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18th August, 1952.

MEMORANDUM:UNDERGROUND WATER POSSIBILITIES ON
PROPERTY OF V.H. PREWER, WHITEMORE

Mr. Prewer's property is situated about two miles south of Whitemore. Where he desires to obtain a water supply the sediments appear to be Tertiary deposits of the Launceston Basin. These beds when predominantly clay do not yield supplies of underground water but sand or gravel beds are usually present and water may be obtained from these.

Fortunately there is little doubt that adequate supplies of water can be obtained at no great depth here, as an old well, now collapsed, yielded plentiful supplies of water.

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