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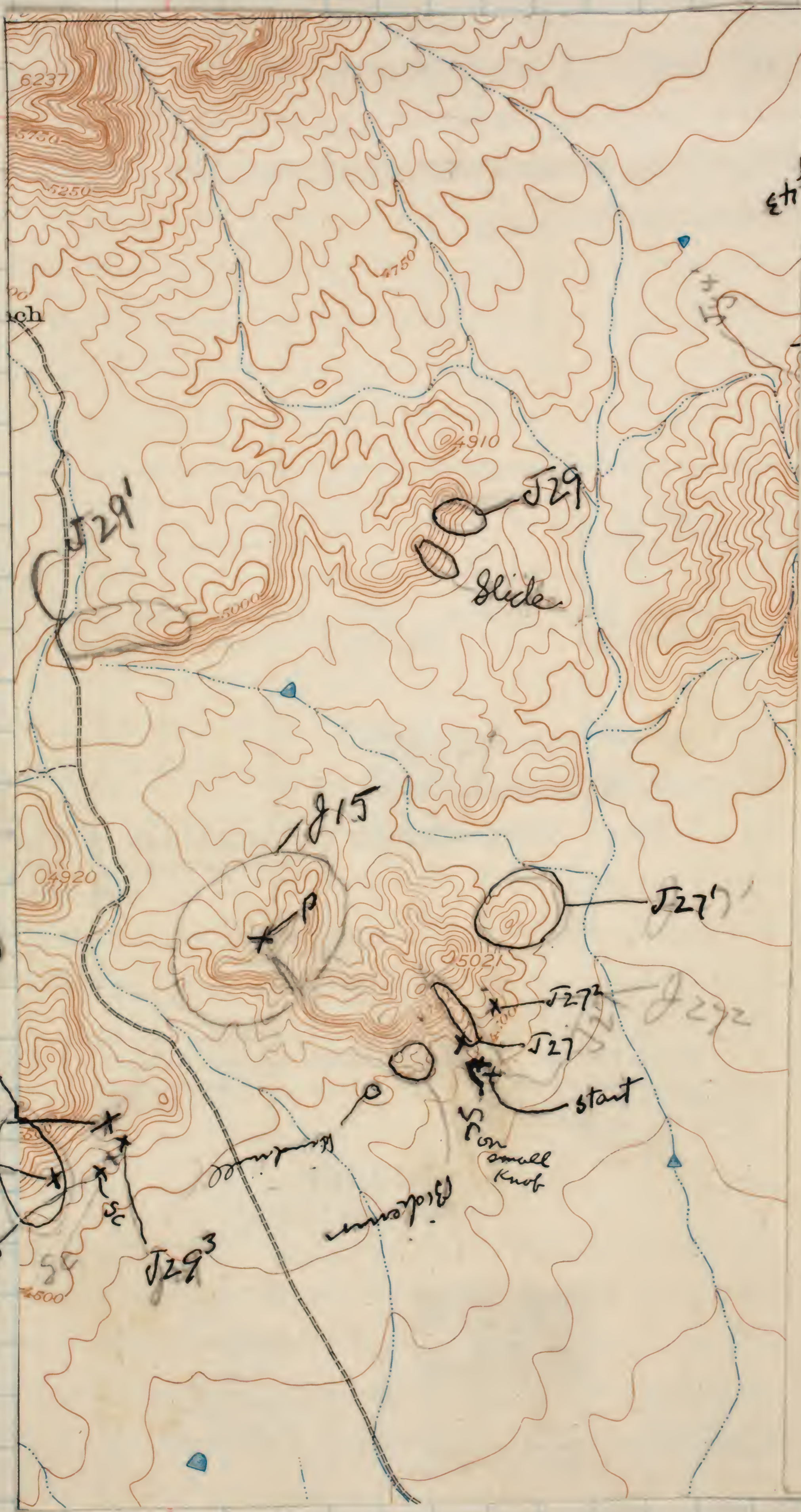
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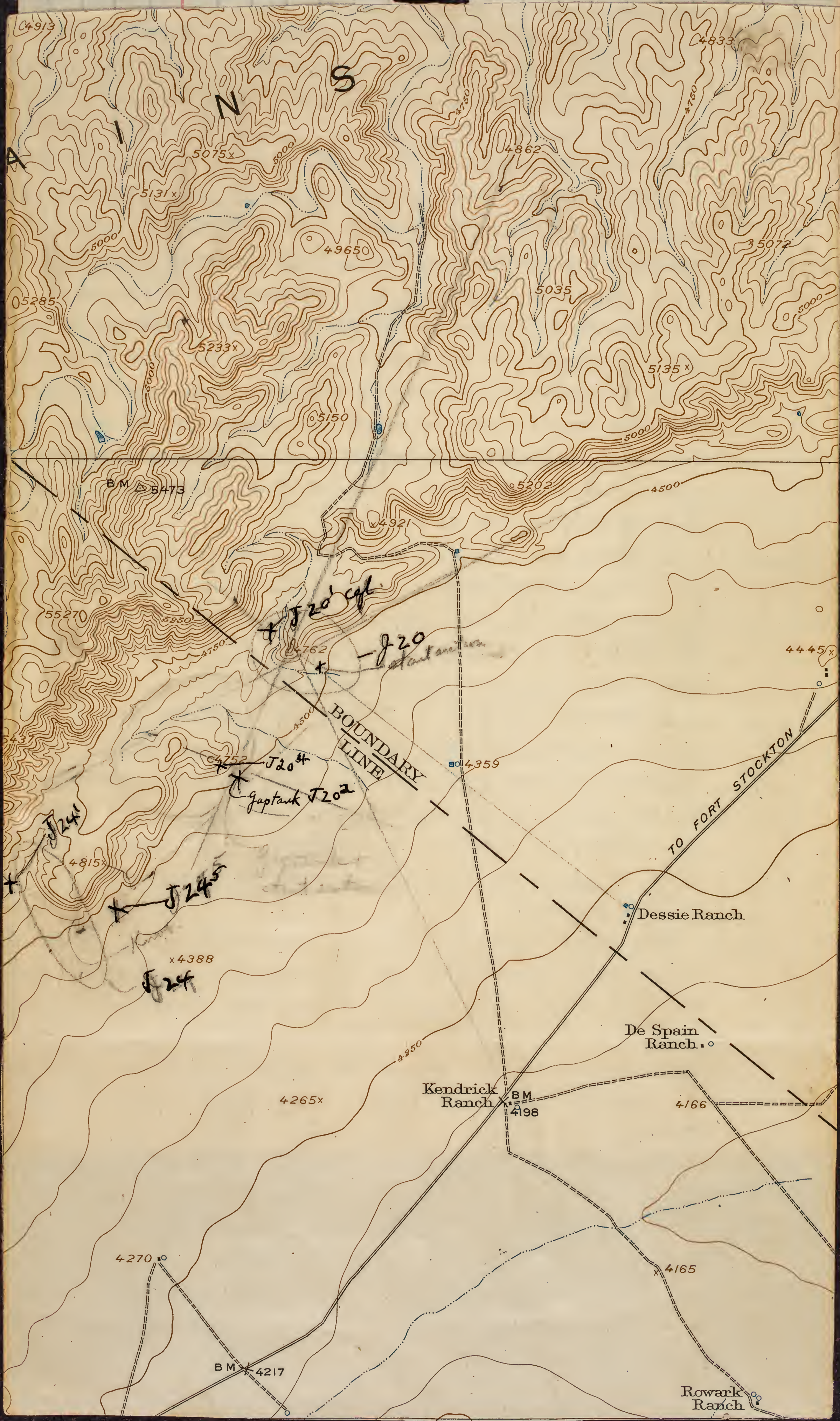
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BM 5880 Leonard Mtn

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BM 4361

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Record of Pictures  
1957

- 1 Hill 4815 and foothill
- 2 West side Hill 4815 + foothill
- 3 To N west of Knot J 24
- 4 East end Wolfcamp Hills in afternoon <sup>light</sup>
- 5 View from top of knot showing dip
- 6 East end Windmill hill
- 7 West end Windmill hill showing <sup>separating</sup> of ledge
- 8 " " " " " " / Bioherm
- 9 Looking N on front Windmill hill show "
- 10 Clay slide
- 11 J 29 " front
- 12 Sullivan Peak

WC

Sandy sh. - covered 53

Gray ls. 35

Brown sandy ls 39

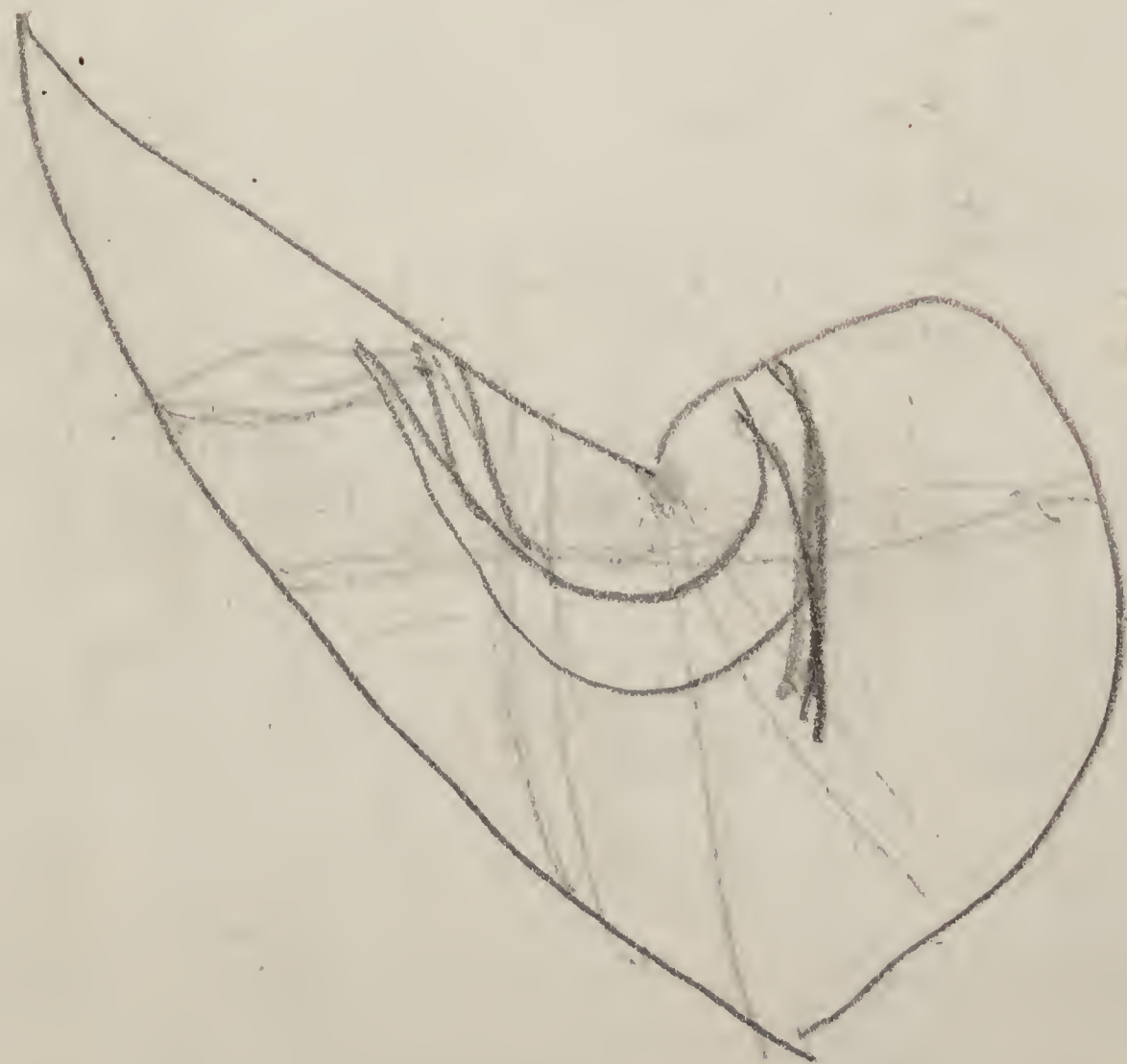
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5th ls. 43

Blue gr. sh. 35

4th ls. — 2

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## Record of pictures 1951

## Pack I

1. Tension unconformity Leonard Mtn.
2. South face Leonard Mtn.
3. Looking N at Hess + Leonard #1 from Des. Ct.
- 4 " " " " } saddle in windmill section
- 5 " " " " } showing merging of ls.
- 6 " NE " " " "
- 7 Desie R looking N at end section starting on Normalite
- 8 " " " " W " gressa " " "
- 9 J 16 - top of Hess ledge
- 10 Bisham J 13' + J 16'
- 11 " " " " " "
- 12 " " " " " "

## Pack II

- 1 Wolfcamp shale NW of Desie R. J 16'
- 2 Dugout Mtn.
- 3 Saptank Bisham
- 4 Blank
- 5 East end W.C. Hills
- 6 " " " "
- 7 Wolfcamp silhouette at saddle
- 8 Blank
- 9 June 20 - Brooks R - hill 4762
- 10 Blank
- 11 Goniatite bed Hill 4752
- 12 Profile from goniatite Hill  
toward Wolfcamp Hills.

W.C.

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June 6 Ordovician on Pressmer's House  
and Buren Quadrangle.

Chert cgl. in contact with  
Knox dolomite, about 5' above base  
in reddish calcarenite found  
Rosticellula. Section above is  
marble or calcarenite for some  
400 feet. About 300 feet above  
base is a shaly band in road  
to house. This contains Dinorthis  
atavoides, Parrorthis, Cytonotella  
and is Lincolnshire. Thin bedded  
limestones in the marbles  
contain D. atavoides. Part of the  
marble is thus Levee and  
Lincolnshire. The marble above  
the shaly Lincolnshire is the  
Rockdell of Cooper = Ward Cove  
in part. On top of the marble  
is Benbolt, followed by limy  
Wardell. On upper Wardell  
yellow and red Moccasin  
fingers appear followed by  
a long sequence of Moccasin.  
The Witten is in a Moccasin  
lithology.

The remarkable part of this  
section is the long basal  
sequence of marble = Murat  
in part.

5060  
4975  
85

4975  
4800  
175  
75

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June 11

SE slope Leonard Mtn.  
Section started above cgl at 4850  
at 4975 comes first limestone  
conglomerate.

at 5050' fusulines, in cgl.

" 5060 Scacchinella. Found  
brachial valve of Parentelites.  
Beds above Scacchinella not  
markedly conglomeratic.

Above Scacchinella beds rock  
is a sugary calcarenite which  
is dolomitized on top of the  
small knob. The knob is  
about 5100-5150 on crest.

Barometer is 5150 on very top.  
5245' on slope Fusulinid sample  
in calcarenite.

5290-5300' comes base of thick cgl.

Thus there are 240' of calcarenite  
above the <sup>thin</sup> Scacchinella beds.

5430-40 Scacchinella bed. Base  
of Hess.

5560 contact of granular ls  
calcarenite with dolomite  
Top of dolomite at 5750'

On top of dolomite is a  
bedform of flatish silicified  
algae, the reticulate marginifera  
Barometer at top of Mtn is 5860  
checking BM absolutely.

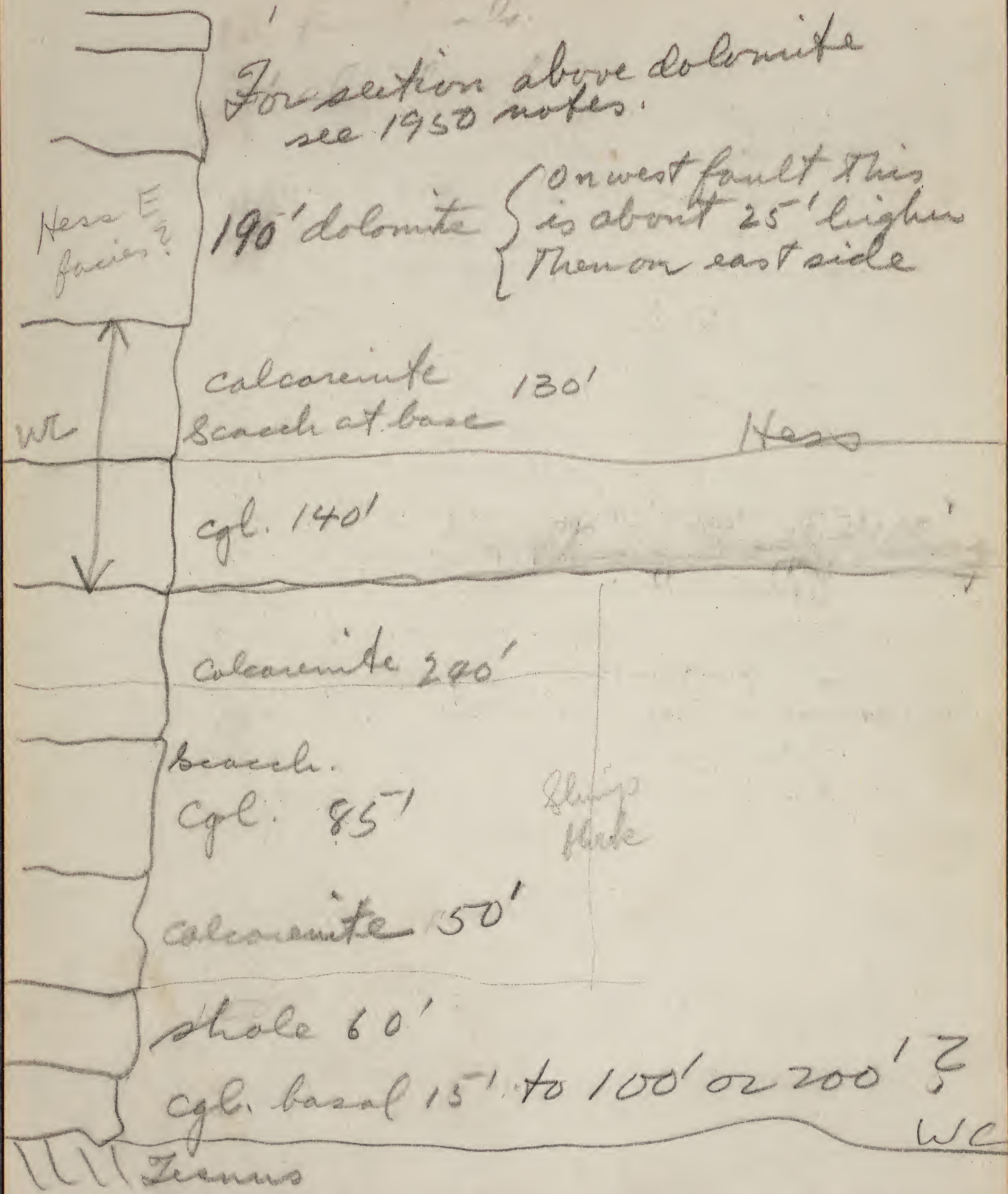
The rock on the top knob is  
massive granular ls.

5300  
5060  
540

560  
5430  
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570  
5560

For section above dolomite  
see 1950 notes.



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On the knob NW of BM can be seen platy shale capping knob of massive Hess granular ls all overlying dolomite

yellow shaly Leonard.

massive Hess

Going NW to base of knob NW of BM 5860 we follow along flat granular ls beds capped by massive biohermal ledges. This rock seems to thicken as the dolomite thins to NW. At base of NW knob at 5760' comes a thin layer of yellow shale, probably 8-10'. Biohermal beds follow for 120' followed by yellow shale for 8'. The main biohermal ledge is about 30' thick. The bioherm is followed by 45' silicious shale platy ls and yellow thin-bedded shale. This is the base of Kings old Leonard. This must just underly Uncinuloides which I have on the N side of Leonard Mtn.

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140  
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5060  
4800  
260

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For shale in canyon - Sight on high ridge of WC hills N 70° E. Sight on ranch SE of WC hills is due E

My section is not in accord with King's. He divides the Hess + WC 150' below the 140' egl. This contact may be in the interval between top of knob to base of main mass of mountain. Plotting the section should straighten this out.

The *Sacchinella* bed high on the Mtn. at 5430-40' is about 20' thick and consists of a biohermal hump surrounded by egl. The bed has very little lateral extent. A peculiar elongate orthotetid rather than *Sacchinella* is the most abundant shell. The *Heliospongia* is also present.

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June 12 Followed contact of Tesnus and conglomerate west on Leonard Mtn. The cgl. evidently is laid on a very irregular surface because ditches occur in the Tesnus that extend more than 100'. Patches of shale were seen in several places above the cgl.

Up ravine nearly to head - Ravine cuts down east side of knob. The knob makes a bare rounded slope against the ravine. On the east side of the ravine a rounded mass of dolomite occurs with top at about 5000'. Near base of dolomite knob occurs layers with potato clip algae and orange ls. At 5075 occurs shale exposure with uddenites lithology under large Cedar tree. Here abundant *Prod. lasalleus* and a few other fossils.

Wolfcamp type lithology can be seen in the slope clear to head of ravine at about 5250'. The Wolfcamp lithology is thus higher than the knob with *Scacchinella*. The shale seems to occupy the sides of the knobs and probably filled in between them.

The flat at 4850 where we park, probably is a shale slope.



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Here we found goniatites but the cgl. on the east side of the flat extends up 50' on the west side across the gully shale occurs in the lower part of the knob. This would make the shale all of 350' thick between knobs.

The goniatites occur at about 5100'.

FJ12 - at 5100 feet under a ledge of hard limestone came a shale slope having fossils. Some of the rock is blue and nearly like the paste in some of the bryozoa, potato chip algae common, fusulines abundant in lenticular masses.

On following the cgl-Terms contact it became apparent that considerable relief was etched on that surface. The cgl. thickens and thins. Usually some shale can be found above the contact throughout a range of 300'. The saddle on the Scacchinella knob is probably made by weathering away of this shale.

The area may be looked at as a great thick shale

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containing bioherms. On the west side of our Leachinella knob 2 bioherms are visible. The lower one is separated from the upper by a shale. The beds of the upper one dip up to the west and seem to be truncated by the heavy limestones of the main mass of the mtn. This may be King's unconformity but the dips look to be tied up with the bioherms.

4950  
9015  
4625  
140  
275

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June 13. - Exactly 25' above the Devonian novaculite occurs a lenticular layer of cgl. with rounded & ragged pebbles. This contains Artinskia and other goniatites. It is thus at the very base of the Wolfcamp sequence.

Location of Leptodus knob on Decie R. -  
 Poplar tank -  $S 60^{\circ} E$   
 Decie Ranch -  $S 12^{\circ} E$   
 Arnold Ranch -  $S 11^{\circ} W$   
 Crest of hill (Windmill) -  $N 60^{\circ} E$

J13'

When looking at Leonard ls. #1 from below massive biohermal ledges can be seen in the layer. Top of Hess at 4675'. Bioherm in Leonard #1 ls  $S 53^{\circ} E$  of Poplar Tank at 4815'.

Decie Ranch  $S 10^{\circ} E$ . Top of ls. at 4950' where it makes a flat. Above lower bioherm occur cherts, thin shale but upper half in coarse ls. cgl. Retikulite marginifera just above lower reef. Another bioherm appears above the lower one. Lower one about 15' by 60' cgl. on W side of lower reef. Cgl about 50" thick, small pebbles throughout but some

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heavy ls. ~~but~~ boulders  $1\frac{1}{2}'$  in diameter at ~~the~~ 25' down. The lower 25' have much sand and are a real ss. Next 20' down is in upper bioherm. Under bioherm are mealy cobbles. Remainder of section about 60' are in thin yellow shale and ls beds up to 1' thick. 20' under upper bioherm comes the reticulate marginifera which is commonly on silicious skins on flat ls beds, about 10' above lower bioherm. The measurements were taken from the base of the lower bioherm. This is thus included in the lower 60' under the upper bioherm.

The fauna of the bioherm is rich in *Wellerella* which look just like those taken out of the Hess below. It is possible some of the Hess blocks are float from above but I recall getting blocks with similar fossils in place. This particular bioherm abounds in small productids suggesting *Strophosira*.

The occurrence of *Artinskia* at the base of the WC suggests that the WC changes age westward. King, p. 135 notes

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that the basal WC conglomerates of section 11 pass out by overlap to the east.

In the *Actiniskia* locality few other fossils were found. The rock is fresh and fossils do not break out well. I was unable to find *Scacchinella* at this place.

June 14

Section on nose north of Hess Ranch.

110  
32  
6  
11 dol  
3  
162

Section started at point A. To top of cgl. by hand level 110' going due north. Cgl. succeeded by dark gray granular ls. 32'.

Granular massive ls. forming reef dump 6'.

Dolomite 11' followed by 6' quartz ss and this by 3' to top of hill. Formed in cgl. dolomite. From base to top of hill is thus 162'. The ss forms a small syncline or possibly a lentil.

Strike on ss  $N50^{\circ}E$  dip  $12^{\circ}NW$

Starting section on ss

N for 141 paces in massive granular, fine, dolomite

$N28^{\circ}E$  74 paces same dolomite

$N35^{\circ}W$  44 paces same dolomite

$N12^{\circ}W$  89 " "

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At this point I am on the hillside over the *Scacchinella* locality (which is  $N 75^{\circ} W$  of this point). The dolomite here is coarsely granular and has big crinoid stems.

N 51 paces coarsely xln dolomite

N 25 E 89 same coarse dolomite

N 35 W 12 paces coarse dolomite

N 35 W 132 paces finely granular

blue gray massive ls. at 29 paces comes richly fossiliferous and *Entolites* in smooth green gray Leonard type ls.

N 35 W 40 paces dolomite massive granular and dolomitic cgl.

This was a ls cgl. now dolomitized

N 48 W 73 paces granular massive

ls and dolomitized ls. of same

type. Barometer 4900'

N 22 W sight on Hess gate 260 paces in massive granular ls & dolomite.

After completing the section I examined the *Scacchinella* beds. These have no regular dip and seem to lie on the mountain side rather than being a part of the Mtn. I saw no trace of *Scacchinella* in the dolomites. This section I think is high Wolfcamp and Hess.

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June 15.

Daniel Jarvis has goniatites from Cisco and Wolfcamp he will send the Museum.

The cgl just N of The Hess house look like lower Wolfcamp cgl., because they have numerous brown sandy boulders and sandstone

Note - It must be recalled that Bill Allen found a goniatite in the shale at the base of the knot on Leonard Mtn.

Section at Windmill on  
Deer Run.

Basal cgl is 20' thick

at 4575 is top of biohermal bump  
Barometer 4500 forming a small flat. 25' above  
comes another small bump.

4600' dip N35E 14° NW on sandy  
bed near top of second bump.  
Top at 4600' bump of massive  
granular ls. with small pebbles +  
corals at top.

4640 found patches of shale.  
Probably most of covered slope is  
shale.

4710' under main saddle comes  
cgl, sandy and with small  
chert pebbles. I think all of the  
slope from top of bioherm with



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corals is shale.

4750 To top of cgl. The lower half of the cgl. is very sandy & in places shaly. Upper half is solid sandy ls. packed with small chert pebbles.

4800 To top of saddle. Thick *Saccchinella* bed is conglomeratic with ls & chert pebbles in lower part. Otherwise it is granular and biohermal and very massive.

Barometer out by 100 feet which should be divided among the intervals. The saddle is actually at 4900'. The two knobs on each side of the saddle may be biohermal humps. There is a shale between the *Saccchinella* and the humps. The shale disappears to the east.

North end Windmill Hill

J 15 - handleveling begun at 4775. Long dip slope of limestone has small *Entelites*, sponges and *Leptodus* on the surface. The saddle just below the J 15 is made up of biohermal limestone with some ls cgl on the south side and in the topmost part. Small chert pebbles also present. Handlevelling to peak  $N30^{\circ}W$  strike  $N52^{\circ}E$  dip  $18^{\circ}NW$  Compass set at  $18^{\circ}$ .

22 H<sub>2</sub> steps in yellow shale and thin-bedded ss = about 120'

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Covered 10'.

HL steps - at 20'<sup>25'</sup> above covered interval Perinites abundant. 25'-40' above covered interval bedded. Thick dolomite, 40-65' biohermal ls with small pebbles. 65'-100' massive fine grained unfossiliferous dolomite without fossils. 100'-138' platy sandstone + sh. yellow thin bedded, ss layers up to 2". 138-163 to top of knob all in massive fine-grained sugary dolomite. On the long dip slope of the center lobe of this hill Perinites occurs. I think this is ls #3-4 of the Leonard.

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The beds in the saddle of the Windmill section = the 50' foot Hess in the hills to the west.

South end Lenoir Hills

Top of Hess at 4666'

4664  
92  
4552  
304  
4856

J 16 - 92' above stream comes base of Hess ledge here very conglomeratic. At 157' comes brink of hill with flat beds of ls. N 24° E dip 11° NW. At 146' comes top of massive cgl. ledge mapped as Hess. Eleven feet higher comes flat bed on which dip is measured.

157' - 166' comes top of low hill. Rock in this interval is thick beds of ls at bottom, cgl, and near top thin beds of dark gray ls. Some interbedded chert or ls + a little yellow shale. N 53° E 11° NW

4770

166 - 218' Bedded ls, beds up to 1' thick separated by shale. Beds often cgl. At top 1 1/2 - 2' bed of yellow weathering ls.

4950  
176 380  
4874 218  
162

218 - 304' mostly covered in bottom half but mostly thin platy yellow shale in upper half.

4930'  
4950' to top of hill

304 - 380'

- Decie Ranch S 35° E
- Poplar Tap S 85° E
- Sullivan Peak N 10° E

4950  
862  
4788

Mostly biohermal limestones with numerous fossils some thick-bedded ls with flat chert layers.

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I searched this bioherm carefully from top to bottom for *Scacchinella* but found only a doubtful one. It has *Streptobryachia* just like the Wolfcamp ones and those that occur in the upper Hess sponge beds. I suspect this bed correlates with the sponge bed and the fossil bed on the crest of the mts. It is possible that Ls #1 ties up with the fossil bed of King that overlooks the Wolfcamp hills.

J16<sup>2</sup> Picture 12 on pack one. Bioherm base at 4860'. This bioherm proved to be a great mass of huge cobbles. We are probably on the fringe of it. Poplar tank! 553° E, Deche Ranch 511° E

The bioherm at J13' measures 4860' by barometer.

In the bioherm of J16<sup>2</sup> one boulder measured more than 4 feet in its longest axis.

J16<sup>3</sup> - At the place where I have collected most of my big *Scacchinella* about 92' below the base of the Hess ledge is the base of a thick shale. 15' vertically from the base of the shale comes goniatites & *Ammonites*.

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The Wolfcamp seems divisible into 2 parts, a cgl. in the lower half or two-thirds and shale and ss in the upper half or one-third. The two small knobs at the front of the hills are in cgl. but are overlain by shaly sandstone, soft, pink and yellow in color. This can be seen in 2 ravines on the dip slope of the knobs. The shale contains layers of yellow sandstone, cgl pebbled with small pebbles. The shale may or may not be overlain by cgl. at loc 163. goniatites occur 62' vertically below the Hess with Artinskia in the upper zone. The lower zone occurs 77' below the Hess ledge. We followed the shale from the west side of the hills nearly to the east side. The only good exposures are the ones marked. In places the sh is overlain by cgl which is directly overlain by the Hess. If this cgl. is interpreted as Hess unconformity is suggested.

Hess

Clay  
Sh  
with  
SS + cglfine  
SS

50'

Cobb  
ls +  
Cgl

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J 16<sup>1</sup> - About 116' of clay shale with some cgl and ss beds in lower 20 or 30'. Contains snails and occasional goniatites = 160'

June 17

Location of goniatite bed S63°E on Poplar Tank, S14°E on Decie Ranch. Location is 50' below this point.

Lower Hills

J 17<sup>1</sup> - Good exposure of platy ss shaly ss and cgl. with a few fossiliferous limy bands. Fossils include productids, *Darbyia* and a fragment of *Seschinella*. Just south of this exposure, platy ls. and bioherms (without fossils) appear interbedded with the cgl.

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Bowsher  
notes p. 245

Strike N34°E dip 15°NW. The exposure is on a line S54°E of Poplar Tank. Thin platy, yellow sandy shale strongly resembles the Leonard above. Some cherty and sandy beds resemble the Leonard.

J 17<sup>2</sup> - Good exposure of upper shale in ravine S42°E of Poplar Tank. Alternating blue sh, yellow ss and cgl. Saw no good fossils. The ss beds are thin and numerous generally brown weathering.

92  
15  

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97  
15  

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The lower half of the cgl is also variable along the Utu front. Where Actinospira occurs it is a ls cobble cgl but with some chert. At the Leptodus ledge limestone cobble cgl. can be traced laterally into quartzic cgl with little or no limestone.

On the west end of the Utu shale predominates between the cgl & the Hess. The lower 30' contained some sandy & cgl beds but the remainder is mostly clay shale.

I suspect that the shale in the windmill section is related to the upper shale but here is overlain by a thick cgl. I suspect that all these beds have an interlocking arrangement and are facies of one another.



Dugout Mtn.

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June 18 - Barometer reading at start - 4420'. Gap tank seen on mountain front up to 4670'. Top of Wolfcamp cgl. at 4770' where shale is exposed under crest of mountain.

Saddle between Hess ledge and cgl mass to NE is occupied by yellow platy, silicious shale of Leonard type. It also contains some thick (1-1 1/2') ledges of ls. with silicious skin on top. They look like upper Hess at S end of hills north of Decie Ranch. The saddle is at 4870'.

At 5020' comes a 3-4' ledge of sparsely cgl. limestone. Below this occurs mostly paper, yellow shale. Another cgl ledge about 2' thick occurs about 5070' up in this interval.

At 5095 on NE edge of mtn comes base of main massive ledge which is limestone rubble cgl. in lower part but with some silicious pebbles.

The main high ledge contains granular limestone of Hess type with some small bryozoans, I did not see *Scacchiella* but

5095  
4870  
225'

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The lithology in several places is right for it.

Top of mtn at 5195.

The ascent from 5095 to top of mtn. is all in very massive ls., some ls. cgl. and some flat, Thick-bedded ls.

I walked northwest along the rim of the hill and over a long spur to 5110 feet which is the top of ls #1 from the crest of the mtn.

Here lumpy silicious yellow brown rock appears to a low knob made up of cgl. ls, mostly thin-bedded. Small biohermal lumps. Fossils are present. This is evidently ls #2.

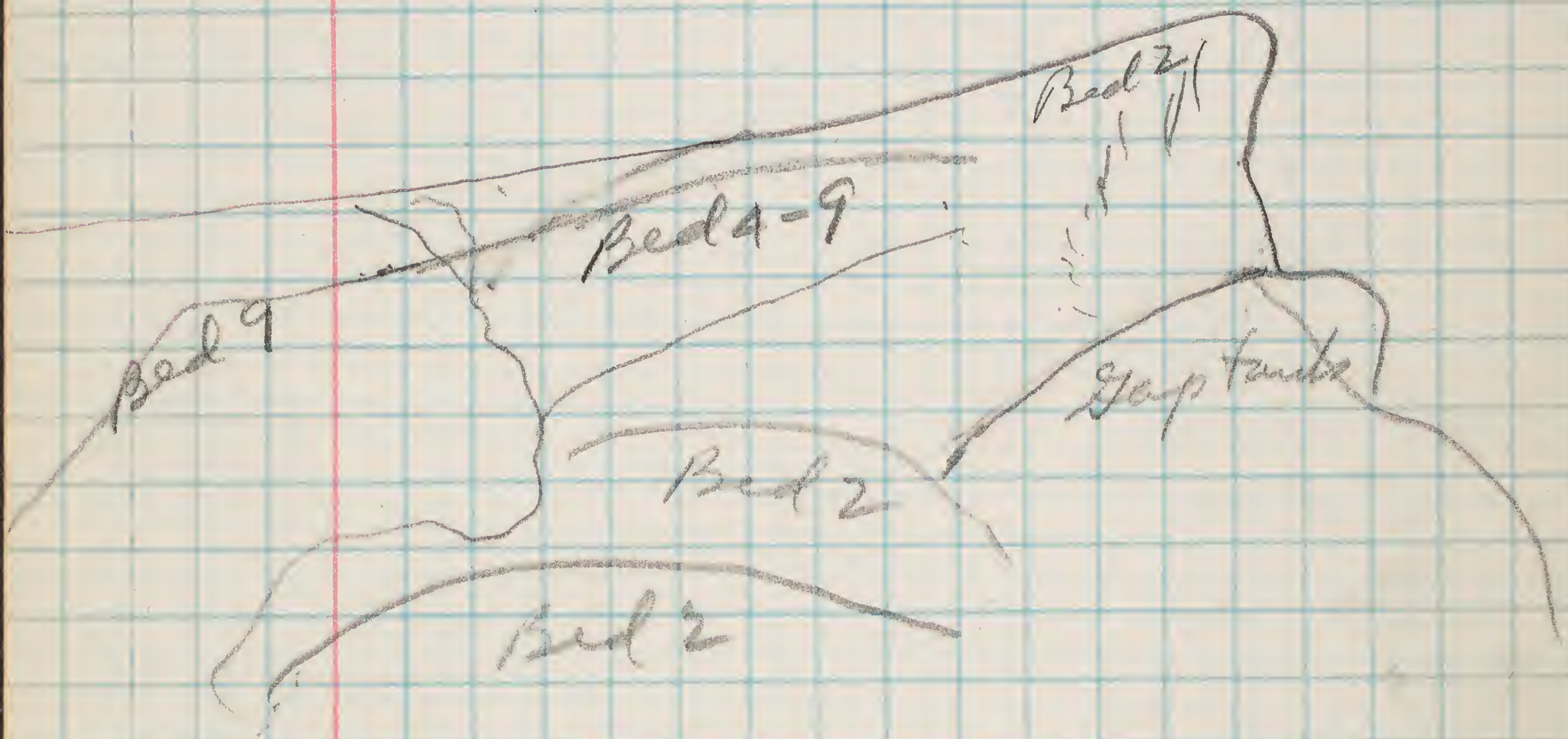
Another small lump (hill 4811) is capped by ls. but it does not appear to be strongly biohermal. As elsewhere the main ledge of ls #1 seems the end of the big bioherms.

Dip and strike above Hess ledge -  $N62^{\circ}E 16^{\circ}NW$   
 $N18^{\circ}E 10^{\circ}NW$ .

The shale appears to be all of 100 feet thick at the west end of the exposure. The goniatites occur in cgl. ls. in the midst of the shale.

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June 19 - Wolfcamp Hills  
 Looking east on long slope  
 of Bed 2, shows that beds 9-4  
 lap onto the sloping face of  
 Bed #2. A gully cuts down  
 on the shales in this wedge



About 50' of shale occurs between  
 the cgl and the last flat yellow  
 ls. at the top of the Wolfcamp.  
 The Hess cgl. is almost wholly  
 a ls. cobble cgl. Silicious pebbles  
 or any pebbles other than ls  
 ones are rare.

J. 19 - small bioherm of  
 cream-colored marble ls  
 definitely ls. #2. I suspect ls #2  
 appears on the dip slopes of  
 the thickened upper ls of the  
 Alderbank zone. This ls seems

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To go under the big knob at 4952 but it is possible that the mass is a thickened knob of the Uddenites zone, I favor the view that the knob is ls #2 rather than Uddenites.

J. 19 The upper Uddenites ls is very thick just west of hill 4952. The ls #2 of the knob lies on a thin shale between the knob and the upper Uddenites ls. The orange-yellow biohermal beds can be traced across under the saddle without interruption. A small bioherm at the extreme end seems to overlie the ls #2 or at least come on its flank upper surface of upper Uddenites bed just west of saddle and on slope down from saddle contains *Scacchiella*.

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J. 19' - Walked over lower tiers in foothills. Above col it is yellow fine-grained dolomite interbedded with fine-grained limestone, both abounding in fusulines small and large. On the dolomites the fusulines are

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cavities. Large *Omphalotrochus* like those from the upper fossil bed were taken at a windmill. The cgl. at the base of the Hess is a cobble cgl. with little or no silicious material.

Bed 12 is very conglomeratic and the lithology is very suggestive of that of the Artinskian bed just under the Hess. This is true of most of the platy limestones capping the shales. Each of these ls has small pebbles and fusuline sand.

The WC here is capped by about 50' of shale!

*Perinites bösei* was found in the crumbly fusuline beds of Bed 12 on the west side of the ravine in the center of the Wolfcamp Hills.

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June 20

Section N 40° W uphill 4762  
On Brooks Ranch.

Section begins on plain about 100-150  
yard east of arroyo,  
0-54' covered

54'-55' - brown, fine-grained ss.

55'-63' - mostly covered, some shale  
visible

63'-66' - brown massive ss.

66'-77' - shale but mostly covered

77'-80' - ss. brown, fine-grained

80'-124' - shale in lower part, upper  
part in thin-bedded ss becoming  
heavy bedded at top. ss forms upper 12'

124'-144' - white crumbly ss in lower  
4' but massive and heavy-bedded  
above.

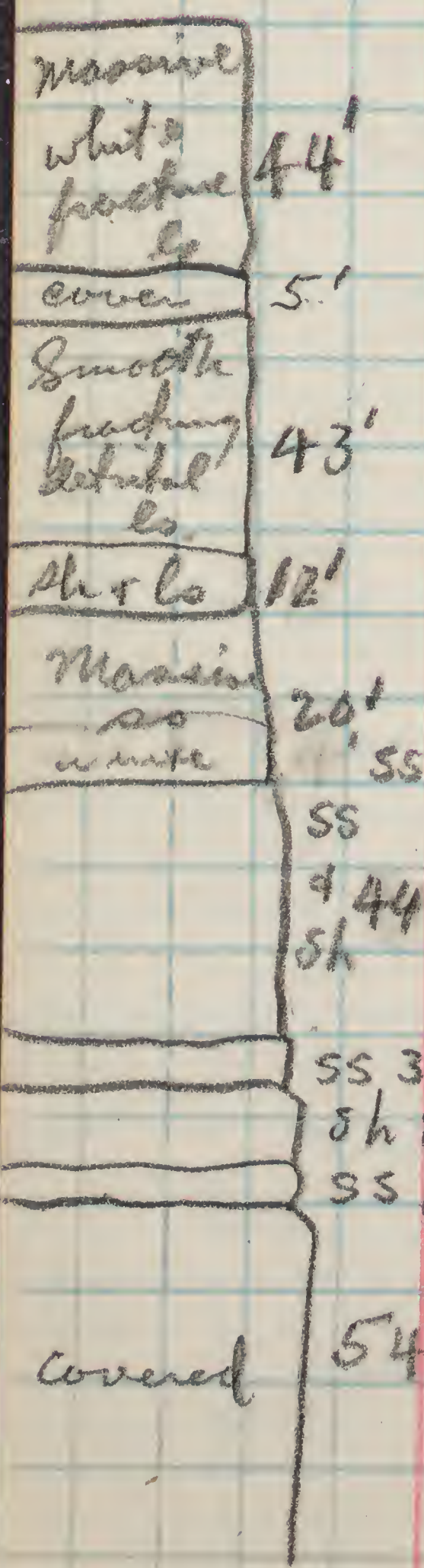
144'-156' mostly shale but with some  
cobble ls containing fossiliferous.

156'-199' - smooth fracturing very  
massive detrital ls. bihermal in  
character and showing no bedding.

The lower 10' or 15' are made up  
of cobble ls. This bed contrasts to the  
next overlying by weathering gray  
rather than brownish gray. The  
weathering color is very conspicuous  
from a distance,

199'-204' - covered.

204'-248' - marble-like, whitish-  
fracturing detrital ls. This is almost  
certainly the ls # 2 of the Wolfcamp.



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By sighting from top of hill dip is  $12^{\circ} N 45^{\circ} W$ .

June 20' small knob of cgl. Studied section in small gully  $N 20^{\circ} W$  from knob.

J 20<sup>2</sup>

Section up hill 4752  
Montgomery R -  $S 70^{\circ} E$   
Hill 4762 -  $N 25^{\circ} E$   
Ranch Hill -  $N 47^{\circ} E$

About 4500' appears Gaptank in plain at foot of hill.

Section goes about  $N 50^{\circ} W$

4510' comes a foot of brown ls. King's bed #4.

4510' - 4550' mostly covered, shale with brown lenses flat algae

4550' - 4561 - fine brown ss.

4561 - 4564 - Three foot ledge of hard gray granular ls. in a massive ledge. Contains goniatite sections.

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4564 - 4575' dark gray granular ls. in beds 6" - 1" thick

4575 - 4576 - hard yellow ls.

4576 - 4615 - shale mostly covered

J 20<sup>4</sup>

4615 - One foot ledge of dark

brown ls with goniatites, some fossils

4615 - 4626 - brown ls. culminating in an orange yellow sandy bed.

4626 - 4660 - mostly covered shale terminating in an orange yellow algae and fine pebbled

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4660-4670? - covered shale

4670-4700 - massive calcarenite  
fairly smooth fracture.4700-4710 - light gray limestone  
suggesting ls # 2 of the W.C.4710-4752 - just above light  
gray ls. comes a layer of ss. Slope  
above this is mostly cobble covered  
and poorly exposed. About 15' from  
base and same distance from  
top comes heavy bedded ls of  
biohermal texture and form;  
it is probably ls # 2. Top 15' of  
hill is in ls. cobble cgl.On west side knob red mud  
appears at 4700'At 4615' in saddle comes  
a cobbly ls bed with *Dictyoelostus*  
and large *Ornithotrochus* like  
those seen in lower HrsAbout 9' below this bed Art  
took fusulines.At 4626' dark fine-grained ls.  
at 4700' comes fine-grained flat-  
bedded ss. Slope below this is  
covered shale slope.From 4700' to top of hill is  
in bedded fine-grained ls  
suggestive of the Hess east  
facies but the more massive  
beds are like Wolfcamp.J 20<sup>3</sup>



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June 21 - East side Leonard Mtn.  
 On a line  $N26^{\circ}E$  from Hess House  
 and at about 4850' - 4900' the spurs  
 are capped by ls. some aqf. but  
 some biohermal. Just south of Hess  
 fence line about 100 yds. one spur  
 has biohermal ls at base but a  
 small knob has potato chip algal  
 ls. dark brown in color.

Dike at  $N30^{\circ}E$  <sup>from Hess Ranch</sup> and approximately  
 cutting 4910' contour. Below dike  
 shale extends down for about 120'  
 to about 4790' contour. Here were  
 seen brown ls. with fusulines and  
 potato chip algae. Some snails  
 and clams in shale just below dike  
 75' above dike comes a brown  
 potato-chip reef.

The shale goes up 130' above  
 the dike making a total exposure  
 of about 250 or more feet because  
 the base was not seen.

J. N. Allebrand.  
 Parkway Hotel, Marathon, Texas  
 The NE corner of Leonard  
 Mtn proved very disappointing  
 because we found so few  
 fossils. The location of King's  
 ammonoid locality suggests  
 float specimens brought

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(29) down the Mtn like the small one I found. The shale is certainly Uddenite zone because of the abundance of *Striatopora* corals.

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June 22 - Hill 4815 Brooks Ranch

Outlying hill on West end has 100' elevation from Valley floor to thick biohermal ls forming the crest of the hill. The shale contains bright yellow brown ls layers and some shaly ls.

The top of the big biohermal ledge lies 30'-40' thick occurs in the lower part of hill 4815 at 4600'. The biohermal bed consists of 3 kinds of ls: biohermal gray ls, dark gray ls like that of Kincaid bed 9 at the goniatite locality, and potato chip algal beds all dark gray. Surface very irregular with small bioherms resting orange red. Looks very much like Wolfcamp.

4600-4610 shale mostly covered

4610-4625 - platy yellow sandstone  
N 54° E 13° NW

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4625-4657 - gray shale  
 4657-4717' - platy sandstone in  
 beds thickening to a cliff face  
 of about 15'

4717-4740 Sandstone terminates

4740-4743 - shale

4743-4746 - thick ledge of fossil-  
 iferous ls. This 4726 by barometer.

4746-4753 - covered.

4753-4758 - massive ss.

at base of cliff at about 4760'

703n occur small fusulines. Top of  
 cliff about 4790. Ls. mantle like

Above the massive ls comes  
 an 8' red bed mostly covered.

To top of hill above red bed  
 comes about 17' of cobbly ls.

Syringopora large on surface  
 probably from upper cliff.

Big cup corals in situ in  
 top of lower bioherm ls  
 at 4800'

The lower bioherm forming  
 the foothill is undoubtedly  
 bed 9 of King. The bioherm  
 capping the hill 4815 is  
 probably not ls # 2 of the  
 WC but is the top ls of the  
 Uddenites zone. The whole  
 section is Uddenites zone.  
 If any WC exists it is  
 above the cgl. The fusulines

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in the base of the top ledge  
look like those of the upper  
Uddenites bed.

June 23 - Collected Word #3  
on Hess Ranch in morning  
with Jim Wilson. Packed 2  
boxes + 5 bags in afternoon

June 24 -

Sent pictures to Conolly Brooks,  
Marathon, Texas.

Two foothills stand out from  
hill 4815. These are bioherms  
of King's bed 9 of the goniatite  
section.

Barometer at 4447' Due N up west end hill 4815  
0-76' up in shale slope showing  
brown ls ledges + potato-chip  
bioherms. In lower 25' limonite  
concretions abound.

76'-103' - to top of knob at 4600'

by barometer. This interval  
is in a bioherm which I believe  
represents King's bed 9 of his section  
on hill 4752. Few fossils can  
be seen in the bioherm. Section  
up rest of hill N5°W. Top of  
bioherm in white subcrystalline  
ls. Bioherm overlain by  
shale absent at section where  
overlapped by ~~rest~~ brown ls  
shale quite thick on bioherm

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flank.

103-104 ± shale thickening  
to east + west off flank of  
bioherm. This bioherm is same  
as one seen on section over  
hill 4815.

104-106 - yellow brown ss with  
biohermal bumps of yellow  
potato-chip algae.

106-198' - mostly covered but shale  
visible in places through <sup>out</sup> section.  
I should say all shale except for  
a thick dark brown ss lens at  
at 161'.

198-258' - platy and massive yellow  
fine grained sandstone culminating  
in a 3' bed of hard brown ls. with  
small cherty pebbles. This seems  
to be the gomatite bed of King. This  
comes at about 4700' by barometer  
Barometer and hand level are out  
only 5' at this place.

258-280 - mostly covered but  
some sandstone showing, lateral  
probably sh + ss.

280-300' ± base of cliff at about  
4750'. White granular limestone  
extends to top of hill about 25'  
higher I did not climb cliff but  
thick ls may go up to 4800'. I  
suspect the ls is about 50' thick  
going from about 4730' - 47750'  
possibly a little higher.

same as  
hill 4815

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at 4755' is a layer of cobbly ls. The ls is white but is nevertheless granular and detrital. I think the conglomerate overlying this ls on hill 4815 is probably the equivalent of Bed #2 of Wolfcamp. The conglomerate may be the cobbles off that big reef.

Lower Permian cobbly on bottom with cobbles separated by yellow sandy sh. These look like lowest bellerophon zone at Wolfcamp Hills.

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J 24' Edge of hill on N side ravine marked by white ls. about 40' thick. This is at 4650'. In lower part white ls. are two <sup>dolomitic</sup> sandstone lenses.

4650' - 4675' Slope with ls. cobbles but capped by a ledge of white ls like that below.

Section goes N40°W from point on edge of canyon.

Cobble cgl goes to 4675'.

4675' - 4700' - mostly covered probably shale. Top in 3' of light yellow smooth fracturing dolomite.

4700 - 4725 - smooth fracturing yellow dolomite, with purple streaks on the fracture. Top bed unrounded massive ls.

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suggesting a dolomitized bioherm,  
4725-4755 - shale & dolomite  
culminating in a thick biohermal  
edge all dolomitized

4755-4800 - alternating sh & dolomite

4800-4865 - some shale with  
yellow dolomite beds up to 2' thick

J242

at 4865' found fusulines

Montgomery Ranch 583° E, old  
Meeks place 522° E. Staffella at  
4875' -

4875-4950 - Rock becomes mostly  
limy in this part and shale  
becomes much less.

4950-5010 - mostly thick-bedded dolomite  
Double ledge about 100' above  
and here abandoned the section.

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J243

Fusulines at 5005'

J244

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" 4955'

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Change from dolomite to ls.  
at about 4890

J245 =  
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Beside road and for 100 yds to  
the north occur brown bioherms  
and thin beds of ls. yellow &  
brown. Found 3 goniatites

Visited King's loc 113 in  
saddle. Below red bed many  
cobble & arenaceous ls. some with  
large bellerophonites. About middle  
are brown beds with large



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colonies of *Syringopora*. This is all in the upper biohermal ls. The bed 2 of King. The beds in the ravine look like reef rubble off the side of bioherm. There are also large masses of potato-chip algae in very dark gray ls.

King records *Parenteleles* from 201.

June 25

Collected all day at Wolfcamp Hills

June 26

Leonard Netri.

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Under knob at 4850' egl. is exposed. First ledge rock appears in place at 4900', massive ls with no egl. First egl appears at 4960'. Egl. ends about 5025' and the fossil beds appear at about 5030'. Top of knob at 5100' even and section to top from fossil beds is all massive ls. except for top of knob which is dolomite.

For about 135' feet above the summit of the knob the terrane is still knobby and bioherms are evident across the front. Evidence of shale over these knobs is also very clear. The massive egl going over these biohermal knobs may be King's unconformity. The

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Shale would thus go from a little below 4800' to at least 5235' feet. Most of the bioherms are not of large size and cgl develop on their slopes and help fill the cavities between them. Furthermore bioherms tend to form on lower bioherms.

At 5190' at base of small bioherm comes a small patch of fusulines. This is near the top of the bioherms.

At 5235' comes the top of the bioherms at this point. This is also the point where the Mtn begins to steepen into a cliff face. This, or above the cgl. where *Scacchiella* again appears is the top of the W.C.

Base of WC

Top of cgl. at 5410' - 5425' because surface very irregular. Two *Scacchiella* masses occur at this level and are overlain by at least 20' of shale but the shale laterally passes into ss and cgl. Just above the shale the rock is massive and dolomitic but the same interval in the gully is limy.

At 5035 on west side of Knob is a bench formed by a bioherm under the main Knob. The dips on the main knob all

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seem very steep to the northeast at this place but they flatten out on the east side of the knob. On the west side of the knob is a deep ravine and in it appear brown limestones that dip out on the western side. all these structures look like dips produced on the sides of mounds. In the case of our big knob the ~~mass~~ which it once flanked is no longer there but the rocks appear tilted.

J26' - In a small ravine off the main one up the hill at 4960 feet comes an unusual occurrence on the N side of the ravine and for some 25-30' up the hill are cobbly, mealy and algal beds abounding in *Autosteges*. These layers seem to be plastered on the side of the main knob. The assemblage besides *Autosteges* & *Scacchinella* includes *Teguliferina* and *Parentelites*. These suggest that this bed belonged to the *Uddenites* zone. Whether it has any connection with the *Scacchinella* bed at 5025 or not is hard to say.

Along with these beds are brown ss that are vertical and run

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along the ravine. I suggest that these were once nearly horizontal in the shale that covered the bioherm but that when the shale was washed out in weathering the so slumped down into their present position.

The west side of the knob near the top has corals fairly common. These bioherms are thus suggestive of the ones in the Wildmill section.

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June 27

Section up gully between two hills on east end Windmill hill. Section starts on small knob at base of hill at about 4460'

The top of this knob is at 4490 and the whole knob is composed of massive biohermal ls.

Gracilmella occurs on the west side of the saddle between this small knob and the next larger one. Gracilmella seen on front small hill

Between the small knob and the next larger one, in the saddle between the two Dimple is exposed for 20' or 30' horizontal

At base of high knob cgl shows over the dimple exposure. 4710' comes top of knob and base of hill knob mostly covered above lower 50'; Bed of brown ss at base of hill.

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June 27'

West side knob, east end hill

A - Cgl. ls with large pebbles in upper part and enormous crinoid stems all without real bedding. Up to 20' capping knob. This is undoubtedly the basal lens same as in cliff on upper part mtn.

A } cgl 20'  
ls

B } 17'

B - 17' mostly covered but with dark bluish ls breaking blocks up to 10" and covered on upper surface by brown siliceous stain. Blocks possibly interbedded with shale.

C } 7'

D } 2'

E } 12'

F } 2'

Dimple

C - Thick bedded sandy ls with thin layer of cgl at top.

D - 2' cgl.

E - 12' shale with thin bands of cgl. Near middle, contains chert pebbles & crinoid stems.

F - 2' cgl. Chert pebbles up to 2" and a few ls. pebbles.

Strike N70E dip 16° NW.

Dimple form saddle between this knob and main part hill

J 272 small fusulines at 4600' on large knob

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In the ravine which bisects the knob limestone occurs at about 4530'. Above this about 15-20' of cgl. appears at 4575'. This cgl. goes up the hill on both sides. It is evidently the cgl. that can be seen in the rubble on the front side of the knob. A little higher in the ravine another 2-3' band of cgl. appears. This is composed of large pebbles. At June 27<sup>2</sup> about 4600' limestone, massive appears which contains tiny fusulines like those on the small knob where *Scacchinella* occurs.

As shown by the knob on the west place the Dimple has enormous relief in this hill, at least 300' at the "West" knob. It is possible that the bioherms grew on Dimple lumps.

In the saddle between the knob at the Windmill and the main hill Dimple flat may be seen. This suggests that the *Scacchinella* bioherms may occupy a bump on the Dimple. The supposed Dimple really may be only a shale + so is the Wolfcamp overlying the bioherms.



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at 4710' just above bioherm  
at base of hill comes dark  
brown ss.

Under the cgl at the  
Windmill are shales and ss  
which might belong to the WC  
but I think it is more  
likely to be Dimple material.

Searched hard on the  
slope for shale fossils  
but were unable to find  
any. I think the knots were  
exhumed by weathering of  
shale off them. In the big  
ravine under the west  
saddle the fans contain  
many fine pebbles. These  
are probably from soft  
shaly cgl that may make  
up a large part of the  
section between the knots.

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June 28 - Section at Gaptank  
just west about 0.2 mile west  
of road intersection. Section  
Starts on limestone 3 of Gaptank.  
Section goes due N.

To 3 looks like a bioherm  
like those common in W.C.  
80 paces to another biohermal ls.  
which is about 6' above the  
other.

80 - 225 - <sup>paces</sup> covered. At this point we  
come to a brown biohermal ls. at the  
base of the hill 12' above the  
starting point. Biohermal ls 3' thick

6' vertical covered

6 - 8-9 brown ls. with potato chip  
algae

9 - 73' mostly covered slope

73' - 96' dark gray granular limestone  
in rather massive ledges.

Dips N 20 W at 15°. This is probably  
ls #5 of the Gaptank section.

96' - 134' - Mostly covered but  
lower 9' in sandy brown ss.  
This is overlain by 6 or 7' of ss.  
This is evidently the *Uddenites*  
zone. ss to light gray  
potato-chip algae.

134 - 156 - massive gray ls. The  
#2 of the W.C.  
Dip slope of about 40 paces

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From top of massive ledge  
handlevel at 150

0-7Hh - mostly covered, but shale  
and thin ls beds suggesting  
low Uddenites.

7-8Hh sugary ss.

8-19Hh - pebble cgl in sand matrix

19-24Hh - cross bedded ss and  
conglomerate forming a low  
cliff.

24-27 - same but mostly sugary ss.

27-31 - light gray, fine-grained ls.

Cretaceous - Section goes  $N 30^{\circ} E$  and is  
paced.

67 paces and 11' higher still in  
the ls but it looks biohermal +  
cgl. 132 paces to same level on  
next hill

Uphill slope  $\angle 21^{\circ}$ ; 16' vertical  
same ls. some brown chert.

Slope  $\angle$  on next hill  $12^{\circ}$ . 63'  
vertical. a variety of ls. and  
sandy limestone and considerable  
dolomite.

I think the ledge purported to be  
ls #2 of the WC is in reality  
another ls. probably the one  
in the lower part of the section.  
The white ls above the ss is  
the top Uddenites ledge and  
the real ls #2 is lost. The  
ss and cgl, I think is  
probably the thick ss under

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The top Uddenites ledge that we have followed on The Brooks ranch.

All of the ls in this section above the cgl is Cretaceous.

Just above the so-called ls #2 of W.C. is a shale and about 30' up in it is a layer of orange weathering ls, with fusulines.

About 100 yds S  $45^{\circ}$  E of Gaptank occurs dip slope of ls #2. A small valley is made on the slope. 150 paces can be paced across the valley. The upper 40 paces in shale with brown ls layers. Fossils abundant in upper 40 paces.

N50E of Gaptank about 150 yds is another hill about 25' high face of hill with shales and thin bed ( $2'' - 2'$ ) of brown & yellow ls. Hill capped by cgl & cross-bedded ls.

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June 29

Up mtn just east of Clay Slide

4690 top of wash exposing 30-40  
of shell & thin ls. This wash is  
where most of the Clay slide  
collections were made.

4690-4710 - platy yellow ss.

4710-4825 - gray sandy shale

4825-4829 - bench ledge of sandy  
limestone rotted in lower part  
and containing small *Leptoproductus*  
*Spinifer*.

4829-4850 - gray sandy shale

4850-4851 - sandy yellow ls.

4851-4875 - gray sandy shale

4875-4885 - yellow cherty ls.

4885-5000' - Up the edge of the  
mountain occur cherty, platy  
dark gray slabby ls weathering  
ash gray. Few fossils. To the  
west these become fairly coarse  
granular massive and show  
no bedding. They are thus  
biohermal. The platy beds are  
typical Word #1 and they  
have massive equivalents  
which cap the ledges of the  
scarp along Clay Slide Valley.  
The suspected Leonard to  
Word facies change evidently  
does not take place.

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The ledge at 4825 is formally suggestive of the 702c knob.

The clay slide starts about 4930' in center of hill just under top.

J 29' - Went up long slope to knob at 5000'. This is a great biohermal mass truncated to the SE. To the north and west the surfaces are rounded. In the saddle at about 4875 flat platy limestone with chert, the typical Word #1 lithology appears. This mass is thus undoubtedly ls #1 of the Word as mapped but its whole expression is Leonard. The rock is a fairly coarse calcarenite with cobbles in the upper part some of them with siliceous rims are common. Small mammillary bumps of brown silica are common.

The commonest fossil is a beaded Leptolites. This belongs here and is associated with large fusulines - Parafusulina.

Hill east of road to  
Sullivan Ranch

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Knob next to Sullivan Ranch road.

Scalhy seen at 4600', at 4650 cgl.  
 heavy sandy ls. and a shale  
 (yellow and Leonard-like appears).  
 Base of Hess ledge in knob  
 comes at 4710. Hess ledge 40'  
 thick. This ledge is quite cgl. in  
 places.

J 29<sup>2</sup> fusulines in Hess on top knob.  
 J 29<sup>3</sup> - fusulines at 4610.

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Lowest beds at 4575' about 1/4 mile  
 W of road in small gully.

Lowest beds under front knob at  
 4600'.

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July 1  
Hess Ranch Horst  
Ravine under Hill 5816

5150'

5150' lowest shale exposure.

5150-5190 - Dark gray indurated sh.

5190-5191 - hard limy layer with  
crinoid stems.5191-5200 - thin bedded sandy  
shale in flattish layers.

5200-5210 - same flattish sandy rock.

5210-5230 - covered

5230-5235 - crumbly dark blue gray  
shale.

5235-5255 - covered.

5255-5265 - crumbly shale capped  
by yellow agl band of 9".5265-5270 - crumbly sh with 9" ls  
band on top. Is bedded splintery  
but showed no fossils.5270-5275 - gray crumbly shale with  
three thin (2") limestone bands  
about 15" apart at top. Dip  
here 6°5275-5280 - crumbly shale with 5  
sandy + agl ls bands 6" thick.5280-5285 - same with 2 6" <sup>-10"</sup> thick  
beds at base separated by 6"  
shale.5285-5290 - same crumbly  
shale.

= 5320'

5290-5300 - Top 10' of shale  
becomes cobbly but the rock

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5370-5400

is soft. At 5300' comes solid  
hard cgl. ls.

5300' - 5370' - lower part with  
fairly coarse cobbles but upper  
part in dark gray irregularly  
bedded, but heavily bedded sandy  
and pebbly ls. Sand & pebbles  
fairly angular. Cobbles below  
mostly round and fairly  
coarse. Poor fossils present.

5370-5376 - biohermal hump.

5376-5400 - Top of a conspicuous  
ledge. The interval marked by  
fine and coarse cgl. & sandy ls.  
Ledge is 5400' on west side gully.  
Section starts again on east  
side gully on same level as  
5400 on west side.

5400-5430 - pinky brown to dark  
gray ss.

5430-5470 - alternating thin  
ls and crinoid shells capped  
by a one-foot bed of hard  
cgl. ls.

5470-5481 - sill or dike

5481-5482 - sandy ls.

5482-5600' - to top of bold  
bluff of cgl. This interval

is coarse cgl interbedded  
with irregularly bedded ss  
and sandy ls. Cobbles up to  
a foot, in base mostly ls  
but above many chert &

5492'  
base of  
sill

5659' to  
top of cgl.  
5100'

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Other silicious types.

5600-5630 - flat-bedded dark ls weathering ashen-yellow, thin beds of ss and dark ls with angular dark chert fragments. This rock suggests the East Hess facies.

5630-5655 - brown dolomite in layers  $\frac{1}{2}$ -1' thick. Hess facies.

5750'

5655-5715 - granular massive and platy ls of the west Hess facies.

5715-5737 - dark gray dolomite + ls probably Hess west facies.

Barometer registers 5740' and is thus out by 26' (low). We went

5816' top of section

up the hill N  $10^{\circ}$  W in the depression that goes up just east of knob 5816.

The northeast end of this hill also about 5816' is composed of granular dolomite. This is King's loc. 210. We saw nothing but large *Omphalotrochus* at about 5750'. This looks like Hess West facies altered to dolomite.

Down west face of hill 5816 to saddle at 5535' saw same section of dolomite + calcarenite turning to ss near bottom.

704K

July 1' - At 5575' fusulines in

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cgl. above <sup>(15')</sup> main ledge of cgl.  
Jy 1<sup>2</sup> - Fusulines just above <sup>5540'</sup>  
main ledge of cgl. Saddle at  
5540' and thick cgl. ledge at about  
5520'. I should say a real lithologic  
change takes place above this  
heavy ledge. The rocks are  
thinner-bedded, ss and the  
cgl have small pebbles. Right in  
the saddle appear steeply dipping  
cgl which seem truncated by  
the platy ss and ls above the  
thick ledge. My two fusuline  
cols Jy 1<sup>1</sup> & Jy 1<sup>2</sup> are both above  
the supposed unconformity.

Dip on upper beds N48E 13°.  
On the east face of the hill  
west of 5816 the dipping beds under  
the Hess are well shown. The  
dipping beds are not parallel  
to each other under the unconf.  
and thus suggest foresets off a  
reef.

Looking at west face of  
hill 5816 the dip on the Hess beds  
is 11°, that on the Wolfcamp 29°.  
When studied on west side of  
hill east of 5816 the unconf. was  
at 5550.

Section above unconf.

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5550-5600 - covered.

5600-5603 granular massive gray ls. looks like Wolfcamp.

5603-5610 - covered

5610-5700' Fusulines at base

Thick ls with small pebble cgl. 5' above are platy ls, with

fusulines. Whole interval is thick bedded, irregularly bedded sandy ls, ss, and fine pebble cgl with dark pebbles.

5700-5775' Lighter gray ls with light or white chert pebbles + quartz pebbles. This cgl. only in bottom part. To top of hill in fine grained &amp; coarse grained light gray ls weathering light blue gray! Barometer out 100' (high).

Down nose to east barometer reset cgl. &amp; sands are at about 5650

5550' fusulines on nose east of hill 5675'. Came back to saddle at 5525' which is correct.

Came down hill from saddle at 5525'.

5425 - base of big cgl.

5425 - 5325 - shale &amp; ss interval

5325 - 5200 lowest exposure of cgl.

Correct level  
Jy 13  
704mJy 14  
704i704t  
Jy 15  
Correct

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July 1<sup>6</sup> - 5100' in gully blue gray shale with band of ls.

~~702h~~ =  
704v

at the Windmill Art says a shale comes between Dimple and cgl of WC. There is a possibility of this also at the Windmill but the lithology looked like Dimple to me.

I recall seeing potato chips algae in the lower shaly part of the section on the Mtn. west of Iron Mtn. These would be good evidence of Uddenites zone.

July 3

Revisited section at Windmill. The shale along the base of the hill proves to be Dimple. This is true of cgl which I had previously placed in the WC can be seen interbedded with the Dimple shale. If the cgl are followed W & N to a small arroyo they can be seen interbedded with shale. Two small knobs N of the Windmill show Dimple underneath but with a veneer of rubble on top. On the NW side of our big knobby Dimple can be seen forming nearly all of the

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slope. On the saddle between the big knob and the main hill Dimple can be seen as flat at the base of the hill and in place. This was previously interpreted as WC in place but it is definitely Dimple. This is true also of the knob to the east.

The WC here is thus a veneer over a Dimple high or a sand-bank laid into a swale against a Dimple high.

The top of the knob at the Windmill is a cgl. with small silicious pebbles, broken sponges, corals and brachiopods. Fragments of Leptodius are common which indicate the rocks to be Permian in age. This material from its battered fossils and pebbles suggests wave-banked debris against a Dimple high.

The rocks of the knob are definitely in place. Their layers are parallel but the dips are generally steep into the Mtn. The whole dimple surface is quite irregular and this Knob & the east one are probably



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Laid against highs.

Jy 3<sup>1</sup> shale under cgl at  
 about 4575' elevation opposite  
 ravine in main hill about  
 1/2 mile E of Sullivan Ranch  
 road. Sight on Poplar Tank S27°E  
 Shale overlain by cgl. Sight  
 on Windmill E of Sullivan R  
 road N72°E.

Jy 3<sup>3</sup> - Small knob with cgl  
 dipping to hill and with shale  
 slope on S side of about 40'.  
 Elevation 4600'. cgl has big ls  
 pebbles + siliceous pebbles. At the  
 base of the knob a long ridge  
 shows Gaptank float. Cgl ca 20'  
 thick. The shale is probably same  
 as Jy 2.

A coarse cgl. appears in a  
 gully on East side of knob  
 Jy 3<sup>31</sup> and seems to underlie the  
 shale.

Just east of the knob ~~is~~  
 about 150 yds. is a low hill  
 of chert cgl and brown ss  
 probably Gaptank or Dimple  
 This is overlain by yellow ss.

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at 4600' above shale & egl of  
Jy 3' comes 25'-30' of slope in  
a small ravine of yellow ss.

At west end Decie Hill spur  
at King's fault at 4550' are  
blue gray granular ls. like 1/2 in.  
This may be a fault or there  
may be separate bioherms at  
different levels. The blue ls is  
overlain by small pebbles of.

At the supposed fault one  
mass is rounded and  
is elongated forward the  
mountain. The only way  
this can be explained is  
to have these bioherms and  
not faults. I could see  
no breaks in the limestones  
that follow the 4550' contour.  
These all seem to me to be  
Wolfcamp limestones.



57660  
21850  
2950  
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July 4

Hill W of Iron Mtn

West from saddle on small knob. Knob at base of hill 110' feet high all in Dimple to base of hill. at base of hill Base of Dimple at about 4735 in a low saddle. Here comes a cover of granular ls. blocks like those at the base of the section in The Windmill section. Went up 110' more in this loose block material to 4845' which forms about the level of the fan deposits. In recesses and bare spots evidence of shale clear to this level becomes apparent in loose, well preserved crinoid fragments. The base of the main wall of the Hess is about 95' higher or at about 4935-4950.

Barometer  
here at  
4860

Jy 4' at 4850-4870 comes a shale break showing blue gray shale crumbly brown ironstone and flat, thin bedded whitish ss. We saw no fossils, not even crinoid stems. Bowsher coll. = 7080

Jy 4<sup>2</sup> - Below 4850' contour in center of hill and below 4750' contour on west end

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near ravine the slope is composed of shale. The shale slope is about \_\_\_\_\_ feet high. Near the top under the cliff are thin ss interbedded with shale and here in a thin lining band (yellow) I saw fusulines but they were rare. At 4850 under main part hill I saw a small lump with potato-chip algae and *porr* Composita.

July 4<sup>3</sup> - At 4800' on south slope hill concentration of blocks of brown cgl ls. with one geminated and fusulines. Blocks approximately in place. 50 yds to West is a dropped block of Hess material which overlies the cgl. The cgl is in place in the shale under the main ledge just N of the dropped block. At 4700' is the base of a 20' bioherm of gray massive ls with some rusty streaks. Core of bioherm with potato chip algae in rounded pieces. Just below these come large cup corals suggestive of those seen on the Brooks's place. The bioherm is clearly WC. Art says 20' of limestone at base of hill

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Base of hill came at 4650'  
 In this hill are at least  
 100 feet of shale. I think all  
 of the shale belongs to the W.C.  
 I saw no definite Uddenites  
 zone affinities except for the  
 potato dip algae.

At the north end of this  
 hill I saw no big cgl.  
 underneath the Hess  
 such as occurs at the south  
 end and as recorded by  
 King.

On the Decie Ranch the  
 big cgl. at the west end  
 pinches out toward the  
 east. We evidently saw the  
 thinned wedge of it on Jy 3  
 just west of King's faulted  
 area.

The Hess ls at the north end  
 of the hill W of Crown Mtn.  
 consists of flat dark limestone  
 in layers 9" - 1' thick often  
 with chert layers on top.  
 The stuff looks a great deal  
 like the Leonard in the  
 Decie place.

## Notes on King

King notes WC basal cgl. thickens westward from 10' west of Crown Mtn to 450' near Lenoxy. Cgl. are followed by sh. & sandy shale. The upper shales are variable because of erosion at top. 160' one mile W of Crown Mtn. SW of Lenoxy upper beds removed by pre-Hess erosion for 1 1/2 miles of outcrop, so that Hess cgl rests on WC cgl.

Note Kays section for Mtn front north of Meeks Ranch p. 57.

Base of Hess along its entire length from Gayton to Del Norte Mtns. marked by cgl. Angular divergence up to  $10^{\circ}$  between Hess & W.C. Variable up. WC indicates Pre-Hess erosion.

## Hess

Up division between silicious sh. above & massive ls. below. Meeks Ranch no basal cgl in Hess as they pass into a massive gray ls. without fragmental material resting on the WC.

all rocks from Windmill section to Dugout Mtn. Probably Hess, rather than W.C.?



Waco cgl. transgressive in hills  
N of Horn Ranch.

Try to see Gaptank fossils from  
John E of Gaptank. Probably at  
Yale - May - WC or Uddenites

Glass Mtn. fusulinids  
Wolfcamp Fm.

- Ozawainella huacoensis* D. + S. WC (upper) Leonard  
Mtn. (loc. 18)
- Schubertella kingi* D. + S. W.C. (loc. 7, & 17)
- S. melonia* D. + S. Leonard (Perrinites compressus zone)
- Triticites uddeni* D. + S. WC. bed 9 at W.C. (also loc. 7)
- ~~*T. ventricosus*~~ *subventricosus* D. + S. Lower W.C. in  
beds 4, 9. (Locs. 6, 7, 8).
- T. pinguis* D. + S. L.W.C. WC Hills
- Schwagerina franklinensis* D. + S. WC. bed 14 (W.C. Hills)
- ~~*S. huacoensis* D. + S. Base~~
- S. gracilitatis* D. + S. WC just below Hess cgl. NW of  
Saptank.
- S. linearis* D. + S. WC 1/2 mi N 35° E of Hess R.  
Highest WC.
- S. compacta* (White) Bed 9, 4 mi. WNW of W.C.
- S. diversiformis* D. + S. Mid sup. W.C. Saptank
- Pseudoschwagerina uddeni* (B. + K.) Bed 12 WC Hills
- P. texana ultima* D. + S. W.C. bed. 14.
- Pseudoschwagerina gigantea* (White) Mid W.C. at WC
- P. kansuensis* (B. + K.) WC beds 4-7 WC Hills.

## Leonard Fm.

- Staffella lacunosa* D. & S. — 450' above base, 2 or 3  
mi. NW of Gaptank.
- Schwagerina hesensis* D. & S. Base of Leonard  
on Dugout Mtn
- S. hawkinsi* D. & S. Base of Leonard on Dugout Mtn
- S. queimbeli* D. & S. 1 1/2 mi. W. of Gaptank.
- S. g. pseudoregularis* D. & S. 450' above base, 1 1/2 mi W  
of Gaptank.
- S. crassitectoria* D. & S. 400-500' above base N of WG
- Parafusulina bakeri* D. & S. Lower Leonard  
W end Dugout Mtn, S. tip hill W of crown  
Mtn

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Willis, Robin - Correlation of Texas and  
New Mexico Permian. A.A.P.G. Bull  
13, 1929, p. 1017

"The uplift which accompanied the folding of the Marathon region prior to the deposition of the upper Gaptank formation established a land mass southeast of the Glass Mts. which must have persisted until the end of Word time at least, and reappeared during Bissett time, if it did not remain throughout the Permian. The numerous conglomerates in the Hess indicate its proximity. The shales and sands of the Leonard and Word were derived from it, and from its westward extension. The successive overlap of the formations from the Gaptank to the Word is additional evidence of the proximity of this land mass. Southwestward along the southeastern front of the Glass Mts., each succeeding formation overlaps the ones below it and rests directly on the folded Pennsylvanian beds".

Top WC at 5714 in hall 5816

Top of WC on hill 5700' at about 5800'

5.5  
90  

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4950

1162' per mile

5810  

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5810  
639,10  

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5075  

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5710

5075  
4950  

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