

WARD COUNTY

Planning Unit 104: AML Printout #607: T151N, R81W, Section 1
Planning Unit 104: AML Printout #608: T151N, R81W, Section 1, E1/2

Additional Legal Location: Section 1, NE

Name: Quist Coal Mine Owner: No data

Category: Commercial/local

Type: Underground, drift

Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Thickness Mined:	Source:
40 ft.	12 ft.	7 ft.	CMID:1926
12-20 ft.	13-14 ft.	No data	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 1925 and it may have been in operation prior to that time. Leonard et al. (t925) indicate that "The coal has been mined by driving short entries in from the face of the outcrop, or by stripping off the cover": however, CMID reports indicate only that the mine was operated as an underground, drift mine. The 1927 CMID indicates that the mine operators were "robbing back." The 1929 and 1930 CMID reports indicate that the mine was in the process of being abandoned, and no listings were noted for the mine following 1932. Therefore, it appears likely that the mine was not operated following about 1932.

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year(pages)]

CMID:1926(53) WCB Map:1925
Leonard et al.:1925(149-150)

Notes:

It should be noted that the location of the Quist Mine (T151N, R81W, Section 1, NE) is most closely identified by Planning Unit 104, AML location 608 (T151N, R81W, Section 1, E1/2); however, Planning Unit 104, AML location 607 (T151N, R81W, Section 1) includes the location of the Quist Mine as well, and both Planning Unit/AML location numbers have been included with this mine.

Portions of the Truax-Traer/Velva Mine also are located at Planning Unit 104, AML location 607 and Planning Unit 104, AML location 608.

Quist Coal Mine (continued)

Sources (primary and secondary):

CMID:see table, next page, for appropriate years

Leonard et al.:1925(149-150)

NDGS:1930(Bulletin 4)

WCB:1925

Mine: Quist Coal Mine

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Year	Days Operated	Employees	Price Per Ton	Tons Produced	Tons Local Trade	Tons Shipped	Owner or Superintendent*
1925	no data	2	2.00	1,377	1,377	none	Andrew Quist**
1926	223	3	2.00	1,649	1,649	none	Andrew Quist**
1927	300	3	2.00	1,480	1,480	none	Andrew Quist**
1927	"robbing back"						
1928	190	2	2.00	727	727	none	Andrew Quist**
1929	275	1	2.00	487	487	none	Andrew Quist**
1929	"To be Abandoned."						
1930	139	2	1.90	687	687	none	Andrew Quist**
1930	"Being abandoned."						
1931	183	2	1.50	1,292	1,292	none	Thomas Thomsen**
1932	210	3	1.25	2,300	2,300	none	Andrew Quist**

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

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