

# CANADA

## DEPARTMENT OF MINES

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### MINES BRANCH

#### Recent Publications

Iron Ore Occurrences in Canada, Vol. II. Compiled by E. Lindeman, M.E., and L. L. Bolton, M.A., B.Sc. Introductory by A. H. A. Robinson, B.A.Sc.

The Copper Smelting Industry of Canada. Report on, by A. W. G. Wilson, Ph.D.

Building and Ornamental Stones of Canada (British Columbia). Vol. V., by W. A. Parks, Ph.D.

Peat, Lignite and Coal; their value as fuels for the production of gas and power in the by-product, recovery producer. Report on, by B. F. Haanel, B.Sc.

Annual Mineral Production Reports, by J. McLeish, B.A.

The Coal-fields and Coal Industry of Eastern Canada, by F. W. Gray.

Occurrences and Testing of Foundry Moulding Sands. Bulletin No. 21, by L. H. Cole, B.Sc.

Analyses of Canadian Fuels. Parts I to V, by E. Stansfield, M.Sc., and J. H. H. Nicolls, M.Sc.

Clay Resources of Southern Saskatchewan, by N. B. Davis, M.A., B.Sc.

Summary Report of the Mines Branch, 1917.

The Mineral Springs of Canada. Part II., by R. T. Elworthy, B.Sc.

The Mines Branch maintains the following laboratories in which investigations are made with a view to assisting in the development of the general mining industries of Canada:—

**Fuel Testing Laboratory.**—Testing value of Canadian fuels for steam raising and production of power gas; analyses, and other chemical and physical examinations of solid, liquid and gaseous fuels are also made.

**Ore-Dressing Laboratory.**—Testing of Canadian ores and minerals, to ascertain most economical methods of treatment.

**Chemical Laboratory.**—Analysing and assaying of all mineral substances and their manufactured products. Copies of schedules of fees, which are slightly in excess of those charged by private practitioners, may be had on application.

**Ceramic Laboratory.**—Equipment is such that complete physical tests on clays and shale of the Dominion can be made, to determine their value from an economic standpoint.

**Structural Materials Laboratory.**—Experimental work on sands, cements and limes is also undertaken.

Applications for reports and particulars relative to having investigations made in the several laboratories should be addressed to The Director, Mines Branch, Department of Mines, Ottawa.

### GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

#### Recent Publications

Summary Report. The annual Summary Report of the Geological Survey is now printed in parts. Applicants should therefore, state what particular geologist's report is required, or what subjects they are interested in.

Memoir 95. Onaping Map-Area, by W. H. Collins.

Memoir 105. Amisk-Athapapuskow Lake district, by E. L. Bruce.

Memoir 107. Road materials in the vicinity of Regina, Saskatchewan, by L. Reinecke.

Memoir 108. The Mackenzie River basin, by Charles Cam-sell and Wyatt Malcolm.

Memoir 109. The Harricanaw-Turgeon basin, northern Quebec, by T. L. Tanton.

Memoir 110. Preliminary report on the economic geology of Hazelton district, British Columbia, by J. J. O'Neill.

Memoir 112. Geology of the district belt of southwestern Alberta, by J. S. Stewart.

Map 42A. Duncan sheet, Vancouver Island. Geology.

Map 44A. Sooke sheet, Vancouver Island. Geology.

Map 115A. Sheep river, Alberta. Topography.

Map 164A. St. John, New Brunswick. Topography.

Map 179A. Onaping; Sudbury and Timiskaming districts, Ont. Geology.

Map 183A. Harricanaw-Turgeon basin; Abitibi, Timiskaming and Pontiac, Que. Geology.

Map 1585. Mackenzie River basin. Geology.

Map 1680. Portions of Grenville, Harrington, Chatham and Wentworth townships, Argenteuil county, Quebec. Geology.

Maps 1697 and 1698. Explored routes in a belt traversed by the Canadian Northern Ontario railway,—in two sheets: Sheet 1 Gogama to Missonga, Sudbury district; Sheet 2 Oatland to Penhurst, Algoma district, Ontario.

Map 1690. Whiteburn Gold District, N.S. Geology.

Map 1702. Klotassin, Yukon Territory. Geology.

Map 1708. Bridge river, Lillooet district, B.C. Topography.

Map 1710. Bothwell-Thamesville oil region, Kent county, Ontario.

Map 1712. Foothills of Southern Alberta, St. Mary river to Hignwood river. Geology.

Map 1714. The Niagara peninsula, Ontario. Geology.

Map 1715. The Ontario peninsula. Geology.

Applicants for publications not listed above should mention the precise area concerning which information is desired.

The Geological Survey will, under certain limitations, give information and advice upon subjects relating to general and economic geology. Mineral and rock specimens, when accompanied by definite statements of localities, will be examined and their nature reported upon.

Communications should be addressed to The Director, Geological Survey, Ottawa.