

McLEAN COUNTY

Planning Unit 068: AML Printout #183: T145N, R84W, Section 35, NW

Additional Legal Location: Section 35, N1/2

Name:	Owner:
Elm Point Coal Mine	Elm Point Mining Co. (1917) No data (remaining years)

Category: Commercial/local and regional

Type: Underground, drift, double entry

Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Thickness Mined:	Source:
185 ft.	8 ft.	8 ft.	SEBR:1918

Cultural Resource Site Number: Not formally recorded

Basic Data (excerpted from primary sources):

This mine is not listed as a new mine in 1916. The mine may have been in operation from about 1907, as indicated in McLean County Miner (1907), which indicates that the Elm Point Coal Mine "will be open all the season of breaking and can load all the teams promptly," in a 16 May 1907 article. The mine was reported in 1917, 1919, and 1920, and it is listed as not operating in 1921. No reports were noted for this mine following 1921; it is not known if the mine ceased operating or if the mine was operated but not reported. Information noted in the 1920 CMID indicated that the mine was operated during only a few months in the winter, when coal could be hauled across the river (which was frozen) to Stanton, where the coal was loaded into cars.

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year(pages)]

CMID:1920(20)	McLean County Miner:1907(4)
CMID:1921(22)	SEBR:1918(147)

Notes:

The Montgomery Coal Mine and the Brewster Coal Mine also may be located at this Planning Unit and AML location.

Sources (primary and secondary):

CMID:see table, next page, for appropriate years
 McLean County Miner:1907(4)
 SEBR:see table, next page, for appropriate years

Mine: Elm Point Coal Mine

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Year	Days Operated	Employees	Price Per Ton	Tons Produced	Tons Local Trade	Tons Shipped	Owner or Superintendent*
1916	no report						
1917	90	3	1.75	1,035	yes	no	Elm Point Mining Co.
1919	76	5	no data	915	no data	no data	C.B. Thomas**
1920	55	7	2.25	2,300	1,000	1,300	Wm. C. Wilke**
1921	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	Wm. C. Wilke**
1921	"not in operation"						

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

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