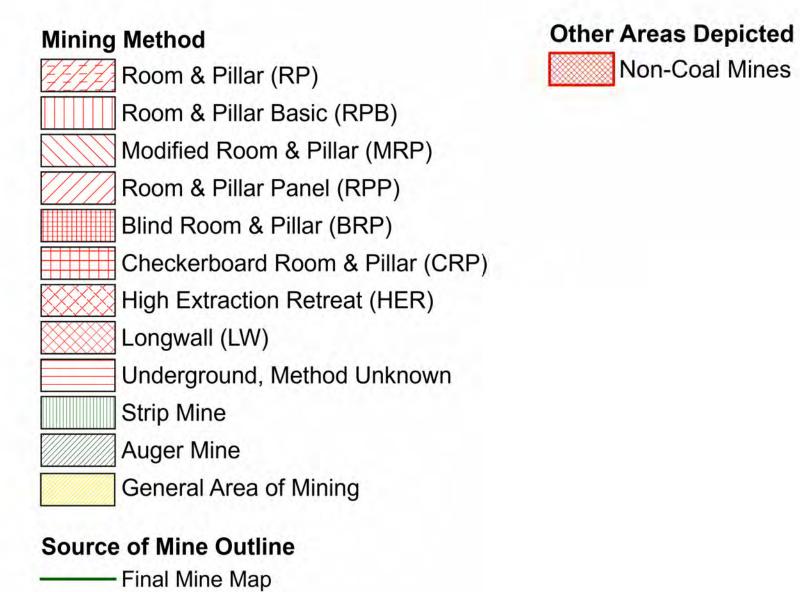


Coal Mines in Illinois Bunker Hill Quadrangle Macoupin County, Illinois

This map accompanies the Coal Mines Directory for the Bunker Hill Quadrangle. Consult the directory for a complete explanation of the information shown on this map.



Secondary Source Map

Tipple, Shaft, Slope, Drift Locations ★ Strip Mine Tipple - Active

Not Final Mine Map

Undated Mine Map

----- Incomplete Mine Map

- Strip Mine Tipple Abandoned
- Mine Shaft Active
- Mine Shaft Abandoned
- Mine Slope Active
- Mine Slope Abandoned
- Mine Drift Active
- Mine Drift Abandoned Air Shaft
- **Uncertain Location**
- Uncertain Type of Opening

Mine Annotation

(space permitting) Company Mine Name ISGS Index No., Years of Operation

Other Points Depicted

Non-Coal Mines



Please check the Coal Section at the Illinois State Geological Survey's web site at https://www.isgs.illinois.edu for the most up-to-date version of these products.

Note that each quadrangle scale mined-out area map requires the use of the associated text directory for full explanation of map features and mine attributes. Also note that some quadrangles have multiple seams of mining and therefore more than one map may be available for a particular quadrangle. Please take care to check for multiple maps, as extensive mining may exist in the other seams.

The maps and digital files used for these studies were compiled from data obtained from a variety of public and private sources and have varying degrees of completeness and accuracy. This compilation map presents reasonable interpretation of the geology of the area and is based on available data. Locations of some mine features may be offset by 500 feet or more due to errors in the original source maps, the compilation process, digitizing, or a combination of these factors. These data are not intended for use in site-specific screening or decision-making. Use of these documents does not eliminate the need for detailed studies to fully understand the geology of a specific site. The Illinois State Geological Survey, Prairie Research Institute, or the University of Illinois make no guarantee, expressed or implied, regarding the correctness of the interpretations presented in this data set and accept no liability for the consequences of decisions made by others on the basis of the information presented here.

These maps were designed for use at 1:24,000. Enlarging the map may reduce accuracy, as the original scale of the source maps used to compile the outlines shown varies from 1:400 to 1:150,000, and some mine locations are known only from text descriptions. See the accompanying mine directory for the original scale of the source map used for a specific mine to check accuracy of a given portion of the map. Areas with no mines shown may still be undermined; see the unlocated mines list at the back of each mine directory.

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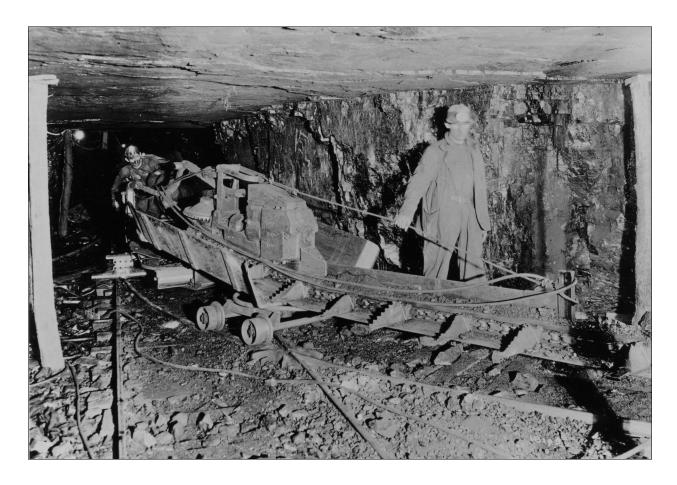
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INTRODUCTION

Coal has been mined in 76 counties of Illinois. More than 7,400 coal mines have operated since commercial mining began in Illinois about 1810; fewer than 30 are currently active. To detail the extent and location of coal mining in Illinois, the Illinois State Geological Survey (ISGS) has compiled maps and directories of known coal mines. The ISGS offers maps at a scale of 1:100,000 and accompanying directories for each county in which coal mining is known to have occurred. Maps at a scale of 1:24,000 and accompanying directories, such as this, are available for selected quadrangles. Contact the ISGS for a list of these quadrangles.

These larger scale maps show the approximate positions of mines in relation to surface features such as roads and water bodies, and indicate the mining method used and the accuracy of the mine boundaries. The maps are useful for locating mine boundaries relative to specific properties and for assessing the potential for subsidence in an area. Mine boundaries compiled from final mine surveys are generally shown within 200 feet of their true position. As a result of poor cartographic quality and inaccuracies in the original mine surveys, boundaries of some older mines may be mislocated on the map by 500 feet or more. Original mine maps should be consulted in situations that require precise delineation of mine boundaries or internal workings of mined areas.

This directory serves as a key to the accompanying mine map and provides basic information on the coal mines in the quadrangle. The directory is composed of two parts. Part I explains the symbols and patterns used on the accompanying map and the summary data presented for each mine. Part II numerically lists the mines in the quadrangle and summarizes the geology and production history of each mine. Total production for the mine, not the portion in the quadrangle, is given.

MINING IN THE BUNKER HILL QUADRANGLE

None of the mines in the vicinity of Bunker Hill were large or served beyond the local trade. Most of the mining took place between 1870 and 1920. Andrew Howard operated a mine before 1882, and the location of that mine is unknown. It was reported to have worked along a tributary to the Wood River, and may be located near Crow Hollow No. 1 Mine (mine index 2900) or Crow Hollow No. 2 Mine (mine index 2899). Howard's mine was reputed to have a seam about 4 feet thick at a depth of 160 feet. Three other mines worked very close to the town of Bunker Hill, but all these closed by 1940.

PART I EXPLANATION OF MAP AND MINE SUMMARY SHEET

INTERPRETING THE MAP

The map accompanying this directory shows the location of coal mines known to be present in the quadrangle. The map, corresponding to a U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) 7.5-minute quadrangle, covers an area bounded by lines of latitude and longitude 7.5-minutes apart. In Illinois, a quadrangle is approximately 6.5 miles east to west and 8.5 miles north to south, an area of about 56 square miles. The ISGS generally offers one map of mines per quadrangle. In some areas where extensive mining occurred in two or more overlapping seams, separate maps are compiled for mines in each seam to maintain readability of the map.

Mine Type and Mining Method

The mine type is indicated on the map by pattern color: green represents surface mines; red and yellow represent underground mines. The red patterns are used for areas of underground mining that are documented by a primary or secondary source map. A yellow pattern is used for cases where no map of the mine workings is available, but a general area of mining can be inferred from property maps or production figures. The patterns indicate the main mining methods used in underground mines. The methods are (1) room and pillar and (2) high extraction. The method used gives some indication of the amount and pattern of coal extraction within each mined area, and has some influence on the timing and type of subsidence that can occur over a mine.

The following discussion and illustrations of mining methods are based on Guither et al. (1984).

In room-and-pillar mines, coal is removed from haulage-ways (entries) and selected areas called rooms. Pillars of unmined coal are left between the rooms to support the roof. Depending on the size of rooms and pillars, the amount of coal removed from the production areas will range from 40% to 70%.

Room and Pillar - mining is divided into six categories:

- room-and-pillar basic (RPB, fig. 1A), an early method that did not follow a preset mining plan and therefore
 resulted in very irregular designs;
- modified room and pillar (MRP, fig. 1B);
- room-and-pillar panel (RPP, fig. 1C);
- · blind room and pillar (BRP, fig. 1D);
- checkerboard room and pillar (CRP, fig. 1E);
- room and pillar (RP), a classification used when the specific type of room-and-pillar mining is unknown.

Blind and checkerboard are the most common types of room-and-pillar mining used in Illinois today. The knowledge of room-and-pillar mining methods gives a trained engineer information on the nature of subsidence that may occur. A more extensive discussion of subsidence can be found in Bauer et al. (1993).

High-extraction These mining methods are subdivided into high-extraction retreat (HER, Fig 1F) and longwall (LW, Fig 1G, 1H). In these methods, much of the coal is removed within well defined areas of the mine. Subsidence of the surface above these areas occurs within weeks. Once the subsidence activity ceases, the potential for further movement over these areas is low; however, subsidence may continue for several years after mining.

High-extraction retreat mining is a form of room-and-pillar mining that extracts most of the coal. Rooms and pillars are developed in the panels, and the pillars are then systematically removed (fig. 1F).

In early (pre-1960) longwall mines, mining advanced in multiple directions from a central shaft (fig. 1G). Large pillars of coal were left around the shaft, but all coal was removed beyond these pillars. Miners placed rock and wooden props and cribs in the mined-out areas to support the mine roof. The overlying rock gradually settled onto these supports, thus producing subsidence at the surface. In post-1959 longwall mines, room-and-pillar methods have been used to develop the main entries of the mine and panel areas. Modern longwall methods extract 100 percent of the coal in the panel areas (fig. 1H).

SOURCE MAPS

Mine outlines depicted on the map are, whenever possible, based on maps made from original mine surveys. The process of compiling and digitizing the quadrangle map may produce errors of less than 200 feet in the location of mine boundaries. Larger errors of 500 feet or more are possible for mines that have incomplete or inaccurate source maps.

Because of the extreme complexity of some mine maps, detailed features of mined areas have been omitted. The digitized mine boundary includes the exterior boundary of all rooms or entries that were at least 80 feet wide or protruded 500 feet from the main mining area. Unmined areas between mines are shown if they are at least 80 feet wide; unmined blocks of coal within mines are shown if they are at least 400 feet on each side. Original source maps should be consulted when precise information on mine boundaries or interior features is needed.

The mine summary sheet lists the source maps used to determine each mine outline. The completeness of map sources is indicated on the map by a line symbol at the mine boundary. Source maps are organized in five categories.

Final mine map The mine outline was digitized from an original map made from mine surveys conducted within a few months after production ceased. The date of the map and the last reported production are listed on the summary sheet.

Not a final map The mine is currently active or the mine outline was made from a map based on mine surveys conducted more than few months before production ceased. This implies the actual mined-out area is probably larger than the outline on the map. The mine summary sheet indicated the dates of source maps and the last reported production, as well as the approximate tonnage mined between these two dates (if the mine is abandoned). The summary sheet also lists the approximate acreage mined since the date of the map and, in some cases, indicates the area where additional mining may have taken place. This latter information is determined by locating on the map the active faces relative to probable boundaries of the mine property.

Undated map The source map was undated, so it may or may not be based on a final mine survey. When sufficient data are available, the probable acreage of the mined area is estimated from reported production, average seam thickness and a recovery rate comparable to other mines in the area. This information is listed in the summary sheet for the mine.

Incomplete map The source map did not show the entire mine. The summary sheet indicates the missing part of the mine map and the acreage of the unmapped area, which is estimated from the amount of coal known to have been produced from the mine.

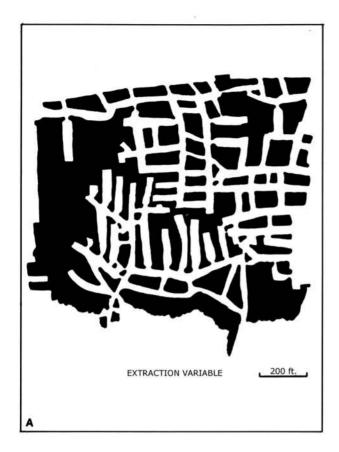
Secondary source map The original mine map was not found so the outline shown was determined from secondary sources (e.g., outlines from small-scale regional maps published in other reports). The summary sheet describes the secondary sources.

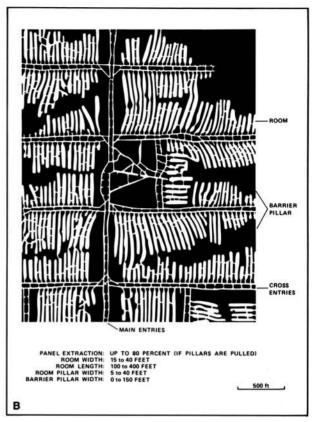
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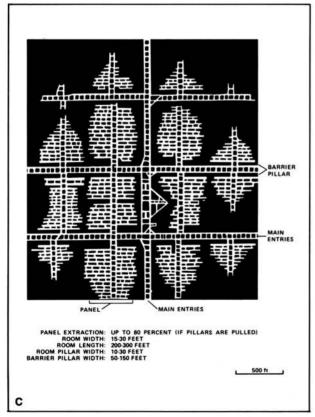
The locations of all known mine openings (shafts, slopes, and drifts) and surface mine tipples are plotted on the map. Tipples are areas where coal was cleaned, stockpiled, and loaded for shipping.

Only openings or tipples are plotted for mines without source maps. If the precise locations of these features are unknown, a special symbol is used to indicate the approximate location of the mine.

Each mine on the map is labeled with the names of the mine and operating company, ISGS mine index number, and years of operation (if known) if space permits. A seam designation is given on maps where more than one seam was mined. For a mine that operated under more than one name, only the most recent name is generally given. When a mine changed names or ownership shortly before closing, an earlier name is listed. All company and mine names are listed on the mine summary sheet in the directory, under the production history segment.







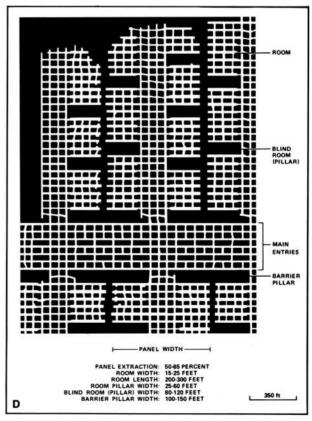
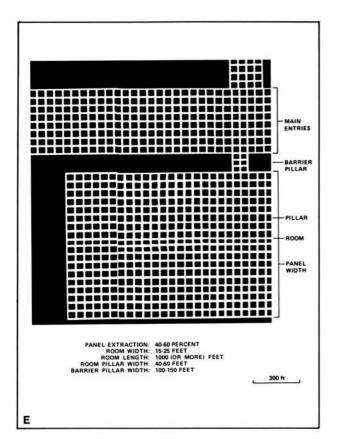
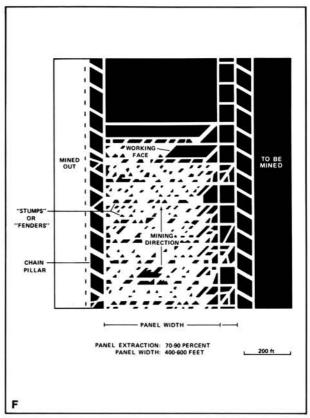
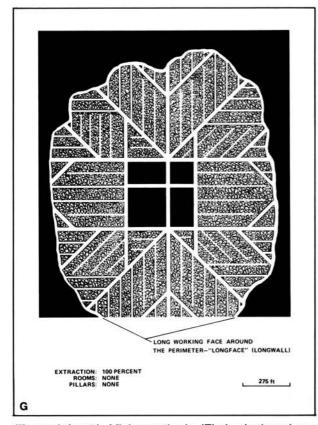


Figure 1 Mining methods: (A) room-and-pillar basic (RPB), (B) modified room and pillar (MRP), (C) room-and-pillar panel (RPP), (D) blind room and pillar (BRP).







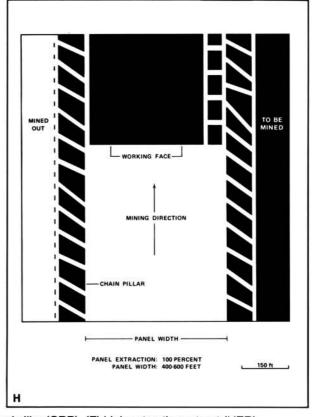


Figure 1 (cont.) Mining methods: (E) checkerboard room and pillar (CRP), (F) high extraction retreat (HER), (G) early (pre-1960) longwall, (H) post-1959 longwall

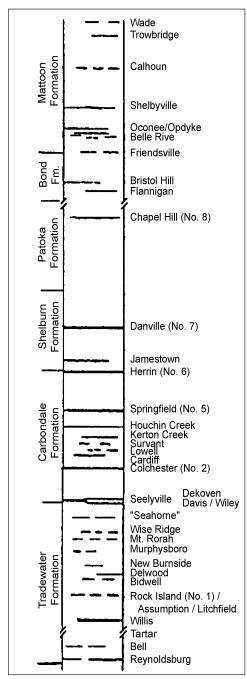


Figure 2 Generalized stratigraphic section, showing approximate vertical relations of coals in Illinois.

INTERPRETING A MINE SUMMARY SHEET

The mine summary sheet is arranged numerically by mine index number. Index numbers are shown on the map and in the mine listing. The mine summary sheet provides the following information (if available).

Company and mine name The last company or owner of the mine is used, unless no production was recorded for the last owner. In that case, the penultimate owner is listed. Mines often have no specific name; in these cases, the company name is also used as the mine name.

Type Underground denotes a subsurface mine in which the coal was reached through a shaft, slope, or a drift entry. Surface denotes a surface, open pit or strip mine.

Total mined-out acreage shown The total acreage of the mined area mapped, including any acreage mined on adjacent quadrangles, is calculated from the digitized outline of the mine. The acreage of large barrier pillars depicted on the map is excluded from the mined-out acreage. Small pillars not digitized are included in the acreage calculation. If the mine outline is not based on a final mine map, the acreage is followed by an estimate of additional acres that may have been mined. The estimate is determined from reported mine production, approximate thickness of the coal, and recovery rates calculated from nearby mines that used similar mining methods.

SHAFT, SLOPE, DRIFT OR TIPPLE LOCATIONS

Shaft, slope, drift, or tipple locations Locations of all known former entry points to underground mines or the location of coal cleaning. tipple, and shipping equipment used by the mine's facility are listed. The location is described in terms of county, township and range (Twp-Rge), section, and location within the section by quarters. NE SW NW, for instance, would describe the location in the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter. When sections are irregular in size, the guarters remain the same size and are oriented (or "registered") from the southeast corner of the section. Approximate footage from the section lines (FEL = from east line, FNL = from north line, for example) is given when that information is known; this indicates a surveyed location and is not derived from maps. Entry points are also plotted on the map and coded for the type of entry or tipple. A mine opening may have had many purposes during the life of the mine. Old hoist shafts are often later used for air and escape shafts: this information is included in the directory when known. The tipple for underground mines was generally located near the main shaft or slope. At surface mines, coal was sometimes hauled to a central tipple several miles from the mine pit.

GEOLOGY

Seam(s) mined The name of the coal seam(s) mined is listed, if known. If multiple seams were mined, they are all listed, although the mined-out area for each seam may be shown on separate maps. Figure 2 shows the stratigraphic section of the coal-bearing interval in Illinois, and the vertical relations among the coals.

Depth The depth to the top of the seam in the vicinity of the shaft is listed, if known. The depth is determined from notes made by geologists who visited the mine during its operation or from drill hole data in ISGS files. Depth generally varies little over the extent of a mine; however, reported depths for an individual mine may vary. Depth for surface-mined coals varies, and is usually represented as a range.

Thickness The approximate thickness of the mined seam is shown, if known. Thickness also comes from notes of geologists who visited the mine during its operation or from borehole data in ISGS files. Minimum, maximum, and average thicknesses are given when this information is available.

Mining method The principal mining method used at the mine (figs. 1A-H) is listed. See the mining methods section at the beginning of this directory for a discussion of this parameter.

Geologic problems reported Any known geologic problems, such as faults, water seepage, floor heaving, and unstable roof, encountered in the mine are reported. This information is from notes made by ISGS geologists who visited the mine, or from reports by mine inspectors published by the Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals, or from the source map(s). Geologic problems are not reported for active mines.

PRODUCTION HISTORY

Production history Tons of coal produced from the mine by each mine owner are totaled. When the source map used for the mine outline is not a final mine map, the tonnage produced since the date of the map is identified. For mines that extend into adjacent quadrangles, the tonnage reported includes areas mined in adjacent quadrangles.

SOURCE OF DATA

Source map This section lists information about the map(s) used to compile the mine outline and the locations of tipples and mine openings. In some cases more than one source map was used. For example, a map drawn before the mine closed may provide better information on original areas of the mine than a later map. When more than one map was used, the bibliography section explains what information was taken from each source.

Date The date of the most recent mine survey listed on the source map is reported.

Original scale The original scale of the source map is listed. Many maps are photo-reductions and are no longer at their original scale. The original scale gives some indication of the level of detail of the mine outline and the accuracy of the mine boundary relative to surface features. Generally, the larger the scale, the greater the accuracy and detail of the mine map. Mine outlines taken from source maps at scales smaller than 1:24,000 may be highly generalized and may well be inaccurately located with respect to surface features.

Digitized scale The scale of the digitized map is reported. The scale may be different from that of the original source map. In many cases the digitized map was made from a photo-reduction of the original source map, or the source map was not in a condition suitable for digitizing and the mine boundaries were transferred to another base map.

Map type Source maps are classified into five categories to indicate the probable completeness of the map. See discussion of source maps in the previous section.

Annotated bibliography Sources that provide information about the mine are listed, with the data taken from each source. Some commonly used sources are described below. Full bibliographic references are given for all other sources. Unless otherwise noted, all sources are available for public inspection at the ISGS.

Coal Reports Published since 1881, these reports contain tabular data on mine ownership, production, employment, and accidents. Some volumes include short descriptions made by mine inspectors of physical features and conditions in selected mines.

Directory of Illinois Coal Mines This source is a compilation of basic data about Illinois coal mines, originally gathered by ISGS staff in the early 1950s. Sources used for this directory are undocumented, but they are primarily Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals annual reports, ISGS mine notes, and coal company officials.

ENR Document 85/01, Guither, H. D., J. K. Hines, and R. A. Bauer, 1985 The Economic Effect of Underground Mining Upon Land Used for Illinois Agriculture: Illinois Department of Energy and Natural Resources Document 85/01, 185 p.

Microfilm map The U.S. Bureau of Mines maintains a microfilm archive of mine maps. A microfilm file for Illinois is available for public viewing at the ISGS.

Mine notes ISGS geologists have visited mines or contacted mine officials throughout the state since the early 1900s. Notes made during these visits range from brief descriptions of the mine location to long narratives (including sketches) of mining conditions and geology.

Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, Preliminary Reports on Subsidence Investigations Mining engineers working for the Federal Land Bank of St. Louis mapped areas of subsidence due to coal mining in the early 1930s. These reports often include county maps of mine properties with mined-out areas including shaft locations, as well as subsidence areas.

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PART II DIRECTORY OF MINES IN THE BUNKER HILL QUADRANGLE

MINE SUMMARY SHEETS

A summary sheet on the geology and production history of each mine in the Bunker Hill Quadrangle is provided. These summary sheets are arranged numerically by mine index number. Consult Part I for a complete explanation of the data listed in the summary sheet.

Mine Index 188

Superior Coal Company, Superior No. 4 Mine

Type: Underground Total mined-out acreage shown: 19,186 The boundaries between this mine, Superior No. 1 (mine index 413), Superior No. 2 (mine index 503), and Superior No. 3 (mine index 66) could not be distinguished. The acreage reported is the total for all four mines.

SHAFT, SLOPE, DRIFT or TIPPLE LOCATIONS

Туре	County	Township-Range	Section	Quarters-Footage
Main shaft (11'x21')	Macoupin	7N 7W	10	30 FSL, 910 FWL, SW NE
Air shaft (11'x17')	Macoupin	7N 7W	10	SE SW NE

GEOLOGY

		Thic	kness (ft)	Mining
Seam(s) Mined	Depth (ft)	Min	Max	Ave	Method
Herrin	307-314	6.0	8.0-8.5	7.0-7.5	RPP

<u>Geologic Problems Reported</u>: Slips and rock rolls were common in the coal. The rock rolls were nodules or protrusions downward from the limestone roof. These were more common in the east side of the mine and decreased to the west. The west workings were very wet; one hypothesis suggested that the moisture seeped in through the slips. Some faults were present, with displacement up to 2 feet or more. In one place, the limestone cap rock was impure and a roof fall included the limestone. Coal balls and limey concretions were present in the southeast part of the mine.

PRODUCTION HISTORY

			Production
Company	Mine Name	Years	(tons)
Superior Coal Company	Superior No. 4	1918-1953 *	24,113,128
Superior Coal Company	Superior No. 4	1953-1954	307,336 **
			24,420,464

^{*} Idle 1933

Last reported production: May 1954

SOURCES OF DATA

		Original	Digitized	
Source Map	Date	Scale	Scale	Мар Туре
State archive, IL_1130	5-25-1954	1:4800	1:4800	Final
State archive, IL_1124	10-29-1953	1:4800	1:4800	Final
State archive, IL_1102	8-7-1953	1:4800	1:4800	Final
State archive, IL_1126_03	5-9-1951	1:4800	1:4800	Final

Annotated Bibliography (data source, brief description of information)

Coal Reports - Production, ownership, years of operation, shaft sizes.

Directory of Illinois Coal Mines (Macoupin County) - Mine names, mine index, ownership, years of operation.

Mine notes (Macoupin County) - Mine type, shaft location, seam, depth, thickness, geologic problems.

State archive, IL 1130 - Shaft locations, mine outline, mining method.

State archive, IL 1124, map of Superior No. 3 (mine index 66) - Mine outline (west, north).

State archive, IL_1102, map of Superior No. 2 (mine index 503) - Mine outline (southeast, south central).

State archive, IL_1126_03, map of Superior No. 1 (mine index 413) - Mine outline (east, northeast, north central).

^{**} Production after map date

Mine Index 281 William Neil & Company, Neil Mine

Type: Underground Total mined-out acreage shown: 53 The area shown on the accompanying map is smaller than expected for the reported production. Production indicates approximately 75 acres were mined.

SHAFT, SLOPE, DRIFT or TIPPLE LOCATIONS

Туре	County	Township-Range	Section	Quarters-Footage
Main shaft (6'x5.5')	Macoupin	7N 8W	14	NE NW SE
Air shaft	Macoupin	7N 8W	14	SE NW SE

GEOLOGY

		Thi	ckness (1	ft)	Mining	
Seam(s) Mined	Depth (ft)	Min	Max	Ave	Method	
Herrin	244-254	5.3	8.0	5.5-6.0	MRP	

<u>Geologic Problems Reported</u>: Some small clay veins, 6 to 10 inches wide, were present near the top of the coal. Gas was present, "in pockets".

PRODUCTION HISTORY

Company	Mine Name	Years	Production (tons)	
William Neil & Company	Neil	pre1879-1882	43,750	
Bunker Hill Coal Company *	Bunker Hill	1882-1893	228,053	
William Neil & Company	Neil	1893-1912	<u>120,241</u>	
			392.044	

^{*} The mine notes indicate that Consolidated Coal Company of St. Louis owned the mine and it was leased to Bunker Hill Coal Company.

Last reported production: April 1, 1912

SOURCES OF DATA

		Original	Digitized		
Source Map	Date	Scale	Scale	Map Type	
State archive, IL 1116 01	4-1-1912	1:2400	1:2400	Final	

Annotated Bibliography (data source, brief description of information)

Coal Reports - Production, ownership, years of operation, depth, thickness.

Directory of Illinois Coal Mines (Macoupin County) - Mine names, mine index, ownership, years of operation.

Mine notes (Macoupin County) - Mine type, shaft location, seam, depth, thickness, geological problems.

State archive, IL_1116_01 - Shaft locations, mine outline, mining method.

Mine Index 2898

Ed A. Bauser Coal Company, Bauser Mine

Type: Underground Total mined-out acreage shown: 14 The outline shown on the accompanying map is smaller than expected for the reported production. Production indicates approximately 40 acres were mined. A general area of mining has been added to the accompanying map to illustrate the approximate size of the mined area.

SHAFT, SLOPE, DRIFT or TIPPLE LOCATIONS

Type	County	Township-Range	Section	Quarters-Footage
Main shaft	Macoupin	7N 8W	13	NE SE SW
Air shaft	Macoupin	7N 8W	13	NE SE SW

GEOLOGY

		Thic	ckness (f	ft)	Mining	
Seam(s) Mined	Depth (ft)	Min	Max	Ave	Method	
Herrin	240-245			5.0-6.0	RPB	

Geologic Problems Reported:

PRODUCTION HISTORY

			Production	
Company	Mine Name	Years	(tons)	
Bauser & Truesdale	Bauser & Truesdale	1904-1911	24,357	
Ed A. Bauser	Bauser	1911-1936	159,287	
Gatschenburger & Voges	Gatschenburger & Voges	1937-1938	3,522	
unknown	Bauser	1938-1939	5,591	
Ed A. Bauser Coal Company	Bauser	1939-1940	2,420	
•			195.177	

Last reported production: 1940

SOURCES OF DATA

		Original	Digitized		
Source Map	Date	Scale	Scale	Map Type	
Microfilm, document 352540	4-27-1940	1:1200	1:1738	Final *	

^{*} The map date is final, but the map must be incomplete because the mine outline is much too small for the reported production. The outline shown on the accompanying map is coded final because the portion of the source map that is missing old workings is not clear.

Annotated Bibliography (data source, brief description of information)

Coal Reports - Production, ownership, years of operation.

Directory of Illinois Coal Mines (Macoupin County) - Mine names, mine index, ownership, years of operation.

Mine notes (Macoupin County) - Mine type, shaft location, seam, depth, thickness.

Microfilm map, document 352540, reel 03139, frame 271 - Shaft locations, mine outline, mining method.

Mine Index 2899 Raynor & Lock, Raynor & Lock Mine

Type: Underground Total mined-out acreage shown: A general area of mining is shown on the accompanying map. Production indicates approximately 7 acres were mined.

SHAFT, SLOPE, DRIFT or TIPPLE LOCATIONS

Туре	County	Township-Range	Section	Quarters-Footage
Main shaft	Macoupin	7N 8W	16	SW SE SE

GEOLOGY

0202001		Thickness (ft) Mining	
Seam(s) Mined	Depth (ft)	Min Max Ave Method	
Herrin	150-160	5.0-5.5 RP	

Geologic Problems Reported:

PRODUCTION HISTORY

			Production	
Company	Mine Name	Years	(tons)	
P. C. Huggins	Huggins	1881-1882	3,756	
Matt Carroll	Carroll	1882-1883	3,000	
Raynor & Lock	Raynor & Lock	1883-1889	<u>28,893</u>	
			35.649	

^{*} The mine notes indicate this became Crow Hollow No. 2 Mine in 1892. No production was listed under this name.

Last reported production: 1889

SOURCES OF DATA

		Original	Digitized	
Source Map	Date	Scale	Scale	Мар Туре
ISGS map library, 4103.M34 i5.1-27	3-20-1934	1:62500	1:62500	Secondary source

Annotated Bibliography (data source, brief description of information)

Coal Reports - Production, ownership, years of operation, depth, thickness, mining method. Directory of Illinois Coal Mines (Macoupin County) - Mine names, mine index, ownership, years of operation. Mine notes (Macoupin County) - Mine type, shaft location, seam, depth, thickness, mine name. Wallace, L., 1926, Gillespie-Mt. Olive Folio, USGS Folio 220, 22p - Shaft location. ISGS map library, 4013.M34 i5.1-27, work map for Federal Land Bank Report - Shaft location, mine outline.

Mine Index 2901 Naylor & McPherson, Naylor & McPherson Mine

Type: Underground Total mined-out acreage shown: A general area of mining is shown on the accompanying map. The extent of mining is not known.

SHAFT, SLOPE, DRIFT or TIPPLE LOCATIONS

Туре	County	Township-Range	Section	Quarters-Footage
Main shaft	Macoupin	7N 8W	24	NE NW NW

GEOLOGY

0202001		Thi	ckness (fi	t)	Mining	
Seam(s) Mined	Depth (ft)	Min	Max	Ave	Method	
Herrin	247-253			6.0	RP	,

<u>Geologic Problems Reported</u>: The Worthen report on economic geology indicates the coal was from 5.0 to 7.0 feet thick, but split by a shale parting, with the coal above the parting of better quality.

PRODUCTION HISTORY

			i ioduction	
Company	Mine Name	Years	(tons)	
Naylor & McPherson *	Naylor & McPherson			

Droduction

Last reported production:

SOURCES OF DATA

		Original	Digitized	
Source Map	Date	Scale	Scale	Мар Туре
ISGS map library, 4103.M34 i5.1-27	3-20-1934	1:62500	1:62500	Secondary source

Annotated Bibliography (data source, brief description of information)

Directory of Illinois Coal Mines (Macoupin County) - Mine names, mine index, ownership, years of operation. Mine notes (Macoupin County) - Mine type, shaft location, seam, depth, thickness. Wanless, A. H., 1882, Economical Geology, Vol. III, Chapter XVII - Mine name, depth, geologic problems. Wallace, L., 1926, Gillespie-Mt. Olive Folio, USGS Folio 220, 22p. - Shaft location. ISGS map library, 4013.M34 i5.1-27, work map for Federal Land Bank Report - Shaft locations, mine outline.

^{*} The mine notes indicate this mine was abandoned in 1879. The Coal Reports were published after 1882, and production and years of operation before that year are unknown.

Mine Index 2903 Abbott T. Jarden, Jarden Mine

Type: Underground Total mined-out acreage shown: A general area of mining is shown on the accompanying map. Production indicates less than 1 acre was mined.

SHAFT, SLOPE, DRIFT or TIPPLE LOCATIONS

Туре	County	Township-Range	Section	Quarters-Footage
Main shaft	Macoupin	7N 8W	35	SE NW NE

GEOLOGY

3232331		Thicknes	s (ft)	Mining	Mining
Seam(s) Mined	Depth (ft)	Min Ma	x Ave	Method	
Herrin	225-245		4.5-6.0	RP	

Geologic Problems Reported:

PRODUCTION HISTORY

			Production
Company	Mine Name	Years	(tons)
Jarden & Lansford	Jarden & Lansford	1903-1903	120
E. Lansford & Company	Lansford	1903-1904	720
Fritz T. Jorden	Jorden	1904-1906	2,040
Fred Jordean	Jordean	1906-1907	160
Fritz Jerden	Jerden No. 3	1907-1909 *	120
Fritz Jarden	Jarden	1909-1911	220
Abbott T. Jarden	Jarden	1911-1913	<u>150</u>
			3,530

^{*} Idle 1909

Last reported production: 1913

SOURCES OF DATA

		Original	Digitized	
Source Map	Date	Scale	Scale	Мар Туре
ISGS map library, 4103.M34 i5.1-27	3-20-1934	1:62500	1:62500	Secondary source

Annotated Bibliography (data source, brief description of information)

Coal Reports - Production, ownership, years of operation, mine type, depth, thickness, mining method. Directory of Illinois Coal Mines (Macoupin County) - Mine names, mine index, ownership, years of operation. Mine notes (Macoupin County) - Shaft location, seam, depth, thickness. ISGS map library, 4013.M34 i5.1-27, work map for Federal Land Bank Report - Shaft location, mine outline.

OTHER MINES SHOWN ON BUNKER HILL QUADRANGLE

Mine Index 2900, Crow Hollow No. 1 Mine NE NE NE 21-T7N-R8W, Herrin Coal, shaft source: ISGS map library, 4103.M34 i5.1-27, work map for Federal Land Bank Report, Mine notes (undated), USGS Folio 220

MINES WHOSE LOCATIONS ARE NOT KNOWN, BUNKER HILL QUADRANGLE

The locations of the following mines are unknown, but the production tonnage, operating names, and nearest town were reported in the Annual Coal Reports. The operators listed below mined in or near the Bunker Hill Quadrangle. The information shown is similar to that presented on the summary sheets in the previous pages of this directory. The first item is the name the mine operated under as listed in the Coal Report, then the years the mine reported. If no physical data are available, the next item listed is the total tons produced by the mine. If physical data are available, the order of presentation is as follows: type of opening for the mine (drift, slope or shaft), depth of coal in feet, and thickness of coal in feet.

The total tons mined by these unlocated mines is 1,800 (mined underground), which would represent less than 1 acre. (Note: 1 square mile = 640 acres)

BUNKER HILL

McGuffee, 1878-1879, shaft, 210 deep, 5.0 thick

1,800 tons

INDEX OF MINES IN THE BUNKER HILL QUADRANGLE

Bauser (Ed A.)
Bauser (Ed A.) Coal Company
Bauser & Truesdale
Bunker Hill Coal Company
Carroll (Matt)
Consolidated Coal Company of St. Louis
Crow Hollow No. 1 Mine
Crow Hollow No. 2 Mine
Gatschenburger & Voges
Howard (Andrew)
Huggins (P. C.)
Jarden (Abbott T.)
Jarden (Fritz)
Jarden & Lansford
Jerden (Fritz)
Jordean (Fred)
Jorden (Fritz T.)
Lansford (E.) & Company
Lansford (Jarden & Lansford)
Lock (Raynor & Lock)
McPherson (Naylor & McPherson)
Naylor & McPherson
Neil (William) & Company
Raynor & Lock
Superior Coal Company, No. 4 Mine
Truesdale (Bauser & Truesdale)
Voges (Gatschenburger & Voges)