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MEMORANDUM

The estimated total reserve of coal on the Jubilee Leases as in the year 1920 based on the full series of 8 coal seams was of the order of 5,000,000 tons.

Only one seam has been worked with an operating thickness averaging 5 feet. The limits of the available seams are bounded

(1) On the east by Goulds Fault and on the west by

(2) The Cornwall Fault

The available area between these faults would be of the order of 300 acres.

The working width of the only seam mined is approximately 5 feet.

The gross reserve would therefore be of the order of $4\frac{1}{2}$ million tons.

As not more than $\frac{1}{3}$ is in fact mined by ordinary methods the available reserve would not exceed $1\frac{1}{2}$ million tons of which some 580,000 tons have already been mined.

This leaves the available reserve at not more than 1,000,000 tons.



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