

WILLIAMS COUNTY

Planning Unit 092: AML Printout #490: T154N, R100W, Section 7, SE

Additional Legal Location: Section 7, SE, NW (1909-1913)

Section 7, SE, W1/2 and NE, SW (1914-1917)

Name:

Brown Coal Mine (1910-1913)
Ellithorpe Coal Mine (1914-1917)

Owner:

J.T. Brown (1910-1913)
Mabel B. Ellithorpe (1914-1915)
C. Ellithorpe (1916-1917)

Category: Commercial/local and regional

Type: Underground, drift, double entries (1910-1913, 1916-1917); Underground, slope, double entries (1914-1915)

		Thickness	
Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Mined:	Source:
100 ft.	9-10 ft.	7 ft.	SEBR:1912
78-100 ft.	9 1/2-10 ft.	8 ft.	SEBR:1914
150 ft.	9 ft.	7 ft.	SEBR:1916
150 ft.	9-11 ft.	6 1/2-7 1/2 ft.	SEBR:1918

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 apparently was in operation prior to that time, as indicated in the 1912 SEBR: "An old drift worked in 1910 was abandoned and a new set of entries begun in the fall of 1911. The entries are to be driven to the property limits, and the intention is to turn cross entries from which rooms will be worked, no rooms to be turned from the main entries." By early 1914, the new main entry of the mine had been driven 550 ft.; rooms were 100 ft. by 16 ft. According to the 1916 SEBR, "This mine was formerly owned by J.T. Brown and known as the Brown Coal Mine. It is not owned by Mabel B. Ellithorpe and operated by C. Ellithorpe. . .Some water is encountered in the mine and is drawn off by means of a siphon." By early 1918, the main entry of the mine extended 700 ft., and rooms were 150 ft. by 16 ft. No listings were noted for this mine following those in the 1918 SEBR. It is not known if the mine ceased to be operated, if the mine was operated and not reported, or if the mine was operated and reported under some other name following 1918.

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year(pages)]

SEBR:1912(125)
SEBR:1914(147-148)

SEBR:1916(159)
SEBR:1918(170)

Brown/Ellithorpe Coal Mine (continued)

Notes:

The Carbon Coal Co. and the Delaney/Blue Flame Coal Mine also are located at this Planning Unit and AML location.

Sources (primary and secondary):

Herald:1913(121, Plate X)

Leonard et al.:1925(154)

SEBR:see table, next page, for appropriate years

Mine: Brown Coal Mine (1910-1913)
Ellithorpe Coal Mine (1914-1917)

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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	150	yes	no	J.T. Brown
1911	10	4	1.60	300	yes	no	J.T. Brown
1912	120	2	1.60	1,600	yes	no	J.T. Brown
1913	90	3	1.60	1,530	yes	no	J.T. Brown
1914	176	6	1.60t	3,448	yes	no	Mabel B. Ellithorpe
1915	192	6	1.77	3,837	yes	no	Mabel B. Ellithorpe
1916	300	16	2.00	7,242	yes	248	C. Ellithorpe
1917	312	11	2.15	7,519	yes	495	C. Ellithorpe

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

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

t "Estimated"