

**McLEAN COUNTY**

Planning Unit 086: AML Printout #258: T148N, R85W, Section 30, NW

Additional Legal Location: No part section

Name:	Owner:
Burns & Sons Coal Mine (1935)	No data
Burns Coal Mine (1936-1943)	
Wretling & Burns Coal Company (1943-1945).	
Burns & Wretling Coal Co. (aka Mine)	
(1946-1962)	
B & W, Inc. (1962-1969)	

Category: Commercial/local

Type: Strip (surface)

		Thickness	
Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Mined:	Source:
No data	No data	No data	Not applicable

Cultural Resource Site Number: Not formally recorded

Basic Data (excerpted from primary sources):

This mine is listed as a new mine "for own use" in 1935. The mine is reported continuously from 1935 through 1969. The mine is not listed as closed in or following 1969, but no reports were noted for the mine following 1969. It is not known if the mine ceased operating, or if it was operated but not reported following 1969.

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year(pages)]

None

Notes:

Brant (1953) indicates that this mine was located in T148N, R85W, Section 30; however, Brant (1953) provides no part section. Therefore, it is not known if this mine was located at this Planning Unit and AML location (T148N, R85W, Section 30, NW), or if it was situated in some other portion of Section 30.

Sources (primary and secondary):

Brant:1953(25)  
CMID:see table, next page, for appropriate years

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Year	Days Operated	Employees	Price Per Ton	Tons Produced	Tons Local Trade	Tons Shipped	Owner Superintendent*
1935	no data	no data	no data	no data	none	none	no data
1935	"New Mine, For Own Use"						
1936	60	8	1.00	700	700	none	R. Neil Burns**
1937	90	4	1.00	500	500	none	R. Neil Burns**
1938	100	3	1.00	500	500	none	R. Neil Burns**
1939	180	4	1.00	1,500	1,500	none	H.T. Burns**
1940	125	2	1.00	1,800	1,800	none	H.T. Burns**
1941	140	3	1.00	2,300	2,300	none	H.T. Burns**
1942	114	5	1.25+	2,655	2,655	none	H.T. Burns**
1943	150	3	1.75	975	975	none	H.T. Burns**
1944	260	9	2.25	9,110	9,110	none	Burns & Wretling**
1945	310	9	2.25	11,840	11,840	none	H.T. Burns & H. Wretling**
1946	300	10	2.25	16,865	16,865	none	H.T. Wretling**
1947	200	4	2.25	21,870	21,870	none	H.T. Wretling**
1948	200	6	2.65	23,679	23,679	none	Burns & Wretling**
1949	200	10	3.25	22,890	22,890	none	Burns & Wretling**
1950	200	9	3.25	20,913	20,913	none	Homer Wretling**
1951	300	10	3.47+	24,657	24,657	none	Homer Wretling**
1952	300	10	3.50	24,580	24,580	none	Homer Wretling**
1953	150	10	3.40	17,320	17,320	none	Homer Wretling**
1954	153	4	3.25	8,148	8,148	none	Homer Wretling**
1955	186	4	3.25	10,032	10,032	none	Homer Wretling**
1956	204	4	3.25	13,542	13,542	none	Homer Wretling**
1957	196	4	3.40	14,594	14,594	none	Homer Wretling**
1958	208	4	3.35	15,377	15,377	none	Homer Wretling**
1959	203	3	3.45	16,962	16,962	none	Homer Wretling**
1960	212	5	3.50	19,160	19,160	none	Homer Wretling**
1961	221	5	3.47	17,720	17,720	none	Homer Wretling**
1962	187	5	3.46	19,529	19,529	none	Homer Wretling**

Year	Days Operated	Employees	Price Per Ton	Tons Produced	Tons Local Trade	Tons Shipped	Owner, Operator or Superintendent*
1962/64	398	5	3.52	34,530	34,530	none	Homer Wretling**
1965	225	13	3.50	23,796	23,796	none	Homer Wretling**
1966	230	11	3.80	24,284	24,284	none	Homer Wretling**
1967	225	8	3.90	18,534	18,534	none	Homer Wretling**
1968	150	9	3.70	11,585	11,585	none	Homer Wretling**
1969	no data	4	no data	10,594	no data	no data	Homer Wretling**

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

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