

Grace Land Company No. 1 (1031) Well

Richmond District, Raleigh County, W. Va.

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Located 2.42 mi. S. of  $37^{\circ} 45'$  and 1.78 mi. W. of  $81^{\circ} 00'$  -NE- Plattop Quadrangle.

Elevation, 2927.44' L.

Permit Ral-16.

Drilling commenced April 27, 1942; completed, Sept. 5, 1942.

13 3/8" casing, 21'; 10 3/4", 600'; 8 5/8", 2930'.

Dry Hole.

Section based on samples from 390 to 5170' examined by J. H. C. Martens.

Identification of the Berea Sandstone is very doubtful, so that the thicknesses for the Pocono Formation and Devonian Shales are uncertain.

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Pottsville Formation, 519+ feet

0	390	390	No sample
390	400	10	Shale and siltstone, gray
400	405	5	Siltstone, gray, sandy
405	440	35	Shale, gray, very silty; some siderite concretions
440	479	39	Siltstone, gray; very sandy toward bottom
479	486	7	Sandstone, light-gray, fine
486	505	19	Shale, very dark gray, silty
505	519	14	Siltstone, gray, sandy

Mauch Chunk Group, 2361 feet

519	536	17	Shale, brownish-gray, soft, with siderite spherulites
536	542	6	Shale, gray, calcareous
542	555	13	Shale, red and gray
555	560	5	Shale, gray with small red specks, soft
560	585	25	Shale, red and gray, calcareous
585	590	5	Shale, gray, silty
590	600	10	Siltstone, gray, sandy and shaly
600	609	9	Sandstone, white, coarse
609	614	5	Shale, red
614	637	23	Siltstone, gray to greenish, coarse

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- 637 665 28 Shale, red, partly calcareous
- 665 670 5 Sandstone, white with green specks, fine, calcareous
- 670 686 16 Shale, red
- 686 689 3 Sandstone, light-green, fine, calcareous
- 689 695 6 Shale, gray
- 695 717 22 Shale, red with some green; contains small limestone nodules
- 717 726 9 Siltstone, gray, coarse, calcareous
- 726 739 13 Shale, red and green, with limestone, nodules
- 739 750 11 Sandstone, light-gray, fine, calcareous
- 750 770 20 Shale, and siltstone, gray
- 770 780 10 Sandstone, light-gray, fine, calcareous
- 780 795 15 Shale, black
- 795 807 12 Siltstone, gray, sandy
- 807 815 8 Siltstone and silty shale, gray
- 815 863 48 Shale, dark-gray, distinctly laminated; contains a few fossil shells
- 863 876 13 Sandstone, gray; fine to very fine, 40 to 60%; nearly black silty shale, 60% to 40%
- 876 880 4 Shale, dark-gray
- 880 903 23 Sandstone, light-gray, fine, slightly calcareous
- 903 927 24 Siltstone, gray, shaly, slightly calcareous
- 927 937 10 Sandstone, light-gray, fine to very fine, calcareous
- 937 953 16 Shale and siltstone, gray
- 953 962 9 Siltstone, gray, 60%; fine to very fine, light-gray sandstone, 40%
- 962 968 6 Sandstone, white, fine, 60%; dark-gray shale, 40%
- 968 978 10 Sandstone, gray, very fine, 60%; darker gray shale and siltstone, 40%
- 978 1010 32 Shale, gray, silty
- 1010 1032 22 Shale, dark-gray, 60%; dark brownish gray impure limestone, 40%
- 1032 1047 1<sup>5</sup> Shale, very dark gray, distinctly laminated; contains fossil shells
- 1047 1053 6 Shale, dark-brownish gray, highly calcareous and fossiliferous

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1053	1080	27	Shale, dark-gray, interbedded with coarse siltstone
1080	1100	20	Siltstone, dark-gray, shaly
1100	1108	8	Shale, gray; calcareous
1108	1115	7	Shale, red and green
1115	1120	5	Siltstone and shale, gray
1120	1146	26	Sandstone, white, fine
1146	1150	4	Sandstone, light-grayish-green, fine
1150	1157	7	Siltstone, gray, sandy
1157	1160	3	Shale, gray, silty
1160	1170	10	Siltstone and shale, gray
1170	1185	15	Shale, gray and red; also some greenish siltstone
1185	1222	37	Shale, gray
1222	1227	5	Shale, red and green
1227	1240	13	Siltstone, gray and red, shaly
1240	1257	17	Shale, dark-gray, soft, dolomitic
1257	1287	30	Shale, dark brownish gray, partly dolomitic
1287	1318	31	Limestone, gray to light-brown, mostly very fine textured (Avis Limestone)
1318	1329	11	Limestone, gray, shaly, fossiliferous
1329	1368	39	Shale and siltstone, red, calcareous; many small nodules of gray to reddish limestone
1368	1388	20	Shale, red, calcareous
1388	1409	21	Siltstone, red, slightly calcareous
1409	1498	89	Shale, red; considerable fine red siltstone in some samples
1498	1510	12	Siltstone, light-red, calcareous; also some red and gray shale
1510	1562	52	Shale, red, mostly silty, calcareous
1562	1570	8	Shale, gray and red; also traces of coal and several pieces of pyrite
1570	1589	19	Shale, red, silty
1589	1592	3	Siltstone, light-red, sandy
1592	1600	8	Shale, red
1600	1607	7	Siltstone, grayish-red
1607	1665	58	Shale, red, with only a little calcareous material

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- 1665 1672 7 Siltstone, light-red, calcareous
- 1672 1700 28 Shale, red, mostly silty, moderately calcareous
- 1700 1717 17 Siltstone, red
- 1717 1732 15 Shale, gray, <sup>o</sup><sub>A</sub> calcreous and fossiliferous
- 1732 1748 16 Shale and siltstone, gray
- 1748 1756 8 Siltstone, gray and red, coarse
- 1756 1767 11 No sample
- 1767 1772 5 Shale, gray, silty
- 1772 1797 25 Shale, red, gray and green; some very fine textured dolomite near top of interval
- 1797 1818 21 Shale, red, silty
- 1818 1823 5 Siltstone, grayish-green
- 1823 1827 4 Shale, gray, silty
- 1827 1832 5 Sandstone, white, medium-grained, 50%; red shale, 50%
- 1832 1846 14 Shale, and siltstone, gray
- 1846 1854 8 Shale, red and gray
- 1854 1856 2 Siltstone, gray, sandy
- 1856 1896 40 Shale and siltstone, gray
- 1896 1915 19 Shale, brownish-gray, soft, <sup>o</sup><sub>A</sub> dolomitic
- 1915 1921 6 Shale, red, silty, calcareous
- 1921 1931 10 Siltstone, red
- 1931 1960 29 Sandstone, red, very fine to medium-grained
- 1960 1979 19 Shale, red, calcareous
- 1979 1984 5 Shale, red and gray, 70%; gray dolomitic limestone, 30%
- 1984 1992 8 Shale, red, calcareous
- 1992 1998 6 Shale, red and gray, 80%; light-brown, very fine textured dolomite, 15%; white and reddish anhydrite, 5%
- 1998 2005 7 Shale, red
- 2005 2047 42 Shale, grayish red, silty
- 2047 2049 2 Siltstone, red
- 2049 2101 52 Shale, red, mostly non-calcareous; much of it is silty
- 2101 2110 9 Shale, gray and red, 80%; gray dolomite, 20%
- 2110 2126 16 Shale, red, silty
- 2126 2132 6 Shale, gray, soft

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- 2132 2140 8 Shale, gray, 75%; gray dolomite, 20%; white anhydrite, 5%
- 2140 2159 19 Shale, gray
- 2159 2167 8 Shale, red and gray, silty
- 2167 2171 4 Siltstone, gray
- 2171 2176 5 Shale, gray; small amount of black shale, coal and pyrite
- 2176 2184 8 Siltstone, gray, fine
- 2184 2194 10 Shale, dark-gray
- 2194 2214 20 Shale and siltstone, gray
- 2214 2230 16 Siltstone and shale, gray
- 2230 2232 2 Limestone, dark-gray
- 2232 2261 29 Shale, gray, silty, with small amount of gray limestone
- 2261 2272 11 Shale, red and gray
- 2272 2301 29 Shale, gray, with a few fossils; highly calcareous,  
2286-2292'
- 2301 2315 14 Shale, gray, highly dolomitic
- 2315 2490 175 No samples
- 2490 2550 60 Shale, dark-gray, distinctly laminated, highly calcareous  
and fossiliferous
- 2550 2583 33 Shale, gray, silty; contains a few fossil shells
- 2583 2645 62 Shale, dark-gray, distinctly laminated, fossiliferous
- 2645 2667 22 Limestone, dark-gray with white spots; some dark-gray shale,  
probably cavings
- 2667 2689 22 Limestone and calcareous shale, dark-gray, fossiliferous
- 2689 2700 11 Shale and siltstone, dark-gray, calcareous, 80%; gray  
limestone, 20%
- 2700 2710 10 Shale, gray, somewhat calcareous
- 2710 2750 40 Limestone, dark-gray to brownish with some white spots,  
fossiliferous
- 2750 2789 39 Shale, dark-gray, highly fossiliferous and calcareous
- 2789 2850 61 Shale, dark-gray, distinctly laminated, calcareous; contains  
fewer fossils and breaks in larger pieces than the shale  
immediately above. (Top of Big Lime at 2815' in  
driller's record).

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- 2850 2859 9 Shale, very dark gray, 60%; gray to white, crystalline limestone, 40%
- 2859 2864 5 Limestone, light-gray to white, 70%; gray and grayish-green, shale, 30%
- 2864 2880 16 Shale, gray, silty, highly calcareous; also small amount of limestone

Greenbrier Limestone, 570 feet

- 2880 2884 4 Limestone, dark brownish gray with white spots
- 2884 2937 53 Limestone, gray and white, crystalline, fossiliferous
- 2937 2945 8 Limestone, gray, silty, shaly and dolomitic
- 2945 2987 42 Limestone, light-gray, with some oolites
- 2987 3003 16 Limestone, dark brownish gray
- 3003 3058 55 Limestone, brown
- 3058 3086 28 Limestone, gray, shaly
- 3086 3096 10 Limestone, light-brown, oolitic
- 3096 3182 86 Limestone, brown to light-brown
- 3182 3205 23 Limestone, dark-brown
- 3205 3234 29 Limestone, light-brown
- 3234 3241 7 Limestone, red and light-brown
- 3241 3299 58 Limestone, light-brown
- 3299 3340 41 Limestone, brown
- 3340 3350 10 Limestone, light-brown
- 3350 3369 19 Limestone, light-brown to white
- 3369 3379 10 Limestone, brown and dark-brown
- 3379 3391 12 Limestone, brown, gray and white, somewhat dolomitic
- 3391 3402 11 Limestone, white, dolomitic; a little white and orange chert
- 3402 3410 8 Limestone, light-gray and light-brown, dolomitic, with a little chert
- 3410 3417 7 Limestone, light-gray, dolomitic
- 3417 3425 8 Dolomite, gray
- 3425 3430 5 Limestone, brown
- 3430 3435 5 No sample

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3435 3450 15 Limestone, gray, solomitic, slightly sandy

Maccrady Formation, 44 feet

3450 3486 36 Shale, red, mostly silty, with a little anhydrite

3486 3494 8 Shale, gray to grayish-green with small amount of white  
anhydrite, 70%; red shale, 30%

Pocono Formation, 38 feet

3494 3996 2 No sample

3496 3504 8 Sandstone, light-gray, very fine, with a few coarse grains,  
70%; gray shale and siltstone, 30%; a little white  
anhydrite, apparently occurring in veins

3504 3518 14 Shale and siltstone, gray; some of siltstone contains  
anhydrite

3518 3536 18 Siltstone, gray, sandy; contains a little anhydrite which  
has apparently not fallen in from the red shale above  
since some is attached to the gray siltstone

3536 3546 10 Siltstone, gray, very sandy

3546 3656 10 Siltstone, gray, shaly

3556 3593 37 Siltstone, gray to dark-gray, shaly

3593 3610 17 Siltstone and silty shale, dark-gray

3610 3669 59 Siltstone, gray, coarse

3669 3675 6 Siltstone, red with some gray, coarse, dolomitic

3675 3690 15 Siltstone, gray, coarse; some red siltstone at top

3690 3725 35 Siltstone, gray, with a little darker shale

3725 3730 5 Siltstone, gray; also a little brownish medium-grained  
pyritic sandstone, a little dark-gray shale and a few  
coarse quartz grains

3730 3751 21 Sandstone, gray and brown, mostly very fine, with a few  
coarse quartz grains

3751 3759 8 Siltstone, gray, sandy

3759 3770 11 Sandstone, gray, very fine, 60%; black shale, 40%

3770 3780 10 Shale, black, silty

3780 3798 18 Sandstone, light-gray, very fine, 60 to 80%; darker gray  
shale and siltstone, 40 to 20%

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- 3798 3830 32 Shale, very dark gray  
3830 3840 10 Shale, very dark gray, 60%; lighter gray siltstone and very fine sandstone, 40%  
3840 3850 10 Siltstone, gray to light-gray, mostly sandy, 60%; dark-gray silty shale, 40%  
3850 3860 10 Shale, very dark-gray with a little lighter gray siltstone  
3860 3878 18 Shale, very dark gray, 60%; gray to light-gray, fine to coarse sandstone with pyrite crystals, 40% (Berea?)

Devonian Shales, 1292? feet

- 3878 3910 32 Shale, very dark gray, small amount of fine gray to brownish sandstone, at least part of which occurs as thin streaks in the shale  
3910 3946 36 Shale, dark-gray, 70%; fine gray sandstone with yellow and brown spots, 30%; the shale and sandstone are thinly interstratified  
3946 3965 19 Shale and siltstone, gray, 60%; light-gray, fine to very fine sandstone, 40%  
3965 3984 19 Siltstone, gray  
3984 4060 <sup>55</sup> <sub>75</sub> Shale, dark-gray, interstratified with large amount of lighter gray siltstone  
4055 4098 43 Siltstone, gray, 80%; dark-gray, silty shale, 20%  
4098 4106 8 Siltstone and silty shale, dark-gray  
4106 4138 32 Shale, dark-gray  
4138 4144 6 Shale, dark-gray, 60%; gray siltstone, with specks of yellowish-brown siderite, 40%  
4144 4313 ~~269~~ Shale and siltstone, gray  
4313 4318 5 Sandstone, very light-brown, very fine  
4318 4331 13 No sample  
4331 4504 173 Shale and siltstone, gray; some samples contain some light-gray to brownish very fine sandstone  
4504 4578 74 Shale, gray, with rather small amount of siltstone  
4578 4616 38 Shale and siltstone, gray  
4616 4646 30 Shale, dark-gray with rather small amount of siltstone  
4646 4764 118 Shale, gray to dark-gray, silty

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4764 4870 106 Shale and siltstone, gray

4870 5052 182 Siltstone, gray to light-gray, 80%; darker gray shale, 20%

5052 5075 23 Shale and siltstone, gray

5075 5170 95 Siltstone, gray to light-gray, 70 to 80%; darker gray,  
mostly silty shale, 30 to 20%

5170 Total depth.