick Johnson**
1926t	no data	1	2.00	300	300	none	Jim Jacobs**
1927	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data
1927	listed as	"closed"					
1929	16	2	1.85	105	105	none	Mr. Graden**
1929	new mine"						
1930	90	2	1.85	500	500	none	John Graden**
1931	185	7	2.00	1,700	1,700	none	Peterson Bros.**
1932	171	6	1.50	2,231	2,231	none	Edward Peterson**
1933	155	5	1.50	2,020	none	2,020	Ed. Peterson**
1934	134	3	1.50	531	531	none	Edward Peterson**

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

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

t Peterson Coat Mine listed twice in production tables; no explanation provided.