

**McLEAN COUNTY**

Planning Unit 067: AML Printout #164: T146N, R81W, Section 18, SW

Additional Legal Location: 1) Section 18, W1/2, E1/2. 2) Section 18, SW. 3) Section 18, SW, E1/2

Name:

Owner:

Hansen (aka Hanson) Coal Mine (1910-1919)	Peter (P.I. or P.J.) Hansen
Larson Coal Mine (1922)	(aka Hanson) (1910-1917)
Payne Coal Mine (1923)	Lars Larson (1924)
Larson & Payne Coal Mine (1924)	No data (remaining years)
Payne Coal Mine (1925)	
Larson Coal Mine (1925-1930)	

Category: Commercial/local

Type: Underground, drift, double entry (1910-1911); drift, single entry (1914-1917, 1925-1929); Underground, slope, double entry (1912-1913, 1923)

		Thickness	
Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Mined:	Source:
100 ft.	10 ft.	7-8 ft.	SEBR:1912
40-80 ft.	8-10 ft.	7-8 ft.	SEBR:1914
55 ft.	11 ft.	7 ft.	SEBR:1916
55 ft.	11 ft.	7 ft.	SEBR:1918
ca. 17 ft.	8 ft. 8 in.	No data	Leonard et al.:1925
No data	12 ft.	7 ft.	CMID:1926

Cultural Resource Site Number: Not formally recorded

Basic Data (excerpted from primary sources):

This mine is not listed as a new mine in 1910, and it may have been in operation prior to that time. The Hansen (aka Hanson) Coal Mine reported from 1910 through 1919. Although no information was noted to suggest that the Hansen (aka Hanson) mine was closed or not operating in or following 1919, no further listings were noted for a Hansen (or Hanson) Coal Mine. However, a Larson Coal Mine was noted in 1922, a Payne Coal Mine in 1923, a Larson & Payne Coal Mine in 1914, a Larson Coal Mine and a Payne Coal Mine in 1925, and a Larson Coal Mine (Payne superintendent) from 1926 through 1930. Information linking the Hansen (aka Hanson) Coal Mine with the Larson, Payne, and Larson & Payne coal mines was noted on a 1924 WCB map, which lists a Hanson Mine No. 2 with Lars Larson (owner) and G.F. Payne (operator) in T146N, R81W, Section 19, SW; it should be noted that no SEBR or CMID listings were noted for a Hanson Mine No. 2. Additionally, Leonard et al. (1925) indicate that a Hanson Mine was located in T146N, R81W, Section 18, SW, E1/2; no CMID listings were noted for a Hanson Mine following 1919. Only the Larson Coal Mine is reported from 1926 through 1930, and it is listed as closed in 1930; no listings were noted for any of the above mine names following 1930.

Hansen (aka Hanson)/Larson/Payne Coal Mine (continued)

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year (pages)]

CMID:1926(37)	SEBR:1916(138)
Leonard et al.:1925(120)	SEBR:1918(148)
SEBR:1912(112-113)	WCB map:1924
SEBR:1914(130-131)	

Notes:

The Hansen (aka Hanson) Coal Mine is listed as located in T146N, R81W, Section 18, W1/2, E1/2 in the 1912, 1914, 1916, and 1918 SEBRs. The Hansen Mine is listed as located in T146N, R81W, Section 18, SW, E1/2 in Leonard et al. (1925). The Hanson Mine No. 2 is listed as located in T146N, R81W, Section 18, SW on a 1924 WCB map.

No CMID listings were noted for a Hansen (aka Hanson) Coal Mine following 1919; however, references (i.e., 1924 WCB map and Leonard et al. 1925) refer to a Hanson Mine No. 2 and a Hansen Mine, at the locations provided in the above paragraph. The 1924 WCB map links Lars Larson and G.F. Payne with the Hanson Mine No. 2; Larson is listed as owner and Payne is listed as superintendent. The mines possibly represented by the Hansen (aka Hanson) Coal Mine, the Larson Coal Mine, the Payne Coal mine, and the Larson & Payne Coal Mine actually may be one mine, or they may represent a number of mines, all of which were located in some portion of the E1/2 of the W1/2 of Section 18. Information suggesting that the mine names may represent more than one mine located within the E1/2 of the W1/2 of Section 18 was noted in the 1925 CMID, which indicates that the Larson Coal Mine was closed and lists production figures for the Payne Coal Mine--both mines are listed as drift (underground) mines. Additionally, the 1924 WCB map reference to a Hanson Mine No. 2 suggests that the Larson, Payne, and/or Larson & Payne mines may have been operated on land at least originally owned by Hansen (aka Hanson), but not necessarily at the same location as the Hansen Coal Mine reported from 1910 through 1919.

The Fjelddal (aka Fjeddal, Fjelddahl) Coal Mine/Wager (aka Wegener) Coal Mine also is located at this Planning Unit and AML location, and a Bitumina 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  
Leonard et al.:1925(120)  
SEBR:see table, next page, for appropriate years  
WCB:1924

Mine: Hansen (aka Hanson) Coal Mine  
 (1910-1919)  
 Larson Coal Mine (1922)  
 Payne Coal Mine (1923, 1925)  
 Larson & Payne Coal Mine (1924)  
 Larson Coal Mine (1925-1930)

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Year	Days Operated	Employees	Price Per Ton	Tons Produced	Tons Local Trade	Tons Shipped	Owner or Superintendent*
1910	no data	no data	1.60	400	yes	no	P.I. Hansen
1911	100	7	1.60	1,000	yes	no	P.I. Hansen
1912	60	4	1.75	1,150	yes	no	P.J. Hansen
1913	300	6	1.60	2,916	yes	no	P.J. Hansen
1914	298	6	1.60	3,000	yes	no	Peter Hanson
1915	292	6	1.60	2,883	yes	no	Peter Hanson
1916	288	5	1.60	3,575	yes	no	Peter Hanson
1917	264	7	1.80	4,300	yes	no	Peter Hanson
1919	54	3	no data	214	no data	no data	August Marks**
1922	8	3	2.30	50	80	none	G. Payne**
1923	40	4	2.00	1,370	1,370	none	G.F. Payne**
1924	365	2	2.30	1,054	1,054	none	G.F. Payne**
1925t	300	2	2.30	975	975	none	G.F. Payne**
1925t	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data
1925t	"Larson Coal Mine closed"						
1926	313	4	2.30	1,052	1,052	none	G.F. Payne**
1927	260	3	2.30	1,100	1,100	none	G.L. Payne**
1928	210	3	2.20	890	890	none	G.F. Payne**
1929	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data
1930	"closed"						

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

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

t See Notes, descriptive section, this mine.