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LOGS OF SELECTED WELLS IN THE COASTAL PLAINS OF GEORGIA

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ATLANTA 1964

Depth (feet)		Description
625		No change.
642		No change.
651	•	No change.
664		No change.
666	ij.	No change.
681		No change.
697		Like preceding samples, but contains almost no glauconite.
721 (Like sample at 697 ft.
755		Like sample at 721 ft., but contains no glauconite.
768		Like sample at 755 ft., but sand is coarser grained.
780		Like sample at 768 ft., but contains fragments of sandy limestone that are probably caving from higher levels.
820		No change.
909		No change.
925		No change.
940	•	Sand, like preceding samples, but finer grained, somewhat chalky, and containing many nodules of glauconite. The sample contains several poorly-preserved specimens of smaller Foraminifera, among which <i>Robulus</i> sp. (close to <i>Lenticulina rotulata</i>) is a common form; no diagnostic species seem to be present.
970	, [,] ,	Sand, clear quartz, uneven grained, somewhat glauconitic, and similar, in general, to sample at 940 ft. This sample also con- tains a few specimens of nondiagnostic species of Foraminifera, and a few other specimens which probably caved from higher depths.
1035 '	T.D.	Sand and a little glauconite like the sample at 970 ft., but the sand is somewhat finer grained.

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Operator: Hunt Oil Co.GGS. No. 168Landowner: Metcalf Well 1Elevation: 104 ft. (derrick
floor)Location: Land District 21, Land Lot
260Total depth: 6152 ft.
Completed: Aug. 19, 1944

Summary of Stratigraphy

Depth	Thickness
(feet)	(feet)

Tertiary

Paleocene

In beds containing Tamesí fauna at 1930 ft.....????

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· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Depth (feet)	Thi	ickness feet)
Cretaceous		•	».
Gulf			• •
Beds of Navarro age	2050		· 50
Beds of Taylor age	2100		380
Beds of Austin age	2480		420
Atkinson Formation, upper member	2900		420
lower member	.3320		280
Comanche undifferentiated	3600	to	•
	5250	ft.1	

Lithologic and paleontologic description of cuttings and cores. Samples are cuttings unless otherwise stated.

Depth (feet)

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Description

0-1930 Samples not studied.

In Paleocene Series

Beds containing Tamesi fauna

193()-1940	Cla	y, gray, ma	rly, microfos	siliferous;	contains	many spec	imens of
1.2		· · G	lobigerina	velascoensis	and Glob	orotalia	velascoen s is	. Other
		· . sj	pecimens co	ommon in the	sample a	re Bulim	ina exigua	and Ala-
		. b	amin a w ilco	oxensis.				

1940-2020 Like sample at 1930-1940 ft.

2020-2030 Like sample at 1930-1940 ft.; contains specimens of *Globorotalia* velascoensis and *G. pseudomenadii*, which are common in the typical Tamesí (Velasco) in Mexico.

2030-2040 Not described.

2040-2050 Clay, marly, but harder and less falky than the preceding samples; contains many typical specimens of *Globorotalia velascoensis*.

Cretaceous

Gulf Series

Beds of Navarro age

2050-2060	Marl, gray; specimens of Globotruncana arca, common.
2060-2090	Not described.

Beds of Taylor age

2090-2100

2100 Marl, gray, and a few fragments of fine-grained, chalky glauconitic sandstone. Sample contains specimens of *Globorotalites*

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¹Samples not studied below 5250 ft.

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Depth (feet)	Description
× ,	conicus, Stensiöina americana, and a variety of Planulina dum- blei.
2100-2350	Not described.
2350-2360	Marl, gray, containing abundant specimens of Foraminifera; com- mon species are: Globotruncana spp., Globigerina cretacea, Plan- ulina texana, and Stensiona americana. The sample is prob- ably from the lower part of the beds of Taylor age.
2360-2480	Not described.
	Beds of Austin(?) age.
2480-2490	Marl, gray, containing a specimen of Valvulineria umbilicata typi- cal of the Austin Chalk in Texas, and specimens of Pseudogau- dryinella capitosa.
2490-2570	Not described.
2570	Sidewall core. Clay, greenish-gray, marly, micaceous, containing a microfauna indicative of the Austin age of the beds.
2580-2590	Clay, gray and green, marly, containing specimens of Kyphopyxa christneri.
2590-2600	Clay, greenish-gray, shaly, calcareous.
2600-2790	Not described.
2790-2800	Shale, brown, thinly flaky, slightly speckled, and a little green, flaky, noncalcareous shale.
2800-2830	Not described.
2830-2840	Shale, dark brownish-gray, flaky, slightly speckled.
2840-2900	Not described.
, • .	Atkinson Formation. Upper Member.
2900-2910	Sandstone, moderately dense, very fine grained, highly micaceous, and fragments of speckled shale; a few shell fragments.
2910-2920	Like sample at 2900-2910 ft.; the sandstone is somewhat glauco- nitic.
2920-2930	Sandstone, like sample at 2900-2910 ft., and many fragments of Ostrea sp.
2930-2940	Not described.
2940-2950	Sandstone, similar to sample at 2900-2910 ft., but somewhat coarser
••••. •	grained and more micaceous; contains a few black phosphatic fragments, a little bluish-green glauconite, nodules of pyrite, and shell fragments.
2950-2960	Sandstone and abundant shell fragments, including fragments of <i>Inoceramus</i> .
2960-2970	Not described.
2975	Sidewall core.
	Sand, fine-grained, uneven-grained, angular, clear quartz, contain- ing a little glauconite and a few shell fragments.

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2970-3030	Sand, fine to moderately fine grained, glauconitic, micaceous, con- taining shell fragments and fish bones. The various types of shale in the sample are probably cavings from higher levels.
3030-3040	Sand, like samples at 2970-3030 ft., and a little green flaky shale; shell fragments are abundant.
3040-3060	Not described.
3060-3070	Sandstone, moderately coarse, glauconitic, fossiliferous; contains fairly large fragments of carbonaceous material, many shell fragments, fish bones, and a few bryozoan fragments. Below this depth, the sandstone becomes harder and finer grained, and shell fragments gradually decrease in abundance.
3070-3080	Not described.
3080-3090	Sandstone, white, dense, fine-grained, glauconitic, somewhat mica- ceous, containing phosphatic and carbonaceous material, shell fragments, and bryozoan fragments.
3090-3250	Not described.
3250-3260	Sand and shell fragments. Shell fragments are common.
3260-3270	Not described.
3270-3280	Clay, green and bluish-green, shaly, and a little sand. Specimens of Foraminifera are probably cavings.
3280-3320	Not described.
	Atkinson Formation. Lower Member.
	(electric log correlation)
3320-3330	Clay, green, shaly and sand and sandstone like sample at 3270-3280 ft.
3330-3390	Shale, green, and other types of shale that seem to be cavings.
3390-3400	Shale, dark-gray, hard, is in cuttings at this depth.
3400-3420	Shale, dark-gray, micaceous, containing specimens of arenaceous species of Foraminifera typical of the lower member of the Atkinson Formation. The shale is the so-called "marine shale" of the Tuscaloosa Formation.
3420-3430	Shale, dark-gray, micaceous, containing specimens of Ammobacu- lites bergquisti (abundant), A. comprimatus, Trochammina rainwateri, T. exigua, and others.
3430-3440	Material and fauna like sample at 3420-3430 ft., but specimens of Foraminifera more abundant.
3440-3510	Not described.
3510-3520	Shale, gray, and a little green flaky shale; white, micaceous, glau- conitic sandstone is also in cuttings at this depth.
3520-3530	Like sample at 3510-3520 ft.
3530-3540	Sandstone, white, fine-grained, glauconitic, pyritic, somewhat micaceous, slightly phosphatic, increases in abundance. The sandstone contains a few large grains of quartz.

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Depth (feet)	Description
3545	Sidewall core.
,	Shale, green, thinly flaky, speckled; contains dwarf specimens of <i>Gümbelina</i> and <i>Globigerina</i> that give the shale a speckled appearance.
3555	Sidewall core. Sand, fine to coarse-grained, roughly angular, clear quartz; prob- ably the basal sand of the Atkinson Formation.
3560-3570	Sand and sandstone, like the sample at 3510-3520 ft. and below.
3570-3580	Sand, coarse-grained, is dominant in the sample; contains many greenish-yellow quartzitic grains, and a few grains of pink feld-spar.
3580-3590	Sand, like sample at 3570-3580 ft.; ankerite pellets are common.
3590-3600	Sand, like sample at 3570-3580 ft., and a few chips of dark brown- ish-red micaceous shale.
	Comanche Series undifferentiated
3600-3610	Sand, coarse-grained, containing greenish-yellow and pink grains, and a few grains of feldspar. The sample also contains cuttings of dark brownish-red, micaceous, sandy (fine-grained sand), unctuous, shaly clay.
3608	Sidewall core.
	Sand, poorly sorted, fine to coarse-grained, roughly angular quartz, containing a few greenish-yellow grains.
3623	Sidewall core.
	Mudstone, brick-red, green and ochre streaks and mottling, sandy (fine-grained sand), micaceous.
3610-3900	Samples not studied in detail. The material is, mainly, coarse- grained sand, and red, green and ochre mottled mudstone; grains of pink feldspar become progressively more abundant with depth.
3900-5240	Nodules of white, pink-stained, sandy limestone are in the samples at 3900 feet. The samples were not studied in detail, but are composed, mainly, of coarse-grained sand, mudstone and shale, and nodules of limestone.
5240-5250	Shale, purplish-red, raspberry, and varicolored, and many nodules of white, pink-stained, sandy limestone. The samples were not studied below 5250 ft. At this depth, the samples indicate that the well had not penetrated rocks older than Comanche age.