

Hanchette Mine, Township 152, Range 81, Section 29 (see plate XXIII).—This opening has been leased for the season, and work in stripping the surface had begun when the mine was visited. The seam measures eleven feet here, the lower eight feet being solid coal, while the upper three feet is more or less weathered. At the point where mining is begun, the cover has a thickness of ten feet, consisting of boulder clay. The following is the analysis of a dried sample of the lower eight feet :

	PER CENT
Volatile matter	40.14
Fixed carbon	53.60
Ash	6.26
Total	<hr/> 100.00