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J. Black April 4, 1973

Drilling out from under  $20^{\prime\prime}$  conductor set at  $747^{\prime\prime}$  KB with  $13-3/4^{\prime\prime}$  bit.

DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
800 - 30	30% Cement cavings. 70% Shell fragments - coral, turatella, mollusc.
830 - 60	40% Cement cavings. 60% Shell fragments.
860 - 90	50% Cement cavings. 50% shell fragments.
890 - 950	60% Cement cavings 40% Shell fragments.
950 - 980	50% cement cavings. 50% shell fragments.
980 - 1100	40% cement cavings. 60% shell fragments.
1100 - 1130	30% cement cavings 70% shell fragments.
1130 ~ 1220	10% cement cavings 30% shell fragments 60% sandstone, grey, very fine to medium grained, friable, porous, subangular, with scattered shell fragments, very calcareous.
1220 - 1250	10% cement cavings. 10% shell fragments 80% sandstone, as above.
1250 - 1370	10% shell fragments. 90% Sandstone, grey, very fine to medium grained, poorly sorted, friable, very calcareous.
. 1370 - 1640	80% Sandstone, light gray, very calcareous, porous with scattered shell fragments 20% Shell fragments.
1640 - 1670	80% Sandstone, as above, with trace medium gray platy limestone. $20%$ Shell fragments.
1670 - 1790	70% Sandstone 20% Limestone - Medium gray, platy, thin bedded. 10% Shell fragments.
1790 - 1940	80% Sandstone as above. 10% Limestone, as above. 10% Shell fragments.
1940 - 2000	00% Sandstone with trace limestone 20% Shell Fragments.
2000 - 2060	70% Sandstone - as above. 30% Shell fragments.
2060 - 2270	90% Sandstone, light grey, very fine grained, very calcareous, cement matrix. 10% Shell fragments

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2270 - 2690		100% Sandstone, light grey, very fine grained, silty very calcareous firm, with scattered shell fragments and few large forams.
2690 - 2720		80% Marl - light to medium grey, argillaceous, silty, soft. 10% Sandstone, as above. 10% Shell fragments.
2720 - 2750		60% Marl. 30% Sandstone, with trace light grey limestone 10% Shell fragments.
2750 - 2810		90% Marl 10% Sandstone
2810 - 2870		80% Cement cavings 20% Marl- with some sandstone as above
2870 - 2900		20% Cement cavings. 80% Mar1- light-medium grey, soft argillaceous silty, very calcareous.
2900 - 2990		100% Marl as above.
2990 - 3170		90% Marl 10% Limestone, tan-brown, fine grain to dense, slightly dolomitic.
3170 - 3530		100% Marl- as above, with few large forams and trace tan limestone.
3530 - 3710		90% Marl 10% Limestone, tan to brown, hard, fine grained, dense.
3710 - 4070		100% Marl as above with few large forams, trace tan limestone.
4070 - 4190		100% Marl, medium grey, firm to soft, very calcareous silty, trace brown limestone.
4190 - 4280		100% Shale, medium gray, very silty, very calcareous firm, trace fossiliferous.
4280 - 4460		90-100% Shale, as above with trace white fine grained sandstone, trace 10% bentonite limestone, dense, hard.
4460 - 4610		100% Shale, as above.
4610 - 4640		100% Shale, as above with trace coarse loose quartz grains.
4640 - 4700		No samples
4700 - 4970		100% Shale, as above
4970 - 5450	<u>*</u> %	100% Shale - medium gray, platy, soft to firm, silty fossiliferous, occasional light to medium gray, platy dense limestone.
5450 <b>-</b> 5660		100% Shale, medium gray, very calcareous, soft to firm, scattered large forams, occasional fine mica and traces gray platy limestone.
5660 - 5930		· 100% Shale, as above, but forams are smaller.
5930 - 6080		100% Shale, medium gray firm, very calcareous, very small forams, fine mica, trace medium grained round

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6080 - 6260	100% Shale, as above with traces light grey platy, limestone and scattered secondary calcite.
6260 - 6410	100% Shale, medium gray, fossiliferous, small forams and occasional pyrite replaced fossiliferous, firm some fine micac bus, few thin medium grained limestone stringers of se hard.
6410 - 6440	so sample.
6440 - 6590	Break over mud to lignosulphate. 100% Shale, as above with rare globular pyrite, scattered angular, medium to coarse lignite in samples are from lignosulphonate added to mud.
6590 - 6800	100% Shale, as above, with rare fill glauconite grains, trace pyrite, trace coarse white quarts, fossiliferous.
6800 - 7040	100% Shale, medium to dark grey, firm to hard, fissile, finely micaceous, fewer fossils, with medium to coarse well rounded white quartz grains.
7040 - 7070	Samples in hole at time of hang off for storm. Riser and hydril parted during storm. Resumed drilling after 8 days.

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Οn	bottom	after	9	days.	Riser	parted.	Hole	ín	good	condition.
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7069-80 Shale - lt./med. grey, firm/soft, calcareous, trace pyrite, fossils 7080-7100 Shale as above 7100-40 Shale - as above, with slight trace glauconite 7140-80 Shale as above but slightly silty, slight trace glauconite and pyrite 7180-7220 Shale - medium grey, silty, firm, trace pyrite, trace fine grained sand. 7220-7260 Shale, medium grey, soft trace tan dolomite, trace pyrite replaced fossils. 7260-80 Shale as above with trace light bentonitic marl 7280-7300 Shale as above with increase of light grey-white marl, trace detrital 7300-40 Shale - light grey soft, bentonitic calcareous with trace loose very fine grained sand Trace pyrite and slight trace detrital coal 7340-7400 Shale - as above with very slight trace sand, trace brown grey limestone. 7400-40 Shale as above with light grey white marl, bentonitic 7440-60 Shale as above 7460-80 Shale with abundant light grey marl (20%) 7480-7500 Shale - medium grey, platy, firm with abundant white bentonitic mar1 50% 7500-20 50% shale as above 50% marl - light grey-white, sticky soft bentonitic 7520-30 30% shale 70% Marl 7530-40 40% shale as above with trace pyrite 60% marl 7540~50 50% shale - as above, with trace pyrite and trace very fine grained sand. 50% marl 7550-70 40% shale 60% Marl 7570-80 30% shale 70% Marl - white, very sticky, bentonitic 7580-90 60% shale - greenish grey slightly micaceous 40% marl 60% shale 7590~7620 40% marl

7620-7650

80% shale 20% marl

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7650-7660 50% shale - green grey firm 50% marl - grey-white, soft sticky, bentonitic 40% shale - green grey firm 60% marl - grey-white, soft, sticky, bentonitic 7660-70 7670-80 60% shale 40% marl 7680-7700 100% shale - medium grey, silty, fine micaceous, fossils 7700-30 100% shale - as above 7730-40 100% shale - as above 7740-50 100% shale - as above with trace very fine grained sandstone 7750-70 100% shale - as above with trace glauconite, trace calcite 7770-80 100% shale - medium  $\cdot$  grey, very silty, fossils 70% shale 7780-90 30% siltstone - brown-grey, glauconitic, firm 7790-7800 50% shale 50% siltstone, as above, very glauconitic. 7800-10 40% shale 60% siltstone - tan, very glauconitic, firm **`7810-20** 40% shale 60% siltstone - tan, very glauconitic, firm 7820-30 50% shale 50% siltstone - as above 7830-40 20% shale 70% siltstone, very glauconitic 10% sandstone, very fine grained, tan firm, trace fluorescence, fair cut. 7840-42 20% shale 40% siltstone, very glauconitic 30% sandstone, tan, very fine to fine grained, very glauconitic, very pyritic, good fluorescence, fair cut 10% Sand - white, well rounded quartz, ferrugenous. stained, good fluoresence, abundant glauconite included in a pyrite matrix Pulled out to Run Core Bbl. for Core #1. Strap out T.D. measured 7840' Ran very light weight on bit, drill break difficult to pick exactly

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Sample Descriptions A.J. Mebberson 23rd August, 1972.

7925-30	100% cavings (Lakes Entrance) Trace loose sand, coarse, well rounded
7930-60	100% cavings, trace sand as above
7960-90	60% cavings (Lakes Entrance) 40% coarse to medium grained, loose well rounded sand grains, trace spotty scattered fluorescence (caved)
7990-8000	80% cavings as above 20% sand, loose, as above, no shows.
8000-8040	100% sand, fine to very coarse generally coarse, sub-angular to well rounded, quartz, loose. No shows.  Trace cavings of Lakes Entrance shale
8040-60	100% sand, coarse, loose as above
8060-70	100% sand as above
8070-80	100% sand as above, increasingly medium grained, white, frosted.
8080-90	100% sand, white frosted, generally medium grained (very fine grained to coarse), No shows
8090-8100	50% sand as above, No shows 50% shale, grey, fissile, slightly calcareous Trace coal, black, brittle
8100-10	90% shale as above 5% coal as above 5% sand as above
8110-40	70% shale as above 20% coal as above 10% sand as above, trace Fe stain
8140-70	80% sand as above 20% coal as above, trace Fe stain
8170-80	100% sand, medium coarse generally medium, frosted, Fe stained
8180-8220	80% sand as above, generally coarse, some Fe stain, trace pale brown mineral fluorescence 10% shale as above 10% coal as above
8220-30	90% sand as above, some very coarse, well rounded, frosted, generally medium to coarse 10% shale as above, trace coal as above
8230-60	100% sand as above, generally coarse grained some pebbles, rounded Fe stained, most clear to frosted, white, sub-angular to well rounded. Trace shale and coal as above
8260-8300	100% sand as above Trace shale as above

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8300-20	60% sand as above, generally medium grained 40% shale as above
8320-30	50% sand as above 50% shale as above
8330-40	90% shale as above, 10% sand as above
8340-60	100% shale as above, trace sand as above
8360-70	100% shale as above
8370-8420	80% shale as above 20% sand as above
8420-30	80% sand as above, generally medium grained 20% shale as above
8430-40	90% sand as above 10% shale as above
8440-50	70% sand as above 30% shale as above
8450-60	100% sand as above, slightly coarser grained
8460-70	90% sand as above $10%$ shale as above, trace very fine grained to coarse grained
8470-8511	100% sand as above
T.D. 8511'	