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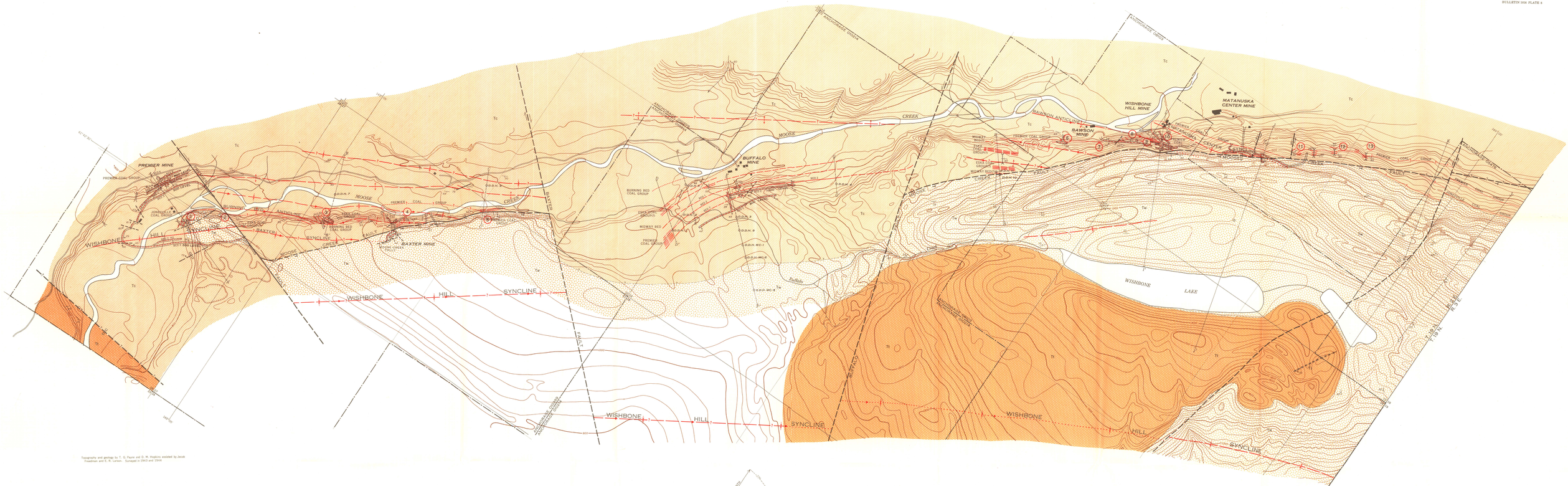
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY



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Mine workings shown are mostly from company mine maps

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GEOLOGIC MAP OF NORTHWESTERN PART OF WISHBONE HILL DISTRICT, MATANUSKA COAL FIELD, ALASKA

Scale 1:6000

500 0 Scale 1:6000 2000 Feet

Contour interval 20 feet
Datum is approximate mean sea level

SEDIMENTARY ROCKS

Tt — Teeklata formation. *Poorly cemented boulders and cobbles of dominantly granitic rocks*

Tw — Wishbone formation. *Firmly cemented pebbles of fine-grained rocks in sandy matrix; includes many lenticular beds of sandstone, siltstone, and some claystone*

Tc — Chickaloon formation. *Sandstone, siltstone, claystone, and coal*

IGNEOUS ROCKS

Td — Diabase dike

Note: To avoid obscuring details of bedrock geology all surficial deposits are omitted

Coal bed in mine workings, showing dip

Pleistocene or Recent | Eocene or younger? | Paleocene or Eocene | Late Eocene | TERTIARY

E X P L A N A T I O N

Coal bed at bedrock surface
Dashed where inferred

Approximate position of coal group at bedrock surface
Line represents approximate center of group rather than a particular bed. Coal beds in group may not fully exposed and individual beds not positively identified

Contact
Dashed where approximately located

Fault, showing dip
Dashed where inferred, U, upthrown side, D, downthrown side

Fault in mine workings, showing dip

Thrust fault
Dashed where inferred, queried where position or uncertain
T, upper plate

Transverse or tear fault
Dashed where inferred, arrows indicate relative direction of horizontal movement

Anticline
Showing trace of axial plane and direction of plunge of axis; dashed where approximately located, queried where concealed by overlying formation, pushed where uncertain

Syncline
Showing trace of axial plane and direction of plunge of axis; dashed where approximately located, queried where concealed by overlying formation, pushed where uncertain

Strike and dip of beds

Strike of vertical beds

Horizontal beds

Strike and dip of overturned beds

Mine portal

Mine dump

Tunnels and gangways

Slopes and airways
Chevrons point downward

Trench

D.D.H. 8 — Inclined
D.D.H. MC-1 — Vertical
U. S. Bureau of Mines diamond-drill holes

Boundary of coal-leasing unit

7 — Surface coal locality
Numbers correspond to those in text and on plate I