

**GOLDEN VALLEY COUNTY**

Planning Unit 008: AML Printout #539: T139N, R104W, Section 8, SE

Additional Legal Location: No part section

Name:	Owner:
Kussick Coal Mine (1913-1915)	No data (1913)
Cusick Coal Mine (1916-1917)	Hunter Land Company (1914-1915)
	J. Cusick (1916-1917)

Category: Commercial/local

Type: Underground, drift, single entry

Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Thickness Mined:	Source:
50-300 ft.	14 ft.	8 ft.	SEBR:1914, 1916
50-300 ft.	28 ft.	12 ft.	SEBR:1918

Cultural Resource Site Number: Not formally recorded

Basic Data (excerpted from primary sources):

This mine may have begun operations in about 1913; the 1914 SEBR indicates that "as operations had only begun the mine was not in good condition." The mine was situated in an inaccessible area on the south side of Sentinel Butte. The mine is not listed as closed in 1918 or 1919; however, no listings were noted for the mine following 1917. It is unknown if the mine ceased operations in 1917 or if it ceased reporting following that year.

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year(pages)]

SEBR:1914(129)	SEBR:1918(141-142)
SEBR:1916(135)	

Notes:

The location listed for this mine in the 1914, 1916, and 1918 SEBRs does not include a part-section, and it is not known if the mine was located at this Planning Unit and AML Location (T139N, R104W, Section 8, SE), or if it was situated in some other portion of Section 8.

The Rohl Coal Mine also may be located at this Planning Unit and AML location.

Sources (primary and secondary):

SEBR: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 or Superintendent*
1913	72	2	1.50	300	yes	no	B.L. Greene**
1914	59	2	1.50	180	yes	no	Mr. Kussick**
1915	60	2	1.50	200	yes	no	Mr. Kussick**
1916	72	1	1.50	200	yes	no	J. Cusick
1917	72	1	1.00	225	yes	no	J. Cusick

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

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

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