

**McLEAN COUNTY**

Planning Unit 087: AML Printout #249: T148N, R84W, Section 18

Additional Legal Location: Section 18, E1/2

Name:	Owner:
Garrison Coal Mine (1916-1917)	Garrison Coal, Light &
Garrison Coal, Light & Power Co. (1919)	Power Co.
Garrison Creek Coal Mine (1921)	
Garrison Coal Mine (1922)	
Garrison Creek Coal Mine (1924)	

Category: Commercial/local and regional

Type: Underground, slope, single entry (1916-1917); Strip (surface) (1921); No data (remaining years)

Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Thickness Mined:	Source:
40-50 ft.	7 ft.	5 1/2 ft.	SEBR:1918
16-25 ft.	6-6 1/2 ft.	6-6 1/2 ft.	Leonard et al.:1925

Cultural Resource Site Number: Not formally recorded

Basic Data (excerpted from primary sources):

This mine is not listed as a new mine in 1916, and it may have been in operation prior to that time. The mine is listed sporadically from 1916 through 1924, and it apparently is listed under varying names; however, it is not definite that the mine names listed from 1916 through 1924 are in reference to the same mine. The mine(s) is (are) not listed as closed or not operating in 1924, and the mine may have continued operating following 1924. An electric generation facility apparently was operated at this mine; according to the 1926 CMID, "electric undercutting machines are in use. An electric pump is used to keep the mine dry."

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year (pages)]

CMID:1921(29)	SEBR:1918(148)
Leonard et al.:1925(122-123)	

Notes:

No information was noted that definitely indicates that the above named mine(s) refer to one mine or more than one mine.

The Rupp Strip Mine, Kunkel Coal Mine, and Stevens Bros. Coal Mine also are located at this Planning Unit and AML location.

Garrison Coal Mine (continued)

Sources (primary and secondary):

CMID:see table, next page, for appropriate years

Harrington et al.:1931(3)

Leonard et al.:1925(122-123)

SEBR:see table, next page, for appropriate years

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<u>Year Operated</u>	<u>Days</u>	<u>Employees</u>	<u>Price</u> <u>Per Ton</u>	<u>Tons</u> <u>Produced</u>	<u>Tons</u> <u>Local</u> <u>Trade</u>	<u>Tons</u> <u>Shipped</u>	<u>Owner or</u> <u>Superintendent*</u>
1916	192	7	1.85	3,000	yes	none	Garrison Coal, Light & Power Co.
1917	288	19	2.50	14,145	yes	10,150	Garrison Coal, Light & Power Co.
1919	60	18	no data	1,600	no data	no data	Ed. Rupp**
1920	no report						
1921	no data	2	2.50	300	270	30	Geo. Buele**
1922	350	1	2.50	1,000	640	360	Geo. Beerle**
1923	no report						
1924	365	2	2.00	800	600	200	Geo. Beerle**

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

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