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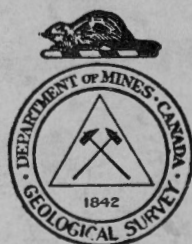
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INTRODUCTION

Lack of rainfall during the years 1930 to 1934 over a large part of the Prairie Provinces brought about an acute shortage both in the larger supplies of surface water used for irrigation and the smaller supplies of ground water required for domestic purposes and for stock. In an effort to relieve the serious situation the Geological Survey began an extensive study of the problem from the standpoint of domestic uses and stock raising. During the field season of 1935 an area of 80,000 square miles, comprising all that part of Saskatchewan south of the north boundary of township 32, was systematically examined, records of approximately 60,000 wells were obtained, and 720 samples of water were collected for analyses. The facts obtained have been classified and the information pertaining to any well is readily accessible. Examination of so large an area and the interpretation of the data collected were possible because the bedrock geology and the Pleistocene deposits had been studied previously by McLearn, Warren, Rose, Stansfield, Wickenden, Russell, and others of the Geological Survey. The Department of Natural Resources of Saskatchewan and local well drillers assisted considerably in supplying several hundred well records. The base maps used were supplied by the Topographical Surveys Branch of the Department of the Interior.

Publication of Results

The essential information pertaining to the ground water conditions is being published in reports, one being issued for each municipality. Copies of these reports are being sent to the secretary treasurers of the municipalities and to certain Provincial and Federal Departments, where they can be consulted by residents of the municipalities or by other persons, or they may be obtained by writing direct to the Director, Bureau of Economic Geology, Department of Mines, Ottawa. Should anyone require more detailed information than that contained in the reports such additional information as the Geological Survey possesses can be obtained on application to the director. In making such request the applicant should indicate the exact location of the area by giving the quarter section, township, range, and meridian concerning which further information is desired.

The reports are written principally for farm residents, municipal bodies, and well drillers who are either planning to sink new wells or to deepen existing wells. Technical terms used in the reports are defined in the glossary.

How to Use the Report

Anyone desiring information about ground water in any particular locality should read first the part dealing with the municipality as a whole in order to understand more fully the part of the report that deals with the place in which he is interested. At the same time he should study the two figures accompanying the report. Figure 1 shows the surface and bedrock geology as related to the ground water supply, and Figure 2 shows the relief and the location and type of water wells. Relief is shown by lines of equal elevation called "contours". The elevation above sea-level

is given on some or all of the contour lines on the figure.

If one intends to sink a well and wishes to find the approximate depth to a water-bearing horizon, he must learn: (1) the elevation of the site, and (2) the probable elevation of the water-bearing bed. The elevation of the well site is obtained by marking its position on the map, Figure 2, and estimating its elevation with respect to the two contour lines between which it lies and whose elevations are given on the figure. Where contour lines are not shown on the figure, the elevations of adjacent wells as indicated in the Table of Well Records accompanying each report can be used. The approximate elevation of the water-bearing horizon at the well-site can be obtained from the Table of Well Records by noting the elevation of the water-bearing horizon in surrounding wells and by estimating from these known elevations its elevation at the well-site.¹ If the water-bearing horizon is in bedrock the depth to water can be estimated fairly accurately in this way. If the water-bearing horizon is in unconsolidated deposits such as gravel, sand, clay, or glacial debris, however, the estimated elevation is less reliable, because the water-bearing horizon may be inclined, or may be in lenses or in sand beds which may lie at various horizons and may be of small lateral extent. In calculating the depth to water, care should be taken that the water-bearing horizons selected from the Table of Well Records be all in the same geological horizon either in the glacial drift or in the bedrock. From the data in the Table

¹ If the well-site is near the edge of the municipality, the map and report dealing with the adjoining municipality should be consulted in order to obtain the needed information about nearby wells.

of Well Records it is also possible to form some idea of the quality and quantity of the water likely to be found in the proposed well.

GLOSSARY OF TERMS USED

Alkaline. The term "alkaline" has been applied rather loosely to some ground waters. In the Prairie Provinces a water is usually described as "alkaline" when it contains a large amount of salts, chiefly sodium sulphate and magnesium sulphate in solution. Water that tastes strongly of common salt is described as "salty". Many "alkaline" waters may be used for stock. Most of the so-called "alkaline" waters are more correctly termed "sulphate waters".

Alluvium. Deposits of earth, clay, silt, sand, gravel, and other material on the flood-plains of modern streams and in lake beds.

Aquifer or Water-bearing Horizon. A water-bearing bed, lens, or pocket in unconsolidated deposits or in bedrock.

Buried pre-Glacial Stream Channels. A channel carved into the bedrock by a stream before the advance of the continental ice-sheet, and subsequently either partly or wholly filled in by sands, gravels, and boulder clay deposited by the ice-sheet or later agencies.

Bedrock. Bedrock, as here used, refers to partly or wholly consolidated deposits of gravel, sand, silt, clay, and marl that are older than the glacial drift.

Coal Seam. The same as a coal bed. A deposit of carbonaceous material formed from the remains of plants by partial decomposition and burial.

Contour. A line on a map joining points that have the same elevation above sea-level.

Continental Ice-sheet. The great ice-sheet that covered most of the surface of Canada many thousands of years ago.

Escarpment. A cliff or a relatively steep slope separating level or gently sloping areas.

Flood-plain. A flat part in a river valley ordinarily above water but covered by water when the river is in flood.

Glacial Drift. The loose, unconsolidated surface deposits of sand, gravel, and clay, or a mixture of these, that were deposited by the continental ice-sheet. Clay containing boulders forms part of the drift and is referred to as glacial till or boulder clay. The glacial drift occurs in several forms:

(1) Ground Moraine. A boulder clay or till plain (includes areas where the glacial drift is very thin and the surface uneven).

(2) Terminal Moraine or Moraine. A hilly tract of country formed by glacial drift that was laid down at the margin of the continental ice-sheet during its retreat. The surface is characterized by irregular hills and undrained basins.

(3) Glacial Outwash. Sand and gravel plains or deltas formed by streams that issued from the continental ice-sheet.

(4) Glacial Lake Deposits. Sand and clay plains formed in glacial lakes during the retreat of the ice-sheet.

Ground Water. Sub-surface water, or water that occurs below the surface of the land.

Hydrostatic Pressure. The pressure that causes water in a well to rise above the point at which it is struck.

Impervious or Impermeable. Beds, such as fine clays or shale, are considered to be impervious or impermeable when they do not permit of the perceptible passage or movement of the ground water.

Pervious or Permeable. Beds are pervious when they permit of the perceptible passage or movement of ground water, as for example porous sands, gravel, and sandstone.

Pre-Glacial Land Surface. The surface of the land before it was covered by the continental ice-sheet.

Recent Deposits. Deposits that have been laid down by the agencies of water and wind since the disappearance of the continental ice-sheet.

Unconsolidated Deposits. The mantle or covering of alluvium and glacial drift consisting of loose sand, gravel, clay, and boulders that overlie the bedrock.

Water Table. The upper limit of the part of the ground wholly saturated with water. This may be very near the surface or many feet below it.

Wells. Holes sunk into the earth so as to reach a supply of water. When no water is obtained they are referred to as dry holes. Wells in which water is encountered are of three classes.

(1) Wells in which the water is under sufficient pressure to flow above the surface of the ground. These are called Flowing Artesian Wells.

(2) Wells in which the water is under pressure but does not rise to the surface. These wells are called Non-Flowing Artesian Wells.

(3) Wells in which the water does not rise above the water table. These wells are called Non-Artesian Wells.

NAMES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF GEOLOGICAL FORMATIONS, REFERRED
TO IN THESE REPORTS

Wood Mountain Formation. The name given to a series of gravel and sand beds which have a maximum thickness of 50 feet, and which occur as isolated patches on the higher parts of Wood mountain. This is the youngest bedrock formation and, where present, overlies the Ravenscrag formation.

Cypress Hills Formation. The name given to a series of conglomerates and sand beds which occur in the southwest corner of Saskatchewan, and rest upon the Ravenscrag or older formations. The formation is 30 to 125 feet thick.

Ravenscrag Formation. The name given to a thick series of light-coloured sandstones and shales containing one or more thick lignite coal seams. This formation is 500 to 1,000 feet thick, and covers a large part of southern Saskatchewan. The principal coal deposits of the province occur in this formation.

Whitemud Formation. The name given to a series of white, grey, and buff coloured clays and sands. The formation is 10 to 75 feet thick. At its base this formation grades in places into coarse, limy sand beds having a maximum thickness of 40 feet.

Eastend Formation. The name given to a series of fine-grained sands and silts. It has been recognized at various localities over the southern part of the province, from the Alberta boundary east to the escarpment of Missouri coteau. The thickness of the formation seldom exceeds 40 feet.

Bearpaw Formation. The Bearpaw consists mostly of incoherent dark grey to dark brownish grey, partly bentonitic shales, weathering light grey, or, in places where much iron

is present, buff. Beds of sand occur in places in the lower part of the formation. It forms the uppermost bedrock formation over much of western and southwestern Saskatchewan and has a maximum thickness of 700 feet or somewhat more.

Belly River Formation. The Belly River consists mostly of non-marine sand, shale, and coal, and underlies the Bearpaw in the western part of the area. It passes eastward and northeastward into marine shale. The principal area of transition is in the western half of the area where the Belly River is mostly thinner than it is to the west and includes marine zones. In the southwestern corner of the area it has a thickness of several hundred feet.

Marine Shale Series. This series of beds consists of dark grey to dark brownish grey, plastic shales, and underlies the central and northeastern parts of Saskatchewan. It includes beds equivalent to the Bearpaw, Belly River, and older formations that underlie the western part of the area.

WATER-BEARING HORIZONS OF THE MUNICIPALITY

The rural municipality of Rocanville, No. 151, is an area of approximately 286 square miles in southeastern Saskatchewan. The northern boundary of the municipality follows Qu'Appelle river, so that only part of the northern townships are included in this municipality. It consists of three full townships, described as townships 16, ranges 30, 31, and 32, two fractional townships each having an area of 30 square miles, described as townships 16 and 17, range 33, and those parts of townships 17, ranges 30, 31, and 32, and of townships 18, ranges 31, 32, 33, west of the first meridian that lie to the south of Qu'Appelle river. The centre of the municipality is 12 miles west of the Manitoba boundary and 96 miles north of the International Boundary line. The village of Rocanville, which is approximately 125 miles due east of Regina, is situated in the central part of the municipality.

The maximum elevation of 1,950 feet above sea-level is attained in the southwestern corner of the municipality. From this point, the elevation gradually decreases towards the northeast until Qu'Appelle valley or some of its tributary valleys are reached. The elevation of the plain above the valleys is 1,600 feet above sea-level in the eastern part and 1,700 feet in the western part of the municipality. The elevation of the valley floor in the eastern part is 1,300 feet, and in the western part of the municipality, 1,400 feet. Qu'Appelle valley is 1 mile to 2 miles wide, and 300 feet deep. A number of deep tributary valleys, the largest two containing Bear and Scissors creeks, are located in the northwestern part of the municipality. Away from the valleys the ground surface of the municipality is undulating. Qu'Appelle valley and a few of its tributary valleys are floored with 10 to 40 feet of Recent alluvium. Part of a large area of glacial outwash sands and gravels extends over the northeastern corner of the municipality and smaller areas throughout the municipality are

mantled by similar deposits. Small areas in the southwestern and southeastern corners of the municipality, and an area in township 17, range 31, are mantled by moraines. The remainder of the municipality is covered with boulder clay or glacial till.

Water-bearing Horizons in the Unconsolidated Deposits

The uppermost water-bearing horizon occurs within the upper 30 feet of glacial drift and extends discontinuously throughout the municipality. Large quantities of medium hard to soft water are obtained from the glacial outwash sands and gravels. The water is used for all general farming purposes including, in some places, small scale irrigation. It is very easy to locate water in these areas and the supply is little affected by continued drought periods. In the boulder clay and moraine-covered areas, isolated pockets of sand or gravel occur in the upper 30 feet of yellow or blue clay. Many holes are dug in an attempt to tap these pockets which in some places contain supplies of water. The amount of water derived from these wells is dependant on the areal extent of the sand and gravel pocket and the amount of precipitation. A few of the wells yield large supplies of medium hard water, whereas others have only small or intermittent supplies of very hard and highly mineralized water. In most sections this water is used for all household purposes, but the quantity may not be sufficient throughout the year, particularly if it be a dry year.

In the southern part of this municipality a number of wells have tapped discontinuous beds of sand and gravel at depths of 30 to 60 feet. Small supplies of highly mineralized water are obtained from these deposits and is being used for domestic purposes, as water of better quality is not obtainable. In township 16, range 30, this aquifer appears to be fairly continuous and fairly large supplies of water are obtained, but elsewhere numerous holes

were sunk without encountering the aquifer.

Some difficulty is experienced in obtaining water in the southern part of the municipality and many holes have been sunk to depths of 60 to 300 feet in an effort to obtain a sufficient water supply. A few sections are supplied with water from wells that are 100 to 160 feet deep, but the water-bearing sand bed that they have tapped is of small areal extent. Other wells from 180 to 280 feet deep, particularly in township 16, ranges 32 and 33, are obtaining a fairly abundant supply of highly mineralized water from beds of fine sand. The water is under low hydrostatic pressure and is not desirable for domestic use, but in most instances it is being used as no other supply is available. A well on the NE. $\frac{1}{4}$, sec. 9, tp. 16, range 32, is 380 feet deep, and taps a fine sand from which an abundance of water is obtained. The water is highly mineralized and rises to a point 180 feet below the surface. It is not advisable to drill to this depth in this municipality to try and locate water, as it is believed that the few wells that have obtained water at depth have tapped deposits that occur in narrow stream channels or isolated depressions in the pre-glacial bedrock surface, which might not be struck in other deep wells.

Water-bearing Horizons in the Bedrock

The Marine Shale series underlies the glacial drift throughout this municipality. In the area outlined by the "A" boundary line on Figure 1 of the accompanying map the shale bedrock is penetrated at 5 to 60 feet below the surface. In wells in several sections, for example on the NE. $\frac{1}{4}$, sec. 9, tp. 16, range 32, bedrock was not reached at a depth of 380 feet. A pre-glacial valley appears to be present in this locality. Where the Marine Shale beds are not over 60 feet below the surface fairly abundant supplies of hard water, which can be used for all farming purposes, are obtained from it. During the drought it was

necessary to deepen a few of the wells to obtain a sufficient supply of water. Holes that penetrate the Marine Shale series outside of the area outlined on the map are either dry or obtain only small supplies of water. The Marine Shale series is generally considered to be non-water-bearing at depth.

GROUND WATER CONDITIONS BY TOWNSHIPS

Township 16, Range 30

The drainage of this township is towards the east and northeast, the elevation decreasing from 1,700 feet above sea-level in the southwestern corner to 1,600 feet in the eastern and northeastern parts. In the southern part of the township there is a fairly deep valley in which an intermittent creek flows. It is fed by numerous springs and surface run-off waters. The remainder of the township is slightly rolling and contains a few small ravines.

Part of a large moraine that lies to the east of the municipality extends into the southeastern part of the township. Glacial outwash deposits extend into the township in the northern sections, and boulder clay or glacial till mantles the remainder of the area.

Wells sunk to a depth of 10 to 20 feet into the sands and gravels in the areas that are covered by glacial outwash, yield an abundant supply of moderately soft water. A few pockets of sand and gravel have also been located in the moraine and boulder clay deposits, but the amount of water derived from wells tapping these pockets is only sufficient for domestic purposes.

The main source of water is obtained from a water-bearing horizon that extends fairly continuously throughout most of the township. This aquifer is formed by a bed of sand and gravel that occurs between beds of impervious blue clay at depths of 50 to 70 feet. The amount of water derived varies with the individual well, but there is usually a sufficient amount to supply 20 to 40 head of stock. The water is very hard and highly mineralized and in some instances it cannot be used for drinking. The water rises to a point 18 to 30 feet below the surface, depending on the surface elevation.

In sections 18, 20, and 24, attempts have been made to locate water at depths of 100 to 320 feet. On the SW. $\frac{1}{4}$, section 18, a bed of sand that contained highly mineralized water was penetrated at a depth of 100 feet. The seepage is very slow and there is only a sufficient amount of water for 30 to 40 head of stock, but if no pumping takes place for 24 hours it rises to a point 30 feet below the surface. All of the other holes to this depth were dry, so that the aquifer in this well is of small areal extent.

The Marine Shale series underlies the glacial drift of this township. It was struck at the base of a number of wells in sections 7, 8, 14, 15, and 16, at depths of 60 to 80 feet. These wells obtain a fairly abundant supply of water from the upper few feet of the shale, and from the lower part of the glacial drift. Some of the deeper wells in other parts of the township do not encounter the shale. The pre-glacial surface of the Marine Shale bedrock is, therefore, irregular, and contains depressions up to 250 feet deep. A 300-foot hole on the SE. $\frac{1}{4}$, section 20, reached shale at an elevation of 1,370 feet above sea-level, another hole on the SW. $\frac{1}{4}$, section 16, less than a mile from the 300-foot hole, encountered the shale at an elevation of 1,600 feet above sea-level. Unless the Marine Shale beds are near the surface they are generally non-water-bearing and, therefore, it is not advisable to continue drilling to depth after this formation is penetrated for a short distance.

Some localities in this township experience a shortage of water, particularly in dry years. Dams could be constructed and dugouts excavated to retain the surface run-off water, and during seasons of drought the water shortage could be somewhat alleviated in this manner.

Township 16, Range 31

The elevation of the surface in this township rises from 1,670 feet in the northeastern corner to 1,750 feet in the southwestern part. The ground surface is gently rolling and is cut by a few small valleys and ravines. The very deep valley of Scissors creek begins in sections 30 and 31.

Abundant supplies of water are obtained from deposits of glacial outwash sands and gravels in the northern part of the township. Varying amounts of water are also obtained from isolated pockets of sand and gravel that occur in the yellow clay. These deposits of sands and gravel, which occur in the uppermost 30 feet of the glacial drift, constitute the highest water-bearing horizon of the township. This horizon, however, is not continuous. The water derived from this aquifer is medium hard and is suitable for general household purposes. In a few wells tapping the glacial outwash sands and gravels the water cannot be lowered by pumping and the supply is generally sufficient for 50 to 60 head of stock.

A second water-bearing horizon in the glacial drift is encountered in a small area in the southwestern corner of the township. This aquifer is a bed of sand that occurs at a depth of 100 to 160 feet, or at an average elevation of 1,600 feet above sea-level. It is overlain by a 90- to 100-foot bed of impervious blue clay and underlain by shale of unknown thickness. The water is exceptionally hard and is highly mineralized, since it comes into contact with the blue clay and shale beds. In a few wells it is used for drinking, but only when other water is not obtainable. The hydrostatic pressure is low, as the water only rises to a point 65 to 110 feet below the surface, depending on the surface elevation. The individual wells will supply not more than 100 head of stock throughout the year.

The pre-glacial surface of the bedrock in this township is very irregular and it appears as if buried stream channels are present, although their extent cannot be outlined due to lack of information. In the area lying within the "A" boundary line on Figure 1 of the accompanying map, shale beds of the Marine Shale series are located at depths of 5 to 40 feet. Elsewhere in the township the Marine Shale beds are encountered at a depth of 90 to 180 feet. The area mentioned is characterized by many small knolls. These are knolls of shale that are concealed by a few feet of glacial drift. Small areas of shale rubble, sand, and gravel, are also located near some of the knolls. A number of wells in this area obtain a large supply of water from the upper part of the shale at depths of 10 to 65 feet, depending on the thickness of the glacial drift. The water is soft in most instances, but it has a high "total dissolved solid" content. It is used for all farming purposes and there is a sufficient amount from individual wells to supply 50 to 100 head of stock. In times of drought when the water-table was lowered some of the wells were deepened a few feet and an adequate supply of water was again obtained.

Township 16, Range 32

The elevation of the surface of this township rises gradually from 1,600 feet in the northeastern corner to 1,900 feet in the southwestern corner. A few small ravines and valleys drain northeasterly into the valley of Scissors creek, which starts in section 36.

A small area in the northeastern part of the township is mantled by glacial outwash sands and gravels. Elsewhere, the glacial drift is in the form of boulder clay or glacial till.

The uppermost water-bearing horizon lies within the initial 30 feet of the glacial drift. It is formed by glacial outwash sands and gravels and by scattered pockets of sands that occur within the boulder clay. Good supplies of water are obtained

from the glacial outwash sands and gravels, but pockets of sand and gravel are difficult to locate and the horizon is not continuous as many holes are often dug before any water is encountered. A few wells yield an abundant supply of usable water, but generally the wells that tap the isolated pockets of sand and gravel yield an intermittent supply sufficient only for domestic purposes.

Small supplies of water are also obtained from pockets of sand and gravel that occur at a depth of 50 to 60 feet between beds of blue clay. Many dry holes indicate that this water-bearing horizon is not continuous throughout the township. The water is very hard, and is highly mineralized due to the proximity of the blue clay.

In sections 16, 17, 19, 20, and 27, wells obtain a fair supply of hard, drinkable water from a gravel bed at depths of 100 to 160 feet. The water rises to a point 85 to 140 feet below the surface, and the supply from an individual well is sufficient for 100 to 150 head of stock. This water-bearing horizon is of small areal extent, as deeper wells within a short distance did not strike an aquifer at this depth.

A water-bearing horizon that is tapped throughout the township is encountered at a depth of 200 to 380 feet or at an elevation of 1,475 to 1,600. This horizon, however, may not be continuous. The aquifer is a bed of fine sand that is overlain by an impervious bed of blue clay. It is probably underlain throughout by the Marine Shale series although shale was not reported in every well. The water from this horizon is very hard and highly mineralized, and is not used for household purposes unless better water cannot be obtained. It rises to a point 150 feet below the surface where it maintains a constant level. The majority of these wells will supply 200 head of stock. In some instances the fine sand has a tendency to plug the well casings and reduce the supply of water.

The Marine Shale series underlies the glacial drift of this township. A buried valley appears to exist in this area. A well on the NE. $\frac{1}{4}$, section 9, taps the fine sand bed that overlies the shale bedrock at a depth of 380 feet or at an elevation of 1,475 feet above sea-level. From this well eastward the shale bedrock surface rises to an elevation of 1,600 feet, and in township 16, range 31, it is encountered within a few feet of the surface. The same conditions exist towards the west. No water-bearing horizons are found in the Marine Shale series in this township, and it is improbable that any exist at places where the overlying glacial drift is very thick.

A great deal of digging and drilling has been done in this township in an effort to locate water, but many of the inhabitants have not as yet obtained an adequate supply. In a few sections dams could be constructed across the small valley or ravines. In other parts dugouts could be excavated, and the surface waters retained by these methods would greatly alleviate the water shortage during periods of drought.

Township 16, Range 33

This township comprises an area of 30 square miles, its western boundary being the second meridian. The surface is slightly rolling and is cut by a few small ravines that run in a northeasterly direction into Qu'Appelle valley. The northeastern and southwestern corners are mantled by boulder clay or glacial till and the remainder of the township is covered by part of a moraine.

The upper 5 to 40 feet of the glacial drift is composed of yellow clay. Small pockets of sand and gravel in this yellow clay yield small supplies of medium hard water. These pockets do not form a continuous aquifer and in many localities they may be absent. During periods of drought the wells that have located gravel pockets become completely or nearly dry, and thus many attempts have been made to locate water at depth. A few holes dug to depths

of 50 to 60 feet have obtained small supplies from thin layers of sand in the blue clay, but the seepage of water into the wells is so slow that only a few head of stock can be watered from them.

A number of wells throughout the township are deriving large supplies of water from a sand or gravel bod at depths of 125 to 180 feet in the drift. This aquifer is overlain by an impervious bed of blue clay and underlain by the Marine Shale series, but it is not known if the aquifer is continuous. The water is highly mineralized but in most of the wells it is being used for all farming purposes except irrigation. The hydrostatic pressure is sufficient to cause the water to rise to a point 80 to 120 feet below the surface.

A number of wells have encountered shale at elevations of 1,700 feet to 1,800 feet above sea level, the shale rising gradually towards the west. This shale is part of the Marine Shale series that underlies the glacial drift of this township. A hole on the SW. $\frac{1}{4}$, section 2, penetrated this formation at a depth of 80 feet, but no water was found. It is doubtful if any usable water will be obtained from the Marine Shale beds in this township.

Township 17, Range 30

Qu'Appelle valley occupies sections 32 to 36. It is approximately one mile wide and its banks rise abruptly for 250 feet. About a mile back from the river, and paralleling it, there is a second abrupt rise of approximately 25 feet, but beyond this rise the ground surface for the most part is quite level. A northwest-southeast trending ridge of gravel, approximately a mile long and 50 feet wide, occurs in sections 22 and 28. In the southern part of the township there are also a few deep valleys that dissect the plain in an east to west direction. The average elevation of the plain is 1,600 feet, and of the river, 1,300 feet.

The flood-plain of Qu'Appelle river is mantled with Recent alluvium to a depth of 5 to 40 feet, the deposit being

thickest near the river channel. With the exception of a small area in the southwestern corner that is mantled by boulder clay or till, the remainder of the township is covered by glacial outwash sands and gravels. In the eastern part of the township these deposits occur at the surface, but in the western part they are overlain by a thin covering of soil. Abundant supplies of usable water can be obtained from these glacial outwash deposits at shallow depth, so that where they occur it has not been necessary to attempt to locate water at depth.

In the area that is mantled by boulder clay, a fairly abundant supply of water is obtained from small deposits of sand and gravel that occur at depths of 10 to 20 feet in the drift. The individual wells generally yield a supply that is sufficient for 50 head of stock. A few wells have been drilled to depths of 60 to 100 feet, but they proved to be either dry, or yielded only small supplies of water. The best locations for shallow wells in this till-covered area are in the vicinity of the ravines.

Township 17, Range 31

The abrupt deep valley of Qu'Appelle river passes through sections 30 and 31. A low-lying area parallels Qu'Appelle valley, and contains two intermittent lakes. The southeastern corner of the township is mantled by a small moraine, the surface of which is rough and dissected by many deep ravines. In certain sections it is heavily wooded. An area in the southwestern corner is mantled by glacial outwash sands and gravels and the remainder of the township is covered by boulder clay or glacial till.

The main supply of water in this township is obtained from the glacial outwash gravels and from pockets of sand and gravel that occur within 20 feet of the surface in the glacial till and moraine. The supply from wells tapping the glacial outwash deposits and some of the pockets is abundant, and suitable for all farm needs. Some of the wells, however, that have tapped gravel

pockets are intermittent in character and are dependant upon the amount of annual precipitation for their supply. In a few sections holes have been bored to depths of 40 to 80 feet, and have encountered small supplies of hard, highly mineralized water in a fine sand aquifer. The sand usually plugs the well and shuts off the supply of water. Water has not been obtained from the glacial drift below a depth of 80 feet.

The Marine Shale series underlies the glacial drift of this township. In section 24 shale is reported at a depth of 60 feet or at an elevation of 1,565 feet above sea-level. In sections 16 and 22 the shale is at a depth of 80 and 65 feet, respectively, or at an elevation of 1,575 feet above sea-level. The valley and ridges in sections 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 32, and 33 are formed largely by the Marine Shale series which outcrops in sections 20, 30, and 31, and is overlain by a few feet of glacial drift in the other sections mentioned. In the area outlined by the "A" boundary line on Figure 1 of the accompanying map, an abundance of usable water is obtained at a depth of 10 to 50 feet in the shale. In dry years when the level of the water-table is lowered, the wells are deepened and sufficient water obtained. It has been found that the water from the shale is more highly mineralized at depth, but it is being used for all farm purposes. The individual wells tapping this water-bearing horizon will supply from 30 to 100 head of stock, and in a few of them the water level cannot be lowered by pumping.

This township with the exception of a few sections has no shortage of water and the water that is obtained is of a better quality than that found in other townships. It would not be advisable to drill to any great depth in an effort to locate water in this township as the Marine Shale series is generally non-water-bearing at depth. In places where the shale beds are near the surface, however, moderate supplies of water can usually be obtained

from the upper few feet of the beds.

Township 17, Range 32

Qu'Appelle river enters this township in section 34, flows south for 2 miles and then flows east, leaving the township in section 25. The part of the township that lies to the north of the river belongs to another municipality and is not discussed in this report. The area under discussion is deeply dissected by the tributaries of Qu'Appelle river. The two largest tributaries are Bear and Scissors creeks, the valleys of which are very steep-sided and are from 200 to 300 feet deep.

Deposits of Recent alluvium floor the valleys of Bear and Scissors creeks, and Qu'Appelle river. Small areas in the southwestern corner are mantled with glacial outwash sands and gravels, but the remainder of the township is covered by boulder clay or glacial till.

The uppermost water-bearing horizon is formed by the glacial outwash sands and gravels and by pockets of sand and gravel that are interspersed in the upper 30 feet of the glacial till. An abundant supply of medium soft water is obtained from the outwash deposits, but a number of holes are usually sunk before the pockets of sand and gravel are located. Water from these pockets is hard and highly mineralized and the supply is greatly affected by the amount of seasonal precipitation. However, **few farmers in the township** experience a shortage of water. A few wells sunk into the Recent alluvium along the creek and river obtain a fairly good supply of highly mineralized water.

The Marine Shale series underlies the glacial drift throughout the township. It outcrops in many places along the valleys of Bear and Scissors creeks, and Qu'Appelle river. In the area that is outlined by the "A" boundary line on Figure 1 of the accompanying map the shale comes very close to the surface. In this area an abundance of water is obtained from wells sunk 10 to

30 feet into the shale beds. The water is quite hard and highly mineralized, but it is used for all farm purposes. The water that is derived from the deeper wells in the Marine Shale beds contains a greater concentration of mineral salts in solution than does the water derived from the shallow wells.

Township 17, Range 33

The elevation of the surface of this township rises from 1,700 feet in the north to 1,900 feet above sea-level in the southwestern part. The deep valley of Bear creek occurs in the northern part of the township and steep-sided tributary valleys extend for a few miles into the township on the eastern side.

A part of a large moraine extends into the southwestern part of the township. A large area in the western part is mantled by glacial outwash sands and gravels and the remainder of the township is covered by boulder clay or glacial till.

The main supply of water in this township is obtained from discontinuous water-bearing horizons in the glacial drift. Wells sunk to depths of 10 to 20 feet in the glacial outwash deposits yield an abundance of medium hard water that is usable for all domestic purposes. The majority of these wells will supply 50 to 100 head of stock with water throughout the year. Small supplies of hard water are also obtained from pockets of sand and gravel that are interspersed through the upper 30 feet of the glacial drift. Some of these wells are intermittent and others are only used for domestic purposes. In the southeastern part of the township a few wells 30 to 60 feet deep penetrate a sand bed that yields small supplies of highly mineralized water. There is a shortage of water in a few sections in this area, and the residents are forced to haul water from wells having a permanent supply. In sections 3 and 10, two wells tapped a good supply of water in a sand bed at depths of 184 and 135 feet, respectively. The sand aquifer in the well on the SW. $\frac{1}{4}$, section 10, is underlain by the Marine Shale series. The

water is very hard and highly mineralized, but is being used for domestic purposes. Possibly other wells to this depth in this locality would tap this same water-bearing bed of sand.

Shale is reported as occurring within a few feet of the surface in sections 20 and 34, and in these two localities fair supplies of water are obtained from it at a depth of 25 feet. The Marine Shale series has not been encountered elsewhere in the township. It is not advisable to drill far into this shale if it is overlain by a thick deposit of drift, as in such places it is usually non-water-bearing.

Township 18, Range 31

Only an area of 4 square miles along the southern border of this township, which lies to the south of Qu'Appelle river, is discussed in this report. The surface of this area is rough and the land is not cultivated. Only one 14-foot well is located in the area and it yields a supply of water that is used for domestic purposes only, the stock being watered at the river. Fairly abundant supplies of water should be obtained from pockets of sand and gravel at shallow depths in the glacial drift in the area.

Township 18, Range 32

Only the part of the township lying to the south of Qu'Appelle river, comprising an area of approximately 6 square miles and including sections 4, 5, 6, and 8, and parts of sections 3, 7, 9, and 10, is discussed in this report. Four wells have been located in this area and they yield an abundant supply of usable water. Three of these wells have tapped deposits of sand or gravel that lie within 25 feet of the surface.

Marine Shale bedrock is encountered in the fourth well in the SE. $\frac{1}{4}$, section 5, at a depth of 22 feet. This well yields an abundant supply of hard, usable water.

There should be no shortage of water in the part of this township under discussion. Adequate supplies of water for

domestic use can be obtained from the upper part of the drift, and the stock can be watered at Qu'Appelle river.

Township 18, Range 33

Only the part of this township that lies to the south of Qu'Appelle river is discussed in this report. It consists of sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, and 9, and parts of sections 10, 11, 12, 16, and 17, and comprises an area of approximately 9 square miles. This area is dissected by many tributary valleys of Qu'Appelle river and is only sparsely settled. Only one well was reported. It is 20 feet deep and is located in the SW. $\frac{1}{4}$, section 12. It is obtaining a fairly abundant supply of highly mineralized water from deposits of Recent alluvium in a small valley. Numerous springs occur along the valleys and they and Qu'Appelle river can be used for watering stock.

Several outcrops of the Marine Shale were observed along the valley of Qu'Appelle river. Where this shale comes close to the surface, fairly abundant supplies of water are obtainable from the upper few feet of the rock. There should be no shortage of water in this township.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF WELL INFORMATION IN RURAL
MUNICIPALITY OF ROCANVILLE, NO. 151, SASKATCHEWAN

	Township	16	16	16	16	17	17	17	17	18	18	18	Total No. in muni- cipality
West of 1st mer.	Range	30	31	32	33	30	31	32	33	31	32	33	
<u>Total No. of Wells in Township</u>		90	83	115	93	68	105	45	119	5	18	2	743
No. of wells in bedrock		6	25	3	3	0	32	19	4	0	1	0	93
No. of wells in glacial drift		84	58	112	90	67	73	24	115	5	17	1	646
No. of wells in alluvium		0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	4
<u>Permanency of Water Supply</u>													
No. with permanent supply		53	75	79	37	38	73	4	46	1	11	2	455
No. with intermittent supply		14	2	5	5	5	5	3	3	0	0	0	42
No. dry holes		23	6	31	51	25	27	2	70	4	7	0	246
<u>Types of Wells</u>													
No. of flowing artesian wells		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. of non-flowing artesian wells		16	19	25	12	1	6	2	6	0	0	0	87
No. of non-artesian wells		51	58	59	30	42	72	41	43	1	11	2	410
<u>Quality of Water</u>													
No. with hard water		67	62	76	40	30	70	41	44	1	9	2	442
No. with soft water		0	15	8	2	13	8	2	5	0	2	0	55
No. with salty water		0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
No. with "alkaline" water		18	5	1	2	1	1	1	7	0	0	1	37
<u>Depths of Wells</u>													
No. from 0 to 50 feet deep		41	69	81	50	49	91	42	80	5	18	2	528
No. from 51 to 100 feet deep		44	9	17	29	17	14	3	37	0	0	0	170
No. from 101 to 150 feet deep		4	2	3	5	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	17
No. from 151 to 200 feet deep		0	2	7	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	17
No. from 201 to 500 feet deep		1	1	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
No. from 501 to 1,000 feet deep		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. over 1,000 feet deep		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>How the Water is used</u>													
No. usable for domestic purposes		56	69	73	38	40	72	41	46	1	11	2	449
No. not usable for domestic purposes		11	8	11	4	3	6	2	3	0	0	0	48
No. usable for stock		63	77	81	41	42	76	43	48	1	11	2	485
No. not usable for stock		4	0	3	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	12
<u>Sufficiency of Water Supply</u>													
No. sufficient for domestic needs		53	74	78	37	43	74	39	46	1	11	2	458
No. insufficient for domestic needs		14	3	6	5	0	4	4	3	0	0	0	39
No. sufficient for stock needs		44	57	65	28	34	64	32	43	1	11	2	381
No. insufficient for stock needs		23	20	19	14	9	14	11	6	0	0	0	116

ANALYSES AND QUALITY OF WATER

General Statement

Samples of water from representative wells in surface deposits and bedrock were taken for analyses. Except as otherwise stated in the table of analyses the samples were analysed in the laboratory of the Borings Division of the Geological Survey by the usual standard methods. The quantities of the following constituents were determined; total dissolved mineral solids, calcium oxide, magnesium oxide, sodium oxide by difference, sulphate, chloride, and alkalinity. The alkalinity referred to here is the calcium carbonate equivalent of all acid used in neutralizing the carbonates of sodium, calcium, and magnesium. The results of the analyses are given in parts per million--that is, parts by weight of the constituents in 1,000,000 parts of water; for example, 1 ounce of material dissolved in 10 gallons of water is equal to 625 parts per million. The samples were not examined for bacteria, and thus a water that may be termed suitable for use on the basis of its mineral salt content might be condemned on account of its bacteria content. Waters that are high in bacteria content have usually been polluted by surface waters.

Total Dissolved Mineral Solids

The term "total dissolved mineral solids" as here used refers to the residue remaining when a sample of water is evaporated to dryness. It is generally considered that waters that have less than 1,000 parts per million of dissolved solids are suitable for ordinary uses, but in the Prairie Provinces this figure is often exceeded. Nearly all waters that contain more than 1,000 parts per million of total solids have a taste due to the dissolved mineral matter. Residents

accustomed to the waters may use those that have much more than 1,000 parts per million of dissolved solids without any marked inconvenience, although most persons not used to highly mineralized water would find such waters highly objectionable.

Mineral Substances Present

Calcium and Magnesium

The calcium (Ca) and magnesium (Mg) content of water is dissolved from rocks and soils, but mostly from limestone, dolomite, and gypsum. The calcium and magnesium salts impart hardness to water. The magnesium salts are laxative, especially magnesium sulphate (Epsom salts, $MgSO_4$), and they are more detrimental to health than the lime or calcium salts. The calcium salts have no laxative or other deleterious effects. The scale found on the inside of steam boilers and tea-kettles is formed from these mineral salts.

Sodium

The salts of sodium are next in importance to those of calcium and magnesium. Of these, sodium sulphate (Glauber's salt, Na_2SO_4) is usually in excess of sodium chloride (common salt, $NaCl$). These sodium salts are dissolved from rocks and soils. When there is a large amount of sodium sulphate present the water is laxative and unfit for domestic use. Sodium carbonate (Na_2CO_3) "black alkali", sodium sulphate "white alkali", and sodium chloride are injurious to vegetation.

Sulphates

Sulphates (SO_4) are one of the common constituents of natural water. The sulphate salts most commonly found are sodium sulphate, magnesium sulphate, and calcium sulphate ($CaSO_4$). When the water contains large quantities of the sulphate of sodium it is injurious to vegetation.

Chlorides

Chlorides are common constituents of all natural water and are dissolved in small quantities from rocks. They usually occur as sodium chloride and if the quantity of salt is much over 400 parts per million the water has a brackish taste.

Iron

Iron (Fe) is dissolved from many rocks and the surface deposits derived from them, and also from well casings, water pipes, and other fixtures. More than 0.1 part per million of iron in solution will settle as a red precipitate upon exposure to the air. A water that contains a considerable amount of iron will stain porcelain, enamelled ware, and clothing that is washed in it, and when used for drinking purposes has a tendency to cause constipation, but the iron can be almost completely removed by aeration and filtration of the water.

Hardness

Calcium and magnesium salts impart hardness to water. Hardness of water is commonly recognized by its soap-destroying powers as shown by the difficulty of obtaining lather with soap. The total hardness of a water is the hardness of the water in its original state. Total hardness is divided into "permanent hardness" and "temporary hardness". Permanent hardness is the hardness of the water remaining after the sample has been boiled and it represents the amount of mineral salts that cannot be removed by boiling. Temporary hardness is the difference between the total hardness and the permanent hardness and represents the amount of mineral salts that can be removed by boiling. Temporary hardness is due mainly to the bicarbonates of calcium and magnesium and iron, and permanent hardness to the sulphates and chlorides of calcium and magnesium. The permanent hardness

can be partly eliminated by adding simple chemical softeners such as ammonia or sodium carbonate, or many prepared softeners. Water that contains a large amount of sodium carbonate and small amounts of calcium and magnesium salts is soft, but if the calcium and magnesium salts are present in large amounts the water is hard. Water that has a total hardness of 300 parts per million or more is usually classed as excessively hard. Many of the Saskatchewan water samples have a total hardness greatly in excess of 300 parts per million; when the total hardness exceeded 3,000 parts per million no exact hardness determination was made. Also no determination for temporary hardness was made on waters having a total hardness less than 50 parts per million. As the determinations of the soap hardness in some cases were made after the samples had been stored for some time, the temporary hardness of some of the waters as they come from the wells probably is higher than that given in the table of analyses.

Water from the Unconsolidated Deposits

No samples of water from the municipality of Rocanville were analysed. The water that is derived from the sand and gravel deposits in the moraine and glacial till contains a greater content of mineral salts in solution than does the water that is derived from the Recent alluvium and outwash sands and gravels. This fact is noticeable in this municipality, the waters from the glacial outwash deposits being described locally as moderately hard, or soft, whereas those from the glacial till and moraine are reported as being very hard and often "alkaline". As a rule the water from the glacial outwash deposits and Recent alluvium has an approximate total dissolved solid content of 500 to 1,000 parts per million, whereas that from the other glacial deposits has a total dissolved solid content varying from 1,000 to 4,000 parts per million. Care should be taken to see that the wells tapping aquifers close to the surface are not contaminated by surface waters containing sewage. In general, the water from the upper part of the glacial drift in this municipality is suitable for all farm purposes. The water that is obtained at depth in the glacial drift is highly mineralized and in many instances is not suitable for drinking as it has a laxative effect. It is however, suitable for stock.

Water from the Bedrock

The water that is obtained from the upper few feet of the Marine Shale series, where it comes close to the surface in this municipality, has much the same qualities as that obtained from the glacial drift. It is hard and contains a considerable amount of mineral salts in solution, the total solid content increasing with depth. Sodium chloride or common salt is more concentrated in the waters from the upper part of the shale than in those from the drift, and imparts a brackish taste to the water. It can generally be used, however, for all farm purposes. Any water that is encountered at depth in the shale will probably be too highly mineralized for either domestic use or for stock.

WELL RECORDS—Rural Municipality of ROCANVILLE, NO. 151, SASKATCHEWAN.

WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (-) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
1	NW.	1	16	30	1	Dug	30	1,600	- 14	1,586	25	1,575	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Sufficient for 40 head stock.
2	SE.	2	"	"	"	"	55	1,648	- 47	1,601	50	1,598	" "	Hard, "		D, S	" " 70 " " .
3	SW.	2	"	"	"	"	50	1,670	- 48	1,622	45	1,625	" "	" , " , iron		D, S	Small supply.
4	SE.	3	"	"	"	"	70	1,660	- 64	1,596	64	1,596	" sand	Hard, "		S	Intermittent supply; hauls from Welya well.
5	SW.	3	"	"	"	Spring	0	1,652	0	1,652	0	1,652	" "	" , " , iron		D, S	Abundant supply. Springs flows yearly.
6	NE.	4	"	"	"	Dug	62	1,660	- 58	1,602	62	1,598	" "	Hard, "		D, S	Waters 30 head stock.
7	SE.	4	"	"	"	"	38	1,650			38	1,612	" fine sand	" , "		D, S	Waters 50 head stock.
8	NW.	4	"	"	"	"	55	1,630	- 63	1,617	61	1,619	" sand	" , "		D, S	Good supply; general farm use.
9	SW.	4	"	"	"	"	60	1,680	- 40	1,632	55	1,625	" gravel	" , "		D, S	Waters 50 head stock.
10	SE.	5	"	"	"	"	25	1,685	- 17	1,668	22	1,663	" "	" , "		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
11	SW.	5	"	"	"	Bored	65	1,690	- 61	1,629	61	1,629	" fine sand	" , " , iron, sulphur		D, S	Pumps dry; refills in 20 minutes.
12	SE.	7	"	"	"	Dug	50	1,710	- 10	1,700	49	1,661	Marine shale	Hard, clear, red sediment		D, S	Sufficient for 50 to 70 head stock.
13	SE.	8	"	"	"	"	52	1,700	- 53	1,647	42	1,658	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Small supply; two other wells.
14	NW.	8	"	"	"	"	64	1,700	- 6	1,694	18	1,682	Marine shale	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
15	NE.	10	"	"	"	"	47	1,635	- 27	1,608	33	1,602	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Good supply for few head stock.
16	NE.	11	"	"	"	"	55	1,618	- 35	1,582	59	1,559	" "	Hard, clear, iron, "alk- aline"		D, S	Sufficient with dugout.
17	NE.	12	"	"	"	"	54	1,605	- 24	1,581	53	1,552	" "	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Intermittent supply; decreased 1932 to 1935.
18	NW.	14	"	"	"	"	60	1,610	- 25	1,585			" "	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Waters 50 head stock; two other wells also.
19	SW.	14	"	"	"	"	78	1,630	- 58	1,572	60	1,570	Marine shale	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
20	SE.	15	"	"	"	"	67	1,630	- 32	1,598	55	1,575	" "	Hard, clear		D, S	Waters 25 head stock.
21	SE.	15	"	"	"	"	60	1,658	- 48	1,610	50	1,608	" "	Hard, clear, alkaline"		D, S	Bountiful supply; no shortage.
22	SW.	15	"	"	"	"	60	1,670					" "				Dry holes; 20 dry holes dug; hauls water.
23	SE.	17	"	"	"	"	15	1,700	0	1,700	2	1,698	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Intermittent supply; depends on rainfall.
24	NE.	18	"	"	"	"	12	1,690	- 6	1,684	6	1,684	" gravel	" , "		D, S	Waters 30 head stock.
25	SW.	18	"	"	"	Drilled	100	1,690	- 30	1,660	95	1,595	" sand	Hard, clear, iron, "alk- aline"		D, S	Constant water level; waters 40 head stock; laxative.
26	SE.	20	"	"	"	"	320	1,670					Marine shale				Dry hole; 2 dry holes 100 and 125 feet in blue clay.

NOTE—All depths, altitudes, heights and elevations given above are in feet.

(D) Domestic; (S) Stock; (I) Irrigation; (M) Municipality; (N) Not used.
(#) Sample taken for analysis.

WELL RECORDS—Rural Municipality of.....ROXANVILLE, NO. 151, SASKATCHEWAN.....

WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (-) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
27	SW.	20	16	30	1	Dug	12	1,675	0	1,575			Glacial sand	Medium, hard, clear		D, S	Intermittent supply; depends on rainfall.
28	NW.	20	"	"	"	Drilled	150	1,665					" gravel				Dry hole.
29	NE.	22	"	"	"	Dug	54	1,625	- 53	1,572	34	1,561	" sand	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Sufficient with aid of 2 more wells.
30	SE.	23	"	"	"	"	70	1,615	- 25	1,590	50	1,565	" "	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		S	Intermittent supply; two similar wells.
31	SE.	24	"	"	"	Bored	80	1,620	- 54	1,566	54	1,566	" gravel	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		S	Intermittent supply; hauls water and uses dugouts.
32	NW.	24	"	"	"	"	90	1,575					" sand				Dry hole.
33	NE.	25	"	"	"	Dug	55	1,570	- 25	1,545			" clay	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Sufficient with other similar well.
34	SE.	25	"	"	"	"	72	1,580	- 59	1,511	70	1,510	" sand	Hard, clear, iron		S	Dry in 1935; hauls water; uses dugout.
35	SE.	27	"	"	"	"	65	1,590					" clay	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Small supply; dammed ravine.
36	NE.	28	"	"	"	"	10	1,600	- 7	1,593	0	1,600	" gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Bountiful supply; constant water level.
37	NW.	28	"	"	"	"	11	1,625	- 9	1,616		1,625	" "	" , "		D, S	Waters 40 head stock.
38	SE.	30	"	"	"	"	7	1,675	- 4	1,671			" "	" , " "alkaline"		D	Intermittent supply; two other wells supplies stock.
39	SW.	30	"	"	"	"	12	1,680	0	1,680	8	1,672	" fine sand	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Abundant supply; neighbours haul 15 tanks daily in dry seasons.
40	SW.	31	"	"	"	"	12	1,650	- 8	1,642	4	1,646	" sand, gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Waters 30 head stock.
41	NE.	33	"	"	"	"	14	1,590	- 10	1,580	0	1,590	" gravel	" , "		D, S	Strong supply.
42	SE.	34	"	"	"	"	14	1,580	- 6	1,574	2	1,578	" "	" , "		D, S	Intermittent supply; slough for stock.
43	SW.	34	"	"	"	"	65	1,592	- 35	1,557			" clay	" , " , "alkaline"		S	Intermittent supply; slow seepage.
44	SE.	35	"	"	"	"	50	1,570	- 25	1,545	25	1,545	" "	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Intermittent supply; hauls water.
1	SW.	1	16	31	1	Dug	32	1,715	- 12	1,703	32	1,683	Marine shale	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Strong supply; diversufficient.
2	SE.	1	"	"	"	"	20	1,700	- 10	1,690	10	1,690	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, sulphur		D, S	Intermittent supply; several wells supply needs.
3	NE.	2	"	"	"	"	30	1,700	- 10	1,690	30	1,678	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Strong supply.
4	SE.	3	"	"	"	"	11	1,725	- 5	1,720	5	1,719	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Abundant supply.
5	NE.	4	"	"	"	Drilled	60	1,725	- 40	1,685	80	1,645	" sand	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Sufficient with aid of dam and shallow well.
6	SE.	5	"	"	"	Bored	45	1,748	- 35	1,713	40	1,708	" gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Waters 50 head stock.
7	NW.	5	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,735	- 7	1,728	7	1,728	Marine shale	Soft, clear		D, S	Strong supply; six farmers haul from this well.
8	SE.	6	"	"	"	Drilled	70	1,760	- 36	1,724	65	1,695	Glacial gravel	Hard, cloudy, salty, iron		D, S	Sufficient for 40 head stock.

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WELL RECORDS—Rural Municipality of ROCANVILLE, NO. 151, SASKATCHEWAN.

WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (-) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
9	NW.	6	16	31	1	Drilled	110	1,775	- 55	1,720	110	1,665	Glacial clay	Hard, clear, iron		S	Slow seepage; insufficient.
10	SE.	7	"	"	"	"	140	1,755	-110	1,645	140	1,615	" fine sand	Hard			Well plugged with fine sand; two shallow wells.
11	NW.	8	"	"	"	"	170	1,740	- 70	1,670	170	1,570	" sand	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Small supply; shallow well for stock.
12	NE.	8	"	"	"	"	94	1,740	- 64	1,676	84	1,656	" gravel	Hard, cloudy, attacks iron		S	Strong supply;
13	SW.	9	"	"	"	"	160	1,735						Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for few head stock.
14	NW.	9	"	"	"	Dug	85	1,737	- 45	1,692	40	1,697	Glacial sand	" , "		D, S	Sufficient for 20 head stock.
15	NW.	10	"	"	"	"	35	1,722	- 30	1,692	35	1,687	Marine shale	" , " , iron		D, S	Small supply; two other wells.
16	SW.	11	"	"	"	"	62	1,720	- 22	1,698	62	1,658	" "	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Waters 40 head stock.
17	NW.	11	"	"	"	"	35	1,725	- 30	1,695	35	1,690	" "	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		S	Waters 20 head stock.
18	SE.	12	"	"	"	"	35	1,700	- 17	1,683	30	1,670	" "	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Sufficient for 60 head stock.
19	NW.	12	"	"	"	"	35	1,710	- 15	1,695	35	1,575	" "	Hard, red sediment		D, S	Waters 50 head stock.
20	NW.	14	"	"	"	"	35	1,705	- 17	1,688	35	1,670	" "	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
21	NE.	14	"	"	"	"	40	1,708	- 35	1,673	40	1,658	" "	" , " , iron		S	Waters 50 head stock.
22	NW.	15	"	"	"	"	32	1,715	- 17	1,698	32	1,683	" "	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
23	SE.	16	"	"	"	"	22	1,720	- 20	1,700	5	1,715	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Insufficient for 30 head stock.
24	NE.	16	"	"	"	"	25	1,725	- 19	1,706	20	1,705	" gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Waters 25 head stock.
25	SW.	18	"	"	"	"	20	1,755	- 17	1,738			" gravel	" , "		D, S	Sufficient supply; constant water level.
26	SE.	20	"	"	"	"	12	1,720	- 9	1,711	12	1,708	" "	" , "		D, S	Oversufficient supply.
27	NW.	20	"	"	"	Bored	85	1,718	- 35	1,683	85	1,633	Marine shale	" , "		D, S	Sufficient for 80 head stock.
28	NW.	21	"	"	"	Dug	20	1,717	- 17	1,700	10	1,707	Glacial sand	" , "		Steam locomotive	Small supply.
29	NE.	22	"	"	"	"	15	1,710	- 9	1,701	9	1,701	Marine shale	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 100 head stock.
30	SE.	23	"	"	"	"	28	1,695	- 10	1,685	28	1,667	" "	Hard, red sediment		D, S	" " 100 " " .
31	NE.	24	"	"	"	"	12	1,675	- 6	1,659	6	1,659	Glacial fine sand	Hard, clear		S	Oversufficient.
32	SE.	25	"	"	"	"	12	1,678	- 4	1,674	0	1,678	" sand	" , "		D, S	Waters a few head stock in dry seasons.
33	NE.	25	"	"	"	"	12	1,675	- 7	1,658	0	1,675	" "	Soft, "		D, S	Insufficient in dry years; has 3 similar wells.
34	NE.	25	"	"	"	"	25	1,680					Marine shale				Dry hole.
35	SW.	27	"	"	"	"	12	1,712	- 7	1,705	12	1,700	" "	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 20 head stock.

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WELL RECORDS—Rural Municipality of

ROCANVILLE, NO. 151, SASKATCHEWAN.

WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (−) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
36	NE.	29	16	31	1	Dug	15	1,708	- 11	1,697	0	1,708	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient supply.
37	SE.	30	"	"	"	"	6	1,730	- 3	1,727	0	1,730	" "	" , "		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock; spring well.
38	NW.	30	"	"	"	"	12	1,710	- 7	1,703	0	1,710	" gravel	Hard, " , iron		D, S	Sufficient with creek water and 2 other wells.
39	SW.	32	"	"	"	"	14	1,705	- 9	1,696	11	1,694	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Three similar wells supplies needs.
40	NE.	32	"	"	"	"	38	1,710	- 37	1,673	36	1,674	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Underground stream; strong supply.
41	SW.	33	"	"	"	Bored	50	1,710	- 10	1,700	50	1,660	Marine shale	Hard, cloudy, iron		D	Seepage very slow; another well supplies 50 head stock.
42	SE.	34	"	"	"	Dug	36	1,700	- 16	1,684	36	1,684	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Fills very fast after pumping.
43	NW.	34	"	"	"	Bored	30	1,690	- 15	1,675	0	1,690	" sand	" , "		S	Two wells for 25 head stock; hauls drinking water.
44	NE.	34	"	"	"	Dug	8	1,680	- 4	1,676	8	1,672	" "	Soft, "		D, S	Sufficient for 25 head stock.
45	NE.	36	"	"	"	"	14	1,665	- 2	1,663	12	1,653	" "	Hard, "		D, S	Sufficient for a few head stock.
46	NE.	36	"	"	"	"	12	1,670	- 2	1,668	0	1,670	" gravel	" , " , iron		D, S	Oversufficient.
1	SE.	1	16	32	1	Dug	13	1,800	- 6	1,794	13	1,787	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 200 head stock.
2	SW.	2	"	"	"	"	11	1,840	0	1,840	0	1,840	" "	Soft, clear		D, S	Good supply.
3	NE.	3	"	"	"	"	40	1,840									Three dry holes; hauls water.
4	SW.	4	"	"	"	Drilled	197	1,870	-187	1,683	190	1,680	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient supply; hard to pump.
5	SW.	5	"	"	"	Dug	42	1,895	- 22	1,873	42	1,853	" "	" , " , iron		D, S	Waters 50 head stock.
6	NE.	6	"	"	"	"	43	1,900	- 35	1,865	43	1,857	" "	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
7	SW.	7	"	"	"	Bored	42	1,905	- 22	1,883	42	1,863	" sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Strong supply.
8	SE.	8	"	"	"	Drilled	204	1,878	-124	1,754	204	1,674	" "	Hard, iron, cloudy		S	Oversufficient.
9	NE.	8	"	"	"	"	210	1,885	-140	1,745	200	1,685	" gravel	Hard, clear, iron		S	Supplies 100 head stock.
10	SE.	9	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,860	- 8	1,852	8	1,852	" "	Hard, clear		D, S	Not sufficient in long drought periods.
11	NE.	9	16	32	1	Drilled	380	1,855	-190	1,665	375	1,480	" sand	Hard, iron, clear		D, S	Strong supply; difficult to pump.
12	SE.	10	"	"	"	Dug	45	1,835									Number of dry holes 20 to 45 feet; hauls water.
13	SW	10	"	"	"	"	9	1,855	- 6	1,849	6	1,849	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D , S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
14	NW.	10	"	"	"	"	50	1,835	- 45	1,790				" , "		S	Dry in dry seasons; hauls water; has a dam and cistern.
15	NW.	11	"	"	"	Drilled	190	1,820					Glacial sand	Hard, iron, clear		S	Sand clogs well; dry holes 10 to 100 feet and no water.
16	NW.	11	"	"	"	"	100	1,820									Blue clay and no water.

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WELL RECORDS—Rural Municipality of ROCANVILLE, NO. 151, SASKATCHEWAN.

WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (−) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
17	SE.	12	16	32	1	Dug	24	1,750	- 20	1,750	20	1,750	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D	Sufficient for domestic use; two more wells and slough for stock.
18	SE.	13	"	"	"	"	50	1,775	- 23	1,752	35	1,740	" sand	" , "		D, S	Small supply; hauls water from small lake.
19	SE.	13	"	"	"	Drilled	230	1,775					Marine shale				Dry hole; hole closed in on drill.
20	NW.	13	"	"	"	Dug	55	1,770	- 60	1,710	50	1,710	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 150 head stock.
21	SE.	14	"	"	"	Drilled	190	1,790	-130	1,550	130	1,550	Marine shale	Hard, iron, clear		D, S	Oversufficient.
22	NW.	15	"	"	"	"	197	1,835	-165	1,570	197	1,538	Glacial black-sand	Hard, clear iron		D, S	Constant level when pumping.
23	NW.	16	"	"	"	"	152	1,850	-140	1,710	162	1,588	" sand	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Sufficient.
24	NE.	16	"	"	"	"	155	1,850	-135	1,714	150	1,700	" "	Hard, iron, cloudy		S	Sufficient for 100 head stock.
25	NW.	17	"	"	"	"	142	1,875	-136	1,739	120	1,755	" gravel	Hard, clear, iron		S	" " 200 " " .
26	SW.	18	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,895	- 5	1,890	5	1,890	" sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Oversufficient.
27	SE.	19	"	"	"	Drilled	95	1,875	- 81	1,794	95	1,779	" sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient; also has dam.
28	NW.	19	"	"	"	"	100	1,880	- 84	1,796	100	1,780	" "	" , " , iron		D, S	Oversufficient.
29	SE.	20	"	"	"	"	134	1,850	-110	1,750	110	1,750	" gravel	Medium hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 100 head stock.
30	SW.	20	"	"	"	"	154	1,872					" sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 150 head stock.
31	SW.	22	"	"	"	Dug	20	1,825	- 15	1,810	15	1,810	" gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient with similar well.
32	NW.	22	"	"	"	Drilled	262	1,805	-132	1,673	240	1,555	Marine shale	Medium hard, iron, cloudy		S	Oversufficient ,
33	SE.	23	"	"	"	Dug	32	1,785	- 17	1,768	32	1,753	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		S	Polluted by stock; strong supply; three other shallow wells.
34	NE.	23	"	"	"	"	30	1,750	- 27	1,733	24	1,735	" "	" , "		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
35	SE.	24	"	"	"	"	12	1,750	- 7	1,743	7	1,743	" "	Soft, clear		D, S	" " 50 " " .
36	NW.	24	"	"	"	"	55	1,745	- 41	1,705	55	1,591	" drift	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Intermittent seepage well.
37	NE.	25	"	"	"	"	5	1,730	0	1,730	0	1,730	" sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Flows in wet periods; abundant supply.
38	SE.	26	"	"	"	"	12	1,750	- 5	1,745	5	1,745	" gravel	Hard, clear,		D, S	Abundant supply for local needs.
39	SW.	27	"	"	"	Drilled	102	1,805	- 50	1,745	100	1,705	" "	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Oversufficient.
40	SE.	28	"	"	"	"	270	1,815	-170	1,645	270	1,545	" fine sand	Hard, clear, red sediment		D, S	Abundant supply but difficult to keep fine sand out.
41	SW.	29	"	"	"	Dug	8	1,850	- 3	1,857	3	1,857	" sand	Hard, clear		S	Dry in winter; melts snow.
42	NE.	31	"	"	"	"	32	1,850	- 15	1,845	15	1,845	" "	" "		D, S	Sufficient for 5 head stock.
43	SW.	32	"	"	"	"	50	1,850	- 40	1,810	40	1,810	" "	" , "		D, S	Sufficient with another similar well.

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WELL RECORDS—Rural Municipality of ROCANVILLE, NO. 151, SASKATCHEWAN.

WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (−) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
44	NE.	32	16	32	1	Drilled	216	1,825	− 40	1,785	216	1,609	Glacial fine sand	Hard, clear, iron		S	Stands steady pumping; shallow well for house.
45	SW.	33	"	"	"	Drilled	77	1,850	− 40	1,810	40	1,810	Glacial sand	Hard, iron, clear		D, S	Abundant supply.
46	SW.	34	"	"	"	Dug	25	1,790	− 18	1,772	18	1,772	" "	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 40 head stock.
47	NW.	35	"	"	"	Bored	87	1,749	− 20	1,729	87	1,662	" "	Hard, clear iron		D, S	Oversufficient.
48	SE.	35	"	"	"	Dug	40	1,748	− 37	1,711	40	1,708	" gravel	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Intermittent supply; decreased in 1932 to 1935; hauls from spring in section 36.
49	NW.	36	"	"	"	Dug	55	1,800	− 35	1,765	40	1,760	" gravel	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Abundant supply; no shortage.
50	NE.	36	"	"	"	Dug	8	1,680	0	1,680	0	1,680	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Good supply; numerous springs in same ravine.
1	SE.	1	16	33	1	Dug	45	1,925	− 42	1,883	42	1,883	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
2	NW.	2	"	"	"	Drilled	141	1,950	− 70	1,880	135	1,815	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Constant level; abundant supply.
3	SW.	2	"	"	"	Drilled	240	1,955					Marine shale				Dry hole; several slow seepage wells.
4	SW.	2	"	"	"	Drilled	68	1,955	− 30	1,925	60	1,895	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Small supply.
5	NE.	3	"	"	"	Dug	24	1,955	− 20	1,935	20	1,935	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Insufficient; hauls from NW¼, Section 2.
6	SW.	4	"	"	"	Dug	20	1,965	− 4	1,961	4	1,961	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Intermittent supply; hauls in dry years.
7	SE.	9	"	"	"	Drilled	216	1,955	− 70	1,885	200	1,755	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
8	SE.	10	"	"	"	Dug	50	1,950	− 20	1,930				Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Very small supply; uses slough for stock.
9	NE.	11	"	"	"	Dug	60	1,930								N	Dry hole; other dry holes; haul from spring.
10	NW.	12	"	"	"	Drilled	110	1,910	− 20	1,890	110	1,800	Glacial gravel	Hard, iron, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
11	SW.	12	"	"	"	Dug	20	1,925			20	1,905	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D	Household use only.
12	SW.	12	"	"	"	Drilled	170	1,925	− 50	1,845	170	1,755	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply.
13	SE.	14	"	"	"	Drilled	176	1,930	− 60	1,870	170	1,760	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, iron		S	Oversufficient supply.
14	NW.	14	"	"	"	Dug	40	1,920					Glacial drift				Dry hole; several similar dry holes.
15	NW.	15	"	"	"	Dug	20	1,955	− 11	1,944	11	1,944	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient supply.
16	SW.	16	"	"	"	Drilled	180	1,955	− 80	1,875	140	1,815	Glacial fine sand	Hard, iron, clear		D, S	Abundant supply; farmers haul from here.
17	SE.	17	"	"	"	Dug	50	1,950	− 30	1,930	50	1,910	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Oversufficient supply.
18	NE.	22	"	"	"	Dug	70	1,920	− 65	1,855	68	1,852	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Oversufficient supply.
19	SW.	23	"	"	"	Drilled	160	1,925	− 144	1,781	160	1,765	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.

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WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (-) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
20	SW.	23	16	33	1	Drilled	167	1,915	-156	1,759	167	1,748	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Oversufficient supply.
21	NW.	24	"	"	"	Dug	60	1,895	- 54	1,841	54	1,841	Glacial gravel	Hard, cloudy, iron		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
22	NE.	24	"	"	"	Dug	16	1,880	- 6	1,874	6	1,874	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient supply.
23	SE.	24	"	"	"	Dug	16	1,890	- 9	1,881	14	1,876	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient supply.
24	SW.	24	"	"	"	Dug	30	1,890	- 28	1,862	30	1,860	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 20 head stock.
25	SW.	25	"	"	"	Drilled	123	1,883	- 71	1,812	120	1,763	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Oversufficient supply; turns milky on standing.
26	NW.	26	"	"	"	Dug	70	1,890					Glacial drift				Dry hole; 10 dry holes dug.
27	NE.	26	"	"	"	Bored	74	1,890	- 71	1,819	71	1,819	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, iron		S	Yields 2 barrels per day.
28	SW.	26	"	"	"	Drilled	112	1,900					Glacial drift				Dry hole; 25 dry holes 12 to 112 feet deep.
29	SW.	27	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,925	- 2	1,923	2	1,923	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
30	NW.	32	"	"	"	Dug	40	1,955	- 38	1,917	38	1,920	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
31	SW.	33	"	"	"	Drilled	200	1,940	-140	1,800	180	1,760	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Oversufficient supply.
32	SE.	33	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,925	- 2	1,923	2	1,923	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Decreased; small supply.
33	NE.	33	"	"	"	Drilled	165	1,910					Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Good supply.
34	NW.	34	"	"	"	Dug	30	1,910					Glacial drift				Dry hole; numerous other dry holes.
35	SW.	36	"	"	"	Dug	60	1,880	- 52	1,828	60	1,820	Glacial sand	Hard clear		D, S	Small supply; sufficient for 16 head stock in 1934.
1	SW.	2	17	30	1	Dug	5	1,670	0	1,670	0	1,670	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Spring flows the year round.
2	SW.	3	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,670	- 5	1,665	5	1,665	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 150 head stock.
3	SW.	4	"	"	"	Dug	56	1,670					Glacial blue clay				Dry hole; has a dugout in ravine.
4	NW.	4	"	"	"	Dug	14	1,675	- 6	1,669	6	1,669	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
5	NE.	5	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,670	- 6	1,664	6	1,664	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply.
6	SW.	5	"	"	"	Dug	20	1,675	- 14	1,661	14	1,661	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
7	NW.	5	"	"	"	Dug	90	1,675	- 70	1,605	90	1,585	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 10 head stock.
8	SE.	6	"	"	"	Bored	120	1,680					Glacial blue clay				Dry hole; hauls from SW. ¼, Section 5.
9	SW.	6	"	"	"	Bored	100	1,680					Glacial blue clay				Dry hole; many dry holes; hauls water. Good location for dugout or dam.
10	NW.	6	"	"	"	Dug	11	1,680	- 5	1,675	5	1,675	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
11	NW.	7	"	"	"	Dug	7	1,670	- 4	1,666	4	1,666	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Cannot lower with farm pump.

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WELL RECORDS—Rural Municipality of.....

ROCANVILLE, NO. 151, SASKATCHEWAN.

WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (-) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
12	SE.	7	17	30	1	Dug	65	1,670	- 40	1,630	65	1,605	Glacial fine sand	Hard, cloudy, "alkaline"		N	Too highly mineralized for use.
13	SW.	8	"	"	"	Dug	13	1,665	- 10	1,655	10	1,655	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear			Sufficient for 50 head stock.
14	NW.	9	"	"	"	Spring	0	1,655	+ 3	1,658			Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	1½ inch stream ; piped to buildings below the spring.
15	NE.	9	"	"	"	Dug	7	1,650	- 3	1,647	3	1,647	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 100 head stock.
16	NW.	10	"	"	"	Dug	30	1,650	- 15	1,635			Glacial drift	Hard, clear		S	Sufficient for 10 head stock.
17	SE.	14	"	"	"	Dug	14	1,635	- 8	1,627	8	1,627	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 300 head stock.
18	NW.	14	"	"	"	Spring	2	1,645	0	1,645	0	1,645	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Abundant supply.
19	NE.	16	"	"	"	Dug	5	1,590	- 3	1,587	3	1,587	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Oversufficient supply; constant water level.
20	SW.	16	"	"	"	Dug	18	1,580	- 6	1,574	6	1,574	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
21	SE.	18	"	"	"	Dug	9	1,610	- 6	1,604	6	1,604	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
22	NW.	18	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,605	- 7	1,598	7	1,598	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 60 head stock.
23	NW.	19	"	"	"	Dug	50	1,590	- 23	1,567			Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Slow seepage well; sufficient supply.
24	SW.	19	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,605	- 7	1,598	7	1,598	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
25	SE.	19	"	"	"	Dug	5	1,600	- 3	1,597	3	1,597	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Cannot be emptied by pumping.
26	SW.	20	"	"	"	Dug	15	1,600	- 6	1,594	5	1,594	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 150 head stock.
27	NW.	22	"	"	"	Dug	3	1,600	- 1	1,601	0	1,600	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Flows year round; oversufficient supply.
28	SE.	22	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,615	- 8	1,607	8	1,607	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Always 2 feet of water.
29	NE.	27	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,600	- 9	1,591	9	1,591	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 200 head stock.
30	SE.	30	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,600	- 9	1,591	9	1,591	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Water comes in as fast as dipped out.
31	SW.	30	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,600	- 5	1,595	5	1,595	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		S	Small supply, but sufficient for local needs.
32	NW.	30	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,600	0	1,600	0	1,600	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 40 head stock.
33	SE.	31	"	"	"	Dug	14	1,400	- 11	1,389	13	1,387	Recent sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Insufficient for 20 head stock.
1	NE.	1	17	31	1	Dug	30	1,680	- 21	1,659	21	1,659	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, salty		D, S	Small intermittent supply; hauls water.
2	SE.	1	"	"	"	Dug	14	1,685	- 6	1,679	6	1,679	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 100 head stock.
3	SW.	1	"	"	"	Dug	7	1,685	0	1,685	0	1,685	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply; some haul from this well; cannot lower water level.
4	NE.	3	"	"	"	Dug	6	1,680	- 3	1,677	3	1,677	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
5	SE.	4	"	"	"	Dug	14	1,690	- 10	1,680	11	1,679	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 60 head stock.

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WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (-) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
6	SW.	4	17	31	1	Dug	12	1,690	- 7	1,683	9	1,681	Glacial sand	Hard, clear			Sufficient for 50 head stock.
7	NE.	6	"	"	"	Dug	9	1,620	- 6	1,614	6	1,614	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 25 head stock.
8	SW.	6	"	"	"	Dug	37	1,610	- 30	1,580	37	1,573	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 20 head stock.
9	NW.	6	"	"	"	Dug	16	1,615	- 14	1,601	13	1,602	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Insufficient; caving in; hauls water.
10	NE.	7	"	"	"	Dug	18	1,620	- 16	1,604	15	1,605	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 15 head stock.
11	NE.	8	"	"	"	Dug	8	1,670	- 3	1,667	3	1,667	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply.
12	SE.	10	"	"	"	Dug	30	1,660					Glacial blue clay				Dry hole; no. of dry holes dug.
13	NE.	10	"	"	"	Spring	0	1,630	0	1,630	0	1,630	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	One-half inch stream.
14	SE.	12	"	"	"	Dug	80	1,635	- 10	1,625	16	1,619	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		S	Intermittent; dam also for stock; hauls water 1 mile.
15	NE.	13	"	"	"	Dug	8	1,640	- 4	1,636	4	1,636	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
16	SE.	14	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,640	- 6	1,634	7	1,633	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
17	NE.	16	"	"	"	Dug	21	1,645	- 19	1,626	15	1,630	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 12 head stock.
18	SE.	16	"	"	"	Drilled	80	1,655	- 66	1,589	66	1,589	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Insufficient supply; fine sand fills in plug - ging well; hauls water and has a dam.
19	SW.	16	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,650	- 8	1,642	8	1,642	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
20	SE.	17	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,650	- 8	1,642	10	1,640	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
21	SW.	17	"	"	"	Dug	18	1,645	- 13	1,632	14	1,631	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
22	NW.	17	"	"	"	Dug	25	1,650	- 20	1,630	20	1,630	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	School well; good supply.
23	SE.	18	"	"	"	Dug	25	1,630	- 10	1,620	25	1,605	Glacial drift	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 60 head stock.
24	NW.	18	"	"	"	Dug	24	1,630	- 19	1,611	20	1,610	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
25	SE.	19	"	"	"	Dug	8	1,645	- 4	1,641	4	1,641	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply; oversufficient.
26	NE.	19	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,620	- 6	1,614	9	1,611	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Cannot lower with rotary pump.
27	NW.	20	"	"	"	Dug	25	1,655	- 20	1,635	20	1,635	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Oversufficient supply; constant water level.
28	SW.	20	"	"	"	Dug	50	1,670	- 42	1,628	42	1,628	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 300 head stock; also spring from shale outcrop.
29	SW.	20	"	"	"	Dug	26	1,660	- 20	1,640	20	1,640	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 60 head stock.
30	SE.	20	"	"	"	Dug	15	1,630	- 15	1,615	12	1,618	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Intermittent supply; hauls water from SW. 20-17-31.
31	NE.	20	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,660	- 8	1,652	8	1,652	Marine shale	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
32	NW.	21	"	"	"	Dug	8	1,660	- 1	1,659	8	1,652	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 100 head stock; has three similar wells.

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WELL RECORDS—Rural Municipality of.....

ROCANVILLE, NO. 151, SASKATCHEWAN.

WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (−) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
33	SW.	21	17	31	1	Dug	9	1,620	- 5	1,615	5	1,615	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Constant water level; sufficient supply.
34	SW.	22	"	"	"	Dug	65	1,610					Marine shale				Dry hole; hauls from NE. ¼, Section 22; many holes dug; all dry.
35	NE.	22	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,630	- 6	1,624	6	1,624	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 60 head stock.
36	SE.	23	"	"	"	Dug	60	1,625	- 10	1,615	52	1,573	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 35 head stock.
37	NE.	23	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,630	- 10	1,620	10	1,620	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Cannot lower water level by pumping.
38	NW.	24	"	"	"	Bored	60	1,625	- 10	1,615	60	1,565	Marine shale	Hard, clear iron		D, S	Sufficient for 40 head stock.
39	SW.	24	"	"	"	Bored	65	1,630	- 15	1,615	65	1,565	Marine shale	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Analysed and condemned but being used; waters
40	SW.	25	"	"	"	Dug	33	1,610	- 8	1,602	30	1,580	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	35 head stock; results not obtainable. Sufficient for 50 head stock.
41	NW.	26	"	"	"	Dug	28	1,620	- 14	1,606	22	1,598	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Intermittent, small supply; waters from well on NE. 27-17-31.
42	NE.	27	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,610	- 10	1,600	12	1,598	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S	Abundant supply; no shortage.
43	NE.	28	"	"	"	Bored	85	1,610	- 70	1,540	52	1,558	Glacial sand	Hard, cloudy, oily		S	Insufficient for 25 head stock.
44	SE.	28	"	"	"	Dug	23	1,620	- 15	1,605	23	1,597	Glacial stone	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 125 head stock.
45	SW.	28	"	"	"	Dug	28	1,630	- 18	1,612	18	1,612	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Pumps steadily into 15 barrel tank.
46	NW.	28	"	"	"	Dug	25	1,605	- 21	1,584	21	1,584	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
47	NE.	29	"	"	"	Dug	40	1,600	- 36	1,564	36	1,564	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 45 head stock.
48	SW.	29	"	"	"	Dug	42	1,595	- 31	1,564	31	1,564	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Also a 20-foot well in ravine. Sufficient for 75 head stock.
49	NE.	30	"	"	"	Dug	5	1,500	0	1,500	0	1,500	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Intermittent spring; hauls in dry years.
50	SE.	32	"	"	"	Dug	35	1,600	- 25	1,575	33	1,567	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 20 head stock.
51	NE.	32	"	"	"	Dug	19	1,375	- 16	1,359	16	1,359	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D,	Household use only; waters stock in Qu'Appelle River.
52	SW.	33	"	"	"	Dug	8	1,600	- 5	1,595	6	1,594	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply; constant water level.
53	SW.	35	"	"	"	Bored	33	1,610	- 19	1,591	33	1,577	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 15 head stock.
54	NE.	35	"	"	"	Dug	28	1,600	- 24	1,576	28	1,572	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 15 head stock.
55	SW.	36	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,605	- 7	1,598	7	1,598	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundance of water; never a shortage.
1	SE.	2	17	32	1	Dug	12	1,700	- 6	1,694	6	1,694	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
2	SW.	2	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,650	- 6	1,644	6	1,644	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
3	NE.	3	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,670	- 4	1,666	5	1,666	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Oversufficient; never dry.
4	SE.	3	"	"	"	Dug	25	1,710	- 22	1,688	22	1,688	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Cannot pump dry; oversufficient supply.

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WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (−) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geo:logical Horizon				
5	NW.	3	17	32	1	Bored	50	1,770	- 25	1,745	25	1,745	Marine shale	Hard, clear; "alkaline"		S	Sufficient for local needs; house well with strong supply.
6	NW.	4	"	"	"	Dug	27	1,760	- 24	1,736	27	1,733	Glacial rocks	Hard, clear		D, S	House well only; springs in ravine for stock.
7	SE.	5	"	"	"	Dug	7	1,705	- 4	1,701	4	1,701	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
8	SW.	5	"	"	"	Dug	40	1,810	- 38	1,772	40	1,770	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	For domestic purposes only; stock well for 15 head stock.
9	NE.	6	"	"	"	Drilled	56	1,810	- 40	1,770	50	1,760	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundance; pumps steadily to keep fresh.
10	SW.	6	"	"	"	Dug	25	1,830	- 22	1,808	25	1,805	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Cannot pump dry. Oversufficient.
11	SW.	7	"	"	"	Dug	52	1,800	- 50	1,750	52	1,748	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs; waters 27 head stock
12	NE.	7	"	"	"	Dug	26	1,790	- 23	1,767	26	1,764	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Always 3 feet of water; oversufficient supply.
13	SE.	8	"	"	"	Dug	35	1,750	- 33	1,717	35	1,715	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Intermittent supply; insufficient; hauls water.
14	NW.	10	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,550	- 6	1,544	6	1,544	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 25 head stock.
15	SW.	10	"	"	"	Dug	35	1,600	- 30	1,570	30	1,570	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient with second similar well.
16	NE.	15	"	"	"	Dug	25	1,700	- 10	1,690	25	1,675	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 30 head stock.
17	NW.	15	"	"	"	Dug	20	1,720	- 5	1,715	20	1,700	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply; never a shortage.
18	SE.	16	"	"	"	Dug	15	1,700	- 10	1,690	15	1,685	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 20 head stock.
19	NW.	16	"	"	"	Dug	45	1,710	- 40	1,670	45	1,665	Marine shale	Hard, clear			Insufficient supply; has another similar well.
20	SW.	16	"	"	"	Dug	20	1,720	- 17	1,703	17	1,703	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Abundance of water; cannot be emptied.
21	NE.	17	"	"	"	Dug	21	1,700	- 18	1,682	18	1,682	Marine shale	Hard, clear, odour		S	Condemned by Dept. of Health but used for stock; Hauls water for house.
22	SW.	17	"	"	"	Dug	42	1,720					Glacial blue clay				Dry; well on SE. ¼, 18-17-32 supplies this farm.
23	SE.	18	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,690	- 6	1,684	8	1,682	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply; cannot lower water level.
24	SE.	21	"	"	"	Dug	23	1,710	- 13	1,697	23	1,687	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Not a large supply; another well in shale oversufficient.
25	NW.	22	"	"	"	Dug	19	1,700	- 12	1,688	19	1,681	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Intermittent supply; uses spring in ravine.
26	NE.	22	"	"	"	Dug	23	1,400	- 17	1,383	17	1,383	Recent alluvium	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient with creek near buildings.
27	NE.	27	"	"	"	Dug	36	1,390	- 20	1,370	28	1,362	Recent alluvium	Hard, clear		D	Household use only; Qu'Appelle River for stock.
28	NW.	28	"	"	"	Dug	30	1,700	- 28	1,372	30	1,670	Marine shale	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
29	NW.	30	"	"	"	Dug	28	1,700	- 18	1,682	28	1,672	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
30	NE.	32	"	"	"	Dug	9	1,695	- 7	1,688	7	1,688	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 40 head stock.
31	SE.	32	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,705	- 6	1,699	6	1,699	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Comes in as fast as bailed.

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ROCANVILLE, NO. 151, SASKATCHEWAN.

WELL No.	LOCATION					TYPE OF WELL	DEPTH OF WELL	ALTITUDE WELL (above sea level)	HEIGHT TO WHICH WATER WILL RISE		PRINCIPAL WATER-BEARING BED			CHARACTER OF WATER	TEMP. OF WATER (in °F.)	USE TO WHICH WATER IS PUT	YIELD AND REMARKS
	¼	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.				Above (+) Below (−) Surface	Elev.	Depth	Elev.	Geological Horizon				
32	SE.	32	17	32	1	Dug	30	1,705			30	1,675	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Good supply but cribbing broken.
33	SE.	33	"	"	"	Dug	30	1,690	- 27	1,663	30	1,660	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D	Sufficient for house only; hauls water 1 mile for 10 head stock.
1	SE.	1	17	33	1	Dug	62	1,840	- 58	1,782	62	1,778	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	An abundance of water; no shortage.
2	NE.	2	"	"	"	Dug	25	1,810	- 21	1,789	25	1,785	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	No shortage; water located at 30 feet any place.
3	SE.	3	"	"	"	Dug	65	1,900					Glacial sand				Dry hole; other dry holes; hauls water from neighbours well.
4	NW.	3	"	"	"	Drilled	184	1,880	-137	1,743	184	1,696	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Abundant supply; dam for stock as well.
5	NW.	5	"	"	"	Dug	18	1,920	- 15	1,905	18	1,902	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, iron		D, S, I	Abundant supply; never a shortage.
6	SW.	9	"	"	"	Dug	18	1,880	- 15	1,865	18	1,862	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Just sufficient for 60 head stock.
7	NE.	9	"	"	"	Dug	18	1,830	- 12	1,818	18	1,812	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
8	SW.	10	"	"	"	Drilled	135	1,860	-105	1,755	135	1,725	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Sufficient for 65 head stock.
9	NE.	10	"	"	"	Dug	14	1,810	- 9	1,801	14	1,796	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S	Intermittent supply; has several wells; hauls water in dry years.
10	SW.	12	"	"	"	Dug	53	1,810	- 52	1,758	53	1,757	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply; no shortage.
11	SE.	12	"	"	"	Dug	56	1,810	- 63	1,747	66	1,744	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 20 head stock.
12	NE.	12	"	"	"	Dug	26	1,800	- 23	1,777	26	1,774	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 10 head stock; no shortage.
13	NE.	13	"	"	"	Dug	17	1,780	- 10	1,770	13	1,767	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S, I	Good supply; has a spring on farm also.
14	SW.	13	"	"	"	Dug	32	1,730	- 12	1,718	30	1,700	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Well needs a new cribbing; sufficient for 10 head stock.
15	ST.	14	"	"	"	Dug	42	1,800	- 14	1,786	42	1,758	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, iron		D, S	Cannot pump dry; neighbours haul from this well.
16	SE.	16	"	"	"	Dug	11	1,820	- 1	1,819	11	1,809	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S, I	Abundance of water; has a dam and another well.
17	NE.	16	"	"	"	Dug	14	1,800	- 4	1,796	14	1,786	Glacial sand	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
18	SW.	16	"	"	"	Dug	33	1,850	- 28	1,822	33	1,817	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear, "alkaline"		D, S, I	Sufficient for 15 head stock.
19	SW.	17	"	"	"	Dug	18	1,825	- 6	1,819	18	1,807	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundance of water with other well.
20	NW.	17	"	"	"	Dug	16	1,820	- 4	1,816	16	1,804	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs; waters 5 head stock.
21	ST.	20	"	"	"	Dug	20	1,840	- 10	1,830	20	1,820	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 60 head stock.
22	SE.	20	"	"	"	Dug	24	1,840	- 14	1,826	14	1,826	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 40 head stock.
23	NE.	20	"	"	"	Dug	25	1,800	- 8	1,792	8	1,792	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Good supply; has a dam also.
24	ST.	21	"	"	"	Dug	11	1,830	- 3	1,827	3	1,827	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S, I	Sufficient for 70 head stock.
25	SW.	23	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,800	- 8	1,792	8	1,792	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 15 head stock.

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26	NE.	25	17	33	1	Dug	35	1,700	− 32	1,668	32	1,668	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 20 head stock.
27	NW.	25	"	"	"	Dug	35	1,710	− 33	1,677	33	1,677	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 15 head stock.
28	SE.	27	"	"	"	Dug	35	1,720	− 15	1,705	35	1,685	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 15 head stock; Another well 30 feet deep, abundant supply.
29	NE.	27	"	"	"	Dug	9	1,710	− 6	1,704	6	1,704	Glacial gravel	Soft, clear		D, S, I	Sufficient for 80 head stock.
30	SE.	28	"	"	"	Dug	22	1,700	− 12	1,688	22	1,678	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 40 head stock. Lowers in dry seasons.
31	NE.	28	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,715	− 10	1,705	12	1,703	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	No shortage several similar wells.
32	SW.	28	"	"	"	Dug	14	1,680	− 10	1,670	10	1,670	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 50 head stock.
33	SW	32	"	"	"	Dug	20	1,710	− 16	1,694	16	1,694	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Insufficient for 15 head stock; has a flowing spring with abundant supply.
34	NE.	32	"	"	"	Dug	15	1,700	− 10	1,690	10	1,690	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs.
35	NE.	33	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,710	− 8	1,702	8	1,702	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 40 head stock.
36	NW.	34	"	"	"	Dug	12	1,720	− 6	1,714	10	1,710	Glacial gravel	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 20 head stock. Freezes down in winter.
37	SE.	34	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,730	− 4	1,726	4	1,726	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for 15 head stock.
38	NE.	34	"	"	"	Dug	14	1,675	− 7	1,668	11	1,664	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	School supply.
39	NE.	35	"	"	"	Dug	14	1,710	− 7	1,703	14	1,696	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S, I	Two wells supply sufficient water.
40	NW.	36	"	"	"	Dug	60	1,720	− 50	1,670	60	1,660	Glacial sand	Hard, cloudy		D, S	Intermittent supply; dug several dry holes; hauls water ½ mile.
1	SE.	5	18	31	1	Dug	14	1,440	− 12	1,428	12	1,428	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Sufficient for local needs. Uses spring and Qu'Appelle River.
1	SE.	4	18	32	1	Dug	6	1,450	− 1	1,449	2	1,448	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S, I	Household use; Qu'Appelle River for stock most of year.
2	SE.	5	"	"	"	Dug	22	1,560	− 19	1,541	19	1,541	Marine shale	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply with springs and creeks.
3	SE.	6	"	"	"	Dug	10	1,710	− 8	1,702	8	1,702	Glacial sand	Hard, clear		D, S	Abundant supply with springs.
4	NE.	9	"	"	"	Dug	6	1,425	− 0	1,425	0	1,425	Glacial sand	Soft, clear		D, S, I	Abundance of water; springs and Qu'Appelle R.
1	SW.	12	18	33	1	Dug	20	1,390	− 10	1,380	10	1,380	Recent alluvium sand	Hard, clear, iron, "alkaline"		D, S	Abundance of water; also Qu'Appelle River.

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