

BURLEIGH COUNTY

Planning Unit 106: AML Printout #261: T142N, R79W, Section 15, NW

Additional Legal Location: None

Name:

Owner:

Engstrom Coal Mine

Herman Engstrom

Category: Commercial/local

Type: Underground, slope, single entry

Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Thickness Mined:	Source:
50 ft.	11 ft.	7 ft.	CMID:1926

Cultural Resource Site Number: Not formally recorded

Basic Data (excerpted from primary sources):

This mine is not listed as a new mine in 1923, and it is possible that the mine was in operation prior to that time. A new operator is listed for this mine in 1936; it is not known whether or not the mine owner changed at this time as well. The mine is listed as not operating in 1938, and it is listed as a new mine in 1940. It is not known if the location of the new mine was different than that of the original Engstrom mines however, since the "new mine" also is a slope mine, it is possible that a new entrance was dug to the old mine. The last listing noted for this mine was in 1950, and it is likely that the mine ceased operation at about that time.

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year(pages)]

CMID:1926(20)
WCB Map:1923

Notes:

None

Sources (primary and secondary):

Brant:1953(25)
CMID:see table, next page, for appropriate years
Harrington:1934a(3)
WCB:1923

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Year	Days Operated	Employees	Price Per Ton	Tons Produced	Tons Local Trade	Tons Shipped	Owner or Superintendent*
1923	30	5	2.00	164	79	85	H. Engstrom**
1924	90	4	2.30	749	449	300	Herman Engstrom**
1925	196	5	2.40	736	736	none	H. Engstrom**
1926	120	4	2.30	1,050	1,050	none	H. Engstrom**
1927	98	4	2.00	716	716	none	H. Engstrom**
1928	182	4	2.00	874	874	none	Herman Engstrom**
1929	240	7	2.00	1,487	1,487	none	Mr. Danielson**
1930	211	7	1.75	1,406	1,406	none	Fred Danielson**
1931	180	5	2.00	1,177	1,177	none	H. Engstrom**
1932	80	5	1.75	930	930	none	H. Engstrom**
1933	150	5	1.50	2,013	2,013	none	H. Engstrom**
1934	129	9	1.50	2,078	1,278	800	H. Engstrom**
1935	no data	9	1.50	3,372	2,272	1,100	Melvin Backman**
1936	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data
1936	"new operator"						
1937	no data	no data	1.50	912	912	none	David Carlson**
1938	120	no data	1.65	800	800	none	Carlson, Bucholz, Soderquist & Johnson**
1938	"not operating"						
1939	no report						
1940	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data	no data
1940	"new mine"						
1941	184	3	1.65	304	304	none	Adolph Engstrom**
1942	250	4	1.75	901	902	none	Adolph Engstrom**
1943	140	1	1.94	416	416	none	Adolph Engstrom**
1944		6	2.25	1,660	106	1,650	Alf. E. Johnson**
1945	95	2	2.50	993	993	none	Alf E. Johnson**
1947	127	4	3.00	1,967	1,945	none	Ralph Taplin**
1948	180	3	3.20	618	618	none	Adolph Engstrom**
1949	200	4	3.20	1,258	1,258	none	Adolph Engstrom**
1950	180	3	3.35	510	510	none	Adolph Engstrom**

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

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