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ABSTRACT

The Martinsburg Formation underlies the northern half of Lehigh and Northampton Counties, and is of Middle and Late Ordovician age. It is bounded on the south by older Ordovician limestone formations and on the north by a ridge-forming conglomerate of Silurian age. Recent mapping has supported a three-part division of the Martinsburg into a lower thin-bedded slate (Bushkill Member), a middle graywacke-bearing unit (Ramseyburg Member), and an upper thick-bedded slate (Pen Argyl Member).

Glacial deposits of Illinoian age blanket about three-fourths of the area and become thinner westward and southward. Sands and gravels of Wisconsin age are present in the easternmost part of the area.

Ground water in the Martinsburg Formation moves through fractures and bedding-plane openings. The size, density, and degree of interconnection of the openings determine the water-yielding potential of the rocks. In many places the Martinsburg is overlain by thick, water-saturated beds of permeable sand and gravel of glacial origin that act as a natural reservoir and serve to increase the amount of water available to wells. The large yields of the wells along the slope of Blue Mountain, which supply the boroughs of Bangor and Slatington, are probably a result of this relationship.

Data were collected on 332 wells in Lehigh County and 402 wells in Northampton County. Fifty-four wells were test pumped for 1 hour; however, only one nondomestic well was available for testing. Chemical analyses of 36 water samples were made in the laboratory, and measurements of hardness and specific conductance of about 550 samples were made in the field.

The wells from which the data were collected were classified as either domestic or nondomestic, depending on the use for which the well was drilled, because the use generally determined the characteristics of the well. Public supply, industrial, commercial, institution, and irrigation wells make up the nondomestic category. The depths of the nondomestic wells average about twice those of the domestic wells (240 feet versus 125 feet in Lehigh County and 225 feet versus 112 feet in Northampton County). Also, the nondomestic wells yield about three to five times as much water as the domestic wells—36 gpm (gallons per minute) versus 13 gpm in Lehigh County and 75 gpm versus 15 gpm in Northampton County.

Well depths were generally least in the Pen Argyl Member and greatest in the Bushkill Member. Median yields of domestic wells were greatest in the Pen Argyl and least in the Bushkill. Median yields of nondomestic wells were also greatest in the Pen Argyl but showed no trend in the other members.

Specific capacities were computed from yield and drawdown data supplied by drillers and from 1-hour pumping tests conducted by U.S. Geological Survey personnel. The two sets of data yielded similar results. Their most outstanding feature is their wide range, as the largest specific capacity is 1,000 times the smallest. The specific capacities were greatest in the Pen Argyl Member and least in the Bushkill Member. The formation as a whole had a specific capacity of about 0.5 gpm per foot of drawdown.

Wells were generally deepest on uplands, shallower on slopes and shallowest in valleys. Yields and specific capacities were affected little by the topographic position of the well.

Casing depths furnished an estimate of the thickness of the glacial deposits in the area. In general the deposits thin southward and westward across Northampton County but show little trend in Lehigh County. Several narrow tongues of glacial deposits are more than 100 feet thick.

Yielding zones are most abundant between 50 and 150 feet below land surface, but they are sufficiently abundant to depths of about 400 feet to make drilling to this depth worthwhile where maximum yields are needed. Most wells tap two or three yielding zones.

Median static water levels were deepest in the uplands (40 feet below land surface in Lehigh County and 30 feet in Northampton County) and shallowest in valleys (14 feet and 12 feet, respectively, in the two counties).

Chemical analyses show that the ground water has a median dissolved-solids content of 166 mg/l (milligrams per liter), but four samples range from 488 to 935 mg/l. The principal dissolved constituents are calcium, magnesium, bicarbonate, and sulfate ions. Most of the samples are low in iron, manganese, and fluoride. Approximately half the samples contained less than 8 mg/l chloride and 0.5 mg/l nitrate. Higher concentrations are believed to be due to contamination by the activities of man. Only two samples contained more than 45 mg/l nitrate (the limit suggested by the U.S. Public Health Service for drinking water).

About 5 percent of the wells contain hydrogen sulfide, chiefly in the lower two members. The gas occurs naturally in the rocks and is formed by the anaerobic decomposition of sulfide minerals deposited at the time the sediments were laid down. The sodium-rich character of some of the water associated with the gas indicates that the water originally entrapped in the sediments has not been completely flushed out.

Field measurements of hardness and specific conductance indicate that water in the Martinsburg becomes increasingly more mineralized from north to south. The topographic position of the well apparently exerts little effect on the hardness or conductance of the water.

PURPOSE AND SCOPE OF THE STUDY

This study is part of a continuing program to investigate the ground-water resources of Pennsylvania. The investigations are made by the U.S. Geological Survey in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Topographic and Geologic Survey.

The Martinsburg Formation was selected for study because it has one of the greatest areal extents of any geologic formation in southeastern Pennsylvania. Thus, a knowledge of the occurrence, movement, availability, and quality of the ground water in the formation will aid in the efficient economic development of this part of the state.

LOCATION AND GEOGRAPHIC SETTING

The area in Northampton and Lehigh Counties underlain by the Martinsburg Formation lies between 75°00' and 76°00' west longitude and between 40°30' and 41°00' north latitude. It includes parts of the Portland, Stroudsburg, Belvidere, Bangor, Wind Gap, Kunkletown, Palmerton, Lehigh, Nazareth, Catsauqua, Cementon, Slatedale, New Tripoli, New Ringgold, Allentown West, Topton, and Kutztown 7½-minute quadrangles (Figure 1).

The area lies in the Great Valley section of the Valley and Ridge province. It is maturely dissected and slopes gently southeastward. The highest part of the Martinsburg is along the flank of Blue Mountain in Lynn Township, Lehigh County, where it reaches an altitude of about 1,370 feet. The lowest exposures of the Martinsburg are along the Delaware River in Lower Mount Bethel Township, Northampton County, at an altitude of about 230 feet.

The eastern part of the area underlain by the Martinsburg drains directly to the Delaware River, the central part drains to the Lehigh River, and the western part drains to the Schuylkill River.

The climate of this part of the Commonwealth is mild and humid. Data from the U.S. Weather Bureau station at the Allentown airport shows that the mean annual temperature is 50.9° F and that the mean monthly temperature ranges from 28.5° F in January to 74.1° F in July. The average annual precipitation is 42.25 inches and is fairly uniformly distributed throughout the year, although about 57 percent falls during the period April through September (Kauffman, 1960, p. 8).

METHOD OF STUDY

An inventory was made of 402 wells in Northampton County and 332 wells in Lehigh County, and 1-hour pumping tests were made on 54 wells. Field measurements of hardness and specific conductance were made on water from about 550 of the wells. These well data are listed in Table 6 and the locations of the wells are shown in Plate 1. Chemical analyses of water from 35 wells and 1 spring were made in the laboratory and the results are given in Table 7.

WELL-NUMBERING SYSTEM

Wells cited in this report have been assigned an identification number and a location number. The identification number consists of a two-letter abbreviation

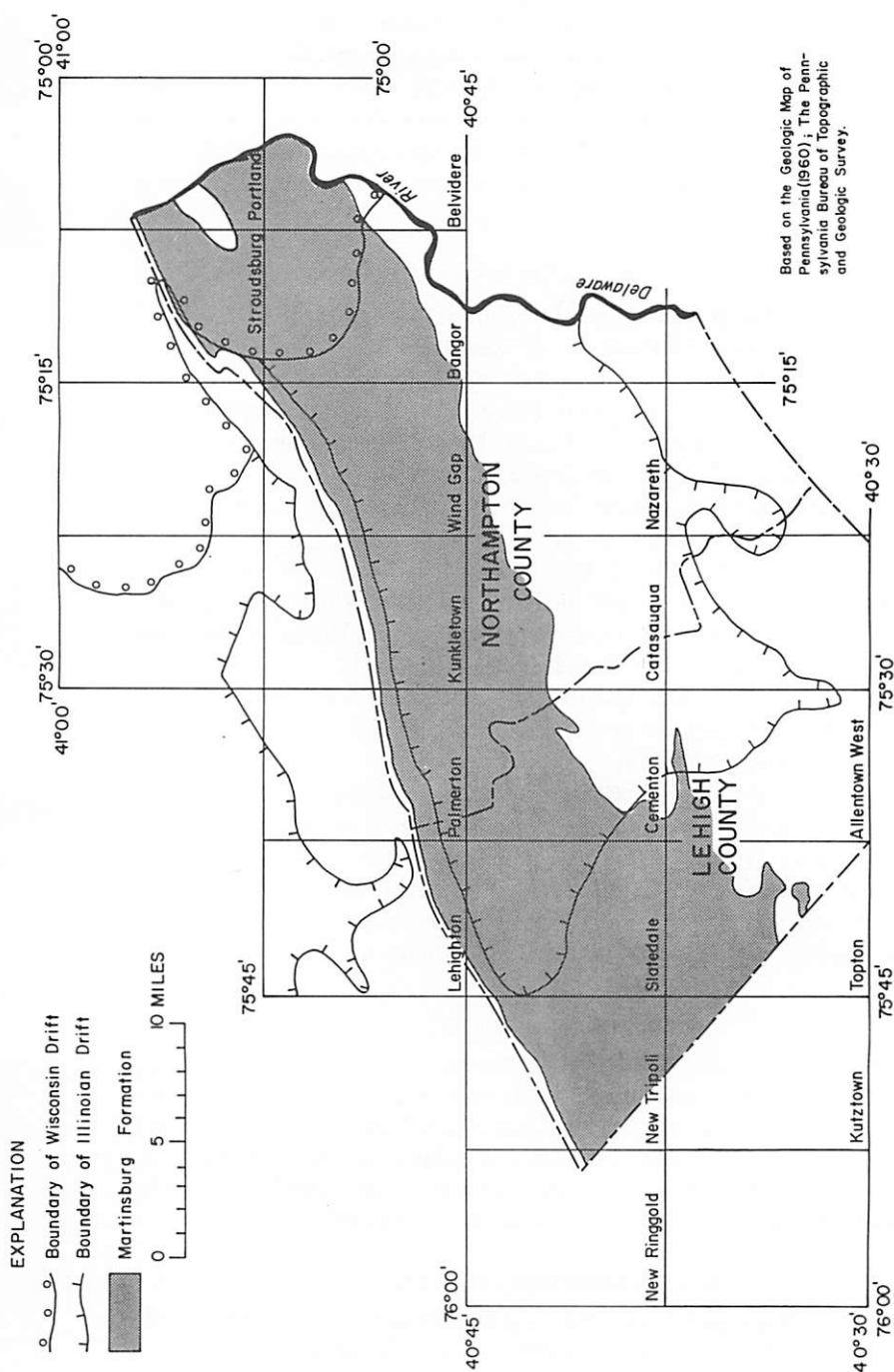


Figure 1. Location of the study area and boundaries of the glacial drift.

of the county in which the well is situated and a serial number that was assigned at the time the well was inventoried. The abbreviation is Le for wells in Lehigh County and Np for wells in Northampton County.

The location number is a four-digit number specifying the minutes of latitude and longitude of the southeast corner of the 1-minute quadrangle in which the well is located. As the study area lies entirely between 40° and 41° north latitude and 75° and 76° west longitude, the degrees have not been specified.

For example, well Np-258, location number 5012, was the 258th well scheduled in Northampton County and lies in the 1-minute quadrangle bounded on the south by latitude (40°) 50' and bounded on the east by longitude (75°) 12'.

PREVIOUS INVESTIGATIONS

Many reports have been written about the Martinsburg Formation in Lehigh and Northampton Counties; however, only a few need be mentioned here. An excellent bibliography of the general area is given by Miller (1939, p. 12) in his report on Northampton County. In the same report, the Martinsburg Formation is discussed by Miller and Behre (1939, p. 263). Willard (1941, p. 213) discusses the Martinsburg in Lehigh County. Recently the formation has been restudied by Davis and others (1967), Drake and Epstein (1967), Epstein and Epstein (1967), and Drake and others (1969).

A reconnaissance of the ground water in the Martinsburg was described by Hall (1934) in a report on ground water in southeastern Pennsylvania.

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GEOLOGY

MARTINSBURG FORMATION

The Martinsburg Formation consists dominantly of fine-grained clastic rocks that stratigraphically overlie calcareous beds of Middle Ordovician age and underlie a ridge-forming conglomerate of Silurian age. It has been variously subdivided

into either two or three members (Drake and Epstein, 1967). The number of members delineated by different geologists has depended in large part on their interpretation of the geologic structure. Those geologists recognizing only two members have visualized the Martinsburg as being folded into a syncline in which a lower slate member forms the flanks of the syncline and an upper sandstone member occupies the central part of the syncline. Those geologists delineating three members believe the structure to be essentially monoclinical and the formation to consist of a lower slate member, a middle sandstone member, and an upper slate member.

Recent detailed mapping supports the three-part subdivision of the Martinsburg and shows that although the structure has the superficial appearance of a monocline, it is much more complicated. Drake and Epstein (1967, p. 6) describe the structure as a

... highly complicated, refolded, crystalline-cored nappe de recouvrement—the Musconetcong nappe. The Martinsburg in this area lies mainly in the normal limb and imbricated brow of this nappe and has the appearance of a northwestward-dipping monocline . . . Progressively younger rocks are exposed from south to north across the outcrop belt, but locally the sequence is overturned, especially in the Wind Gap-Pen Argyl area, Pennsylvania.

Drake and Epstein (1967) have named the three members, from lower to upper, the Bushkill, Ramseyburg, and Pen Argyl Members. Their nomenclature and stratigraphy are followed in this report.

Most of the commercially valuable slate from the formation has been quarried in the Pen Argyl Member or in the upper part of the Ramseyburg. Some low grade slate was formerly taken from the Bushkill.

Glaciers advanced into the area at least twice during the Pleistocene Epoch, and each time movement was westward along the valley rather than over Kittatinny Mountain. The ice flowed over the mountain only in the vicinity of Delaware Water Gap. The Illinoian glacier extended much farther westward than the younger (Wisconsin) glacier, covering all of the Martinsburg in Northampton County and about half of it in Lehigh County. The Wisconsin ice reached only 8 to 9 miles west of the Delaware River (Figure 1).

Bushkill Member

The Bushkill Member, or lower member, of the Martinsburg Formation is a dark-gray, thin-bedded claystone slate that weathers to a medium to light gray or yellowish brown. In places it contains thin beds of quartzose and graywacke siltstone and carbonaceous slate. On Bushkill Creek, seven beds of dolomite, 6 to 12 inches thick, occur between 20 and 250 feet above the base of the formation (Drake and Epstein, 1967, p. 6-8). Bedding in the Bushkill appears, generally, as bands of different color or composition. Slaty cleavage is dominant.

The Bushkill overlies carbonate rocks conformably along most of the lower contact, although some fault contacts are present locally. Where the contact is

conformable, the member grades from the carbonate rocks through a narrow zone in which the calcium carbonate content decreases. The upper contact is also gradational and is placed beneath the lowest prominent graywacke bed.

The member is estimated to be about 4,000 feet thick, but the estimate may be high because of undetected repetition of beds by faulting or folding.

Ramseyburg Member

The Ramseyburg Member, or middle member, consists of a series of alternating beds of light- to medium-gray claystone slate, graywacke siltstone, and fine- to medium-grained (locally finely conglomeratic) graywacke that weathers to yellowish brown. The slate in the lower 200 feet resembles that of the underlying Bushkill but becomes progressively thicker bedded upward, taking on the characteristics of the overlying Pen Argyl Member (Drake and Epstein, 1967, p. 9-12). The graywacke, which constitutes about 20 to 30 percent of the member, is cyclical in character. Each bed commonly represents a single cycle that grades upward from graywacke to medium-gray slate to grayish-black carbonaceous slate. Some of the cycles are incomplete. The beds are commonly lenticular and range from less than 1 inch to more than 4 feet in thickness.

The graywacke beds become progressively thinner as the Ramseyburg grades into the Pen Argyl and give way to thin beds of quartzose slate or subgraywacke siltstone. The top of the Ramseyburg is placed at the top of the highest prominent graywacke interval. East of the Delaware River the Ramseyburg is overlain unconformably by the Shawangunk Formation of Silurian age.

The claystone has a well-developed slaty cleavage that is typical of the entire formation. The graywacke is also broken by a poor to good fracture cleavage that grades into flow cleavage in intensely deformed areas. The cleavage is commonly refracted where it passes from slate into graywacke.

The member is estimated to be about 2,800 feet thick. It is somewhat thicker toward the southwest, where the graywacke beds are lower in the unit.

Pen Argyl Member

The Pen Argyl Member, or upper member, is a dark-gray to blackish claystone slate that weathers to yellowish brown. It is regularly intercalated with thin beds of quartzose slate and carbonaceous claystone slate. A typical cycle grades from quartzose slate to thick-bedded claystone slate to carbonaceous slate. The quartzose beds are coarse grained. Their average thickness is about 1 foot but may be as much as 3 feet. The slate beds, on the other hand, are commonly about 5 feet thick but may be as much as 15 feet thick. Slaty cleavage is well developed in this member, and a second-generation slip cleavage is present locally.

The Pen Argyl Member is estimated to be between 3,000 and 6,000 feet thick. The thickness is difficult to determine because the member is covered nearly everywhere by glacial deposits and because the Shawangunk Formation overlies unconformably an unknown thickness of the Pen Argyl.

GLACIAL DEPOSITS

The glacial deposits consist of poorly sorted till and well-sorted outwash and ice-contact deposits. The Illinoian deposits are deeply weathered to dark brown, in contrast to the less weathered, generally buff Wisconsin drift. The older (Illinoian) deposits are composed predominantly of the most resistant rock types (quartzite, conglomerate, and sandstone). Limestone is almost totally absent and granite and gneiss are rare (Ward, 1938, p. 46). The matrix of the Illinoian till is more compact than that of Wisconsin age.

The amount of casing used in a domestic well is a fairly accurate measure of the thickness of the glacial, weathered, or other unconsolidated rocks present at any particular place. In Northampton County glacial deposits comprise the bulk of the unconsolidated rocks and thin southward and westward. The median casing depths given in Table 1 for each of the members reflect the change in thickness from north to south. Narrow tongues of glacial sand and gravel more than 100 feet thick are present along the north edge of the area. Four such tongues lie in the areas just east of Danielsville, Youngsville, and Delabole, and in the area extending from the Delaware River to the vicinity of Johnsonville and Totts Gap School (Plate 1).

No trend in the thickness of the glacial deposits is evident in Lehigh County. However, several wells contain more than 100 feet of casing. These wells are either near the north edge of the formation, where the glacial sands and gravels are locally thicker, or near the south edge of the formation, where tectonic movements have promoted deeper weathering of the bedrock.

HYDROLOGY

PRINCIPLES OF GROUND-WATER OCCURRENCE

Ground water is precipitation that has infiltrated downward through soil and openings in the rocks to a zone within which all interconnected openings are filled with water under pressure equal to or greater than atmospheric. The upper surface of this zone is at atmospheric pressure and is called the water table. Ground water moves continuously from points of high hydraulic head to points of lower hydraulic head and eventually to places of discharge such as a spring, a stream, or a well.

When water is added to the ground-water reservoir (aquifer) at a faster rate than it can be discharged, the water level rises in the aquifer. The amount of recharge an aquifer receives depends primarily upon the amount and distribution of precipitation. In the area of investigation recharge occurs mainly during the winter and spring months, although slightly more precipitation falls between April and September than between October and March. High temperatures and the growth of plants cause the evapotranspiration of nearly all precipitation during the warmer months. By the middle of May, generally, water levels begin to decline and may continue to do so past the period of high temperatures and the growing season. A cool and unusually wet summer and fall may allow recharge

Table 1. Summary of Well Data

County	Type of well	Well position	Well depth			Casing depth			Reported yield			Static water level depth below land surface		
			Number of wells	Median (feet)	Range	Number of wells	Median (feet)	Range	Number of wells	Median (gpm)	Range (gpm)	Number of wells	Median (feet)	Range (feet)
Lehigh	Bedrock domestic wells	Pen Argyl Member	49	103	58-300	43	30	12-103	37	15	7-43	41	22	Flowing-100
		Ramseyburg Member	98	115	53-690	84	30	6-282	70	13	2-50	90	25	Flowing-150
		Bushkill Member	111	156	42-600	94	26	2-130	80	10	$\frac{3}{4}$ -60	91	35	2-218
		Uplands	77	165	76-690	65	30	7-282	64	13	$\frac{3}{4}$ -60	62	45	7-200
	Bedrock non- domestic wells	Slopes	103	125	52-600	89	30	2-130	78	13	1-50	93	30	Flowing-218
		Valleys	78	102	42-315	67	23	6-100	45	13	3-45	67	14	Flowing-100
		Formation as a whole	258	125	42-690	221	30	2-282	187	13	$\frac{3}{4}$ -60	222	30	Flowing-218
		Pen Argyl Member	11	202	160-710	9	44	16-194	10	144	45-374	10	24	2-80
		Ramseyburg Member	10	320	62-410	7	41	20-70	10	25	10-105	9	4	Flowing-83
		Bushkill Member	48	241	67-700	36	33	8-84	46	26	2-230	39	25	Flowing 176
		Uplands	7	410	150-700	4	51	21-70	7	35	7-110	6	42	38-83
		Slopes	30	250	110-710	23	56	20-194	28	62	2-374	26	30	2-130
		Valleys	32	208	62-700	25	25	8-68	31	28	10-230	26	6	Flowing-176
		Formation as a whole	69	240	62-710	52	38	8-194	66	36	2-374	58	22	Flowing-176
Northampton	Bedrock domestic wells	Pen Argyl Member	54	105	36-305	42	58	15-225	28	25	5-100	45	20	Flowing-55
		Ramseyburg Member	131	120	35-355	103	30	6-170	81	15	2-65	101	20	Flowing-133
		Bushkill Member	149	115	43-580	111	20	3-139	89	11	$\frac{1}{2}$ -90	115	20	Flowing-144
		Uplands	57	140	60-580	40	20	3-60	39	12	$\frac{1}{2}$ -60	42	30	5-141
	Bedrock non- domestic wells	Slopes	204	110	36-555	153	33	3-170	110	12	2-70	161	20	Flowing-133
		Valleys	73	102	35-275	63	33	5-225	49	20	5-100	58	12	Flowing-60
		Formation as a whole	334	112	35-580	256	28	3-225	198	15	$\frac{1}{2}$ -100	261	20	Flowing-141
		Pen Argyl Member	25	158	38-1,177	20	117	38-401	14	122	50-360	17	Flowing	Flowing-90
		Ramseyburg Member	8	225	67-800	5	90	25-500	3	17	15-150	5	29	Flowing-165
		Bushkill Member	13	335	160-700	10	33	8-150	10	42	6-80	13	19	Flowing-51
		Uplands	3	400	170-590	3	100	20-500	2	55	50-60	2	21	Flowing-51
	Glacial deposits	Slopes	28	169	38-1,177	22	106	25-401	18	106	6-360	20	Flowing	Flowing-165
		Valleys	15	268	67-700	10	42	8-150	7	33	12-80	13	22	Flowing-90
		Formation as a whole	46	225	38-1,177	35	94	8-500	27	75	6-360	35	10	Flowing-165
		Domestic wells	12	72	35-180	11	74	45-180	7	20	9-80	9	8	Flowing-30
		Non-domestic wells	4	78	66-110	3	84	72-110	3	75	50-230	3	24	Flowing-28
		Combined	16	73	35-180	14	77	45-180	10	40	9-230	12	12	Flowing-30

to occur a few weeks earlier than usual and may hold water levels slightly above their normal lows, but little recharge occurs during the growing period.

In unconsolidated rocks, such as the glacial sands and gravels, water is present in and moves through the interstices between the grains (called primary openings). Water enters a well drilled in these materials throughout the entire saturated thickness of the aquifer that is open to the well. In consolidated rocks, such as the sandstone and shale of the Martinsburg Formation, the water occurs mainly in fractures (called secondary openings), so that a well in these rocks receives water only through a few discrete zones that are separated from each other by nonproductive zones.

Changes in the lithology of the unconsolidated rocks or in the fracture pattern in the consolidated rocks produce changes in their permeability and storage capacity. If the hydraulic conductivity of the rocks increases away from a well, the drawdown in the well during pumping will increase less rapidly than it would if the hydraulic conductivity were uniform; if the hydraulic conductivity decreases away from the well, the drawdown will increase more rapidly.

FRACTURE TRACES

Fracture traces are natural linear features that are visible on aerial photographs, and are believed to be surface expressions of fractures in the underlying bedrock. In areas underlain chiefly by fractured rocks such as the present study area, where most of the ground water occurs in fractures rather than in pore spaces, a knowledge of the location of the fractures is helpful in developing ground-water supplies. For this reason, the locations of fracture traces are shown in Plate 1. However, time did not permit the checking of these features in the field.

According to Lattman (1958, p. 569), fracture traces consist of topographic (including straight stream segments), vegetational, or soil-tonal alignments, which are visible primarily on aerial photographs, and are expressed continuously for less than 1 mile. Similar features that are expressed continuously for at least 1 mile, and continuously or discontinuously for several miles, are defined as lineaments and are considered to be due to deep-seated movements.

Fracture traces do not include linear features that are obviously related to bedding, striation, foliation, and stratigraphic contacts. They are believed to be related to individual joints, zones of closely spaced joints, or small-scale faults. Inasmuch as these features remain straight over irregular topographic surfaces, they are believed to be steeply inclined. Traces of slightly to moderately inclined fractures would be sinuous in areas of substantial relief and probably would not be recognized as fracture traces on aerial photographs.

Fracture traces were identified and plotted on photographs at a scale of approximately 1:20,000, first with the unaided eye, then with a stereoscopic lens. Projections of the photo were then reduced to a scale of 1:24,000 and the fracture traces were transferred to topographic maps of that scale. Few fractures were plotted in forested sections because of the difficulty in distinguishing the numerous woodlot lines of past timbering operations from natural linear features.

Also, few traces were plotted parallel to the general northeast-southwest strike of bedding because of the possibility of mistaking bedding traces for fracture traces. Only the most conspicuous linear features were plotted. Care was taken to determine that the traces were not man-made features.

WATER-BEARING PROPERTIES OF THE FORMATION

Effect of Use

The use to which a well is put often determines the physical characteristics of the well. A well that is drilled for public supply, industrial, commercial, institution, or irrigation use will generally be deeper and yield more water (and so enable more full appraisal of the aquifer at that point) than a well drilled for domestic use. For this reason the wells inventoried during this investigation have been grouped in two categories. The nondomestic wells are as follows:

Use of well	Number of wells	
	Lehigh County	Northampton County
Public supply	17	34
Industrial	16	5
Commercial	0	5
Institution	6	1
Irrigation	30	1

Nondomestic wells are the best source of information about the aquifer, but they are scarce and are unevenly distributed. Therefore, information on domestic wells is used to supplement that from the nondomestic wells and to supply information on the water-bearing properties of the formation in areas where such information is otherwise lacking.

Data on well depth, casing depth, reported yield, and static water level are summarized in Table 1 by county, use, geologic member, and topographic position.

Well and Casing Depths

The median depth of domestic wells is about the same in each of the members in both counties, ranging from 102 to 120 feet, except in the Bushkill Member in Lehigh County where the median depth is 156 feet. A large number of the deeper wells in this unit are in upland areas where the median depth is 184 feet. The average nondomestic well is about twice as deep as the average domestic well.

The median depth of casing in domestic wells is about 30 feet in both counties. Nondomestic wells in Lehigh County have only a slightly greater median depth of casing (38 feet), but those in Northampton County contain about three times as much casing.

The topographic position of the well has a slight effect on the depth to which

the well is drilled. Wells on uplands average 30 to 40 feet deeper than those on slopes and are deeper in Lehigh County than in Northampton County. Wells in valleys tend to be somewhat shallower than those on slopes, but the difference in depth is much smaller than between wells on uplands and on slopes.

Topography exerts only a slight and inconsistent effect on the lengths of casing required in domestic wells. However, nondomestic wells on uplands and slopes contain about twice as much casing as they do in valleys. Furthermore, these wells contain about twice as much casing in Northampton County as they do in Lehigh County in the corresponding topographic position.

Water-Bearing Zones

Most wells in the Martinsburg obtain water from several discrete openings separated from one another by nonyielding or barren zones. Table 2 summarizes the data available on water-bearing zones. The table contains a variety of information.

First, as the denominator of the fraction indicates the number of wells penetrating any particular depth range, the denominator of the shallowest range obviously indicates the total number of wells in that unit for which data on depth to water-bearing zones were obtained. Thus, data were obtained from 72 wells in the Ramseyburg Member in Lehigh County.

Second, the table indicates the maximum depth range of the wells and yielding zones for which data were obtained. For example, in Northampton County two wells on slopes reach the 751- to 800-foot depth range and one of these is 1,030 feet deep. However, only a single yielding zone was encountered below 400 feet and that was in the 751- to 800-foot range.

Third, the relative abundance of zones at different depths is shown by the value of the fraction. However, abundance ratios become less sensitive as the depth increases, because the size of the sample decreases.

Most of the wells yield water from two or three zones and a few obtain water from as many as six openings. Yielding zones are most abundant in the Martinsburg in the 50- to 150-foot depth range; however, they are sufficiently abundant to about 400 feet below land surface to make drilling to this depth worthwhile where maximum well yields are needed. There are generally not enough water-bearing zones below 400 feet to justify the added expense of drilling below that depth. However, data on water-bearing zones at depths greater than 300 feet beneath valleys are not sufficiently abundant for evaluation, because wells in valleys are shallower than those in other topographic positions. Lehigh County wells provide more information on the deeper zones than do the Northampton County wells because of the greater abundance of deep wells in Lehigh County. The topographic position of a well does not appear to be important in determining either the depth or frequency of occurrence of water-bearing zones.

The effect of multiple water-bearing zones on the yield of the well appears to be surprisingly slight. Figure 2 shows the median yield of wells in the Martinsburg in the two counties classified according to the number of water-bearing

Table 2. Summary of Data on Water-Bearing Zones

County	Well Position	Ratio of number of water-bearing zones of specified depth range to number of wells penetrating this range ¹ (depth, in feet)																Percentage distribution of zones per well (zones per well)						
		0-51	51-100	101-150	151-200	201-250	251-300	301-350	351-400	401-450	451-500	501-550	551-600	601-650	651-700	701-750	751-800	Depth >800	1	2	3	4	5	6
Lehigh	Pen Argyl Member	21/39	37/39	23/25	7/11	1/5	4/4	1/3	1/3	0/3	1/3	1/3	0/2	2/12	0/2	0/1		13	28	51	5	3		
	Ramseyburg Member	27/72	63/72	29/55	17/30	6/20	6/12	3/9	2/9	0/2	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	1/1			28	32	36	4			
	Bushkill Member	15/68	55/68	30/62	8/31	8/33	8/18	3/13	7/7	0/6	3/4	1/4	0/4	0/2	1/1			29	43	16	6	3	3	
	Uplands	15/54	44/54	27/48	21/36	8/23	4/12	2/10	3/7	0/5	2/3	0/3	0/3	0/2	1/1			20	39	33	6	0	2	
	Slopes	26/76	68/76	39/62	15/35	3/24	7/14	4/9	1/5	0/5	2/4	2/4	0/3	2/2	0/1			24	34	33	6	3		
	Valleys	22/49	43/49	16/32	4/11	4/8	4/6	1/6	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	1/1			33	33	28	2	2	2	
	Formation as a whole	63/179	155/179	82/142	50/92	15/38	7/34	4/13	0/11	4/8	2/8	0/7	2/5	4/4	0/1			25	35	32	5	2	1	
Northampton	Pen Argyl Member	3/18	16/18	8/13	2/4	0/3	1/3	1/3	1/2	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1,030		39	44	17				
	Ramseyburg Member	23/66	51/66	19/48	7/23	14/44	7/21	0/2	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1		53	33	9	3	2		
	Bushkill Member	26/61	37/61	16/46	13/37	3/12	3/6	0/2	1/2	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	1/1				48	44	6	0	2		
	Uplands	12/28	9/28	5/24	0/10	2/4	2/4	1/3	1/2	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	1/1				39	50	11				
	Slopes	25/82	64/82	25/62	13/35	9/21	2/9	1/3	0/3	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/1,030		48	38	11	2	1		
	Valleys	15/35	22/35	9/21	5/9	1/4	1/4	2/2	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1	0/1			60	34	3	0	3		
	Formation as a whole	52/145	104/145	43/107	23/54	10/21	5/13	1/7	2/5	0/3	0/3	1/3	0/2	0/2	0/2	0/1,030		49	39	9	1.5	1.5		

¹The numerator of the fraction is the number of water-bearing zones and the denominator is the number of wells sampled in the particular depth range.

zones penetrated by the well. Wells in Lehigh County penetrating 5 or 6 zones and in Northampton County penetrating 4 or 5 zones are too few to furnish a meaningful median yield.

Well Yields

The capacity of a well to yield water is generally tested at the time the well is drilled. The rate at which water must be withdrawn from the well either by bailing (if the well was drilled with a churn drill) or by blowing (if the well was drilled with a pneumatic rotary drill) to maintain the water level near the bottom of the well is considered to be the yield of the well. The carefulness with which the water level is maintained near the bottom of the well during the test is an important factor in determining the accuracy of the measurement of the yield. The depth to water is generally estimated only roughly in this type of test, however, so that yield figures are less satisfactory than specific capacities for estimating the well's capacity. (See next section.) Inasmuch as yields are commonly reported on wells, they are used in this report as a guide to the capacity of the well or aquifer. Data on well yields are summarized in Table 1 and on specific capacities in Table 3.

Pen Argyl Member

Half the domestic wells in the Pen Argyl yield 15 gpm or less in Lehigh County and 25 gpm or less in Northampton County. The median yield of the non-domestic wells is 144 gpm in Lehigh and 122 gpm in Northampton. About one-fourth of the wells in the member as a whole yield more than 50 gpm and 17 percent yield over 100 gpm. Most of the high-yielding wells are along the slope of Blue Mountain. Only one well yields less than 5 gpm.

Ramseyburg Member

Half the domestic wells in the Ramseyburg yield 13 gpm or less in Lehigh County and 15 gpm or less in Northampton County. The median yield of non-domestic wells is about twice that of the domestic wells in Lehigh County; but, as data on only three nondomestic wells in Northampton County are available, evaluation and comparison of these wells are not warranted. Only 7 percent of the wells in the member yield more than 50 gpm and only 2 wells yield more than 100 gpm. Five percent of the wells yield less than 5 gpm.

Bushkill Member

Half the domestic wells in the Bushkill in both Lehigh and Northampton Counties yield about 10 gpm or less. On the other hand, half the nondomestic wells yield less than 26 gpm in Lehigh County and less than 42 gpm in Northampton County. Only 8 percent of the wells in the two counties yield more than 50 gpm, although about half of these yield over 100 gpm. Sixteen percent of the wells yield less than 5 gpm.

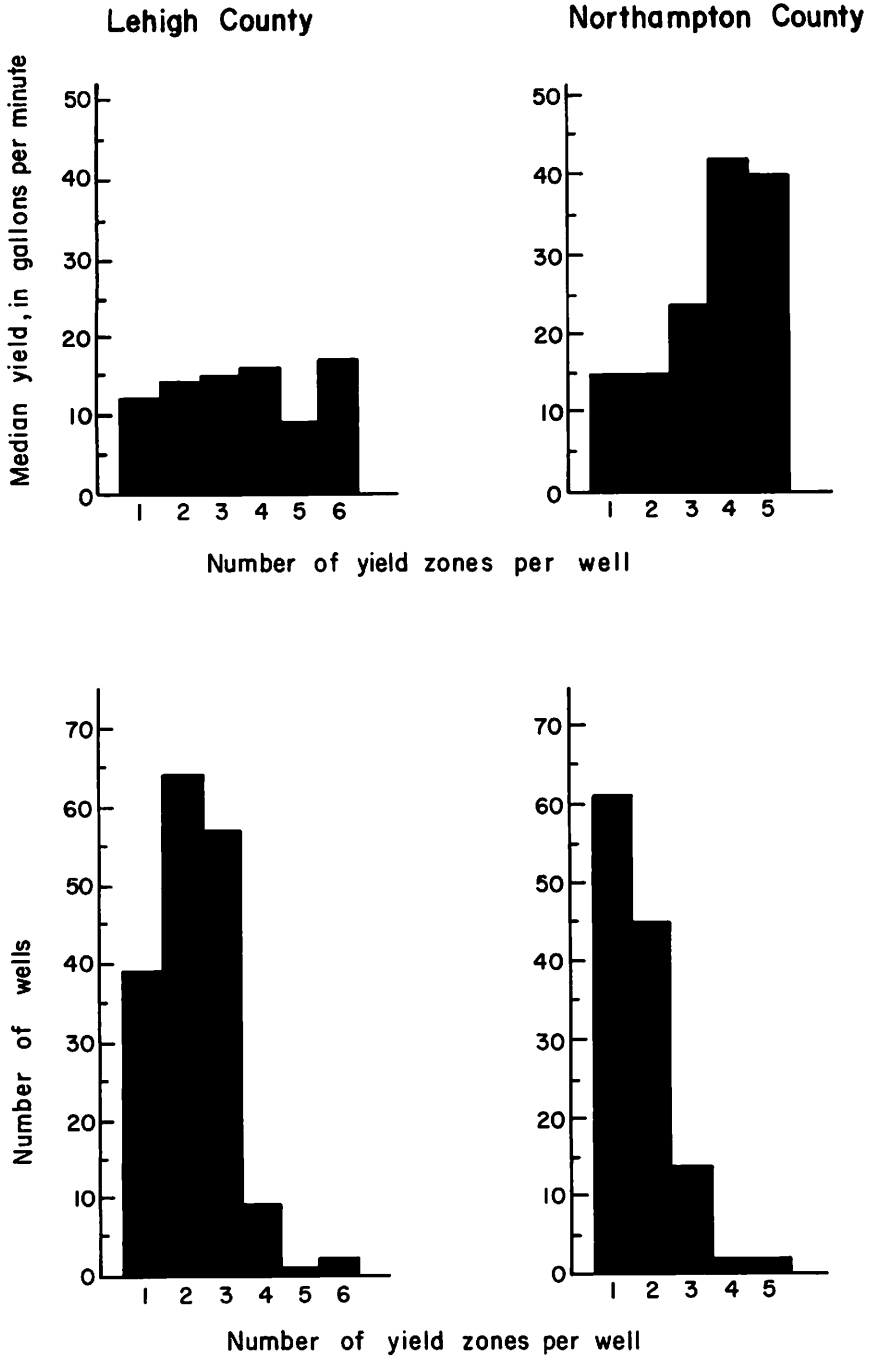


Figure 2. Relation of the yield of wells to the number of water-bearing zones.

The topographic position of domestic wells in the Martinsburg Formation apparently has little effect on their yield; only the valley wells in Northampton County (median yield 20 gpm) obtain more than the median yield of 12 to 13 gpm reported for all topographic positions in the two counties. Nondomestic wells on slopes have a median yield of 62 gpm in Lehigh and 196 gpm in Northampton County—five to nine times as much as domestic wells—and yield two to three times as much as nondomestic wells on uplands and in valleys.

Glacial Deposits

Yields are reported on 10 wells drilled in glacial material in Northampton County; all but one were drilled for domestic use. The median yield is 40 gpm—nearly three times that of the domestic bedrock wells in the county, but the median depth is only about two-thirds that of the bedrock wells. The smallest yield reported is 9 gpm.

Specific Capacities

The specific capacity of a well is the amount of water, in gallons per minute, that may be pumped from a well for each foot that the water level is lowered in the well. It may be used to estimate the approximate rate at which the well can be pumped for any assumed drawdown. The estimate becomes less accurate as the pumping rate is increased because the water has increased difficulty entering the borehole due to the increased turbulence. The amount of turbulence is due to such factors as the velocity of the water, the size of the openings in the rock around the well through which the water flows, and the diameter of the borehole.

A specific capacity is a more accurate estimate of a well's capability of yielding water than the commonly reported yield figure, because it is not necessary to assume, in computing the specific capacity, that the water level was maintained at any particular drawdown (as at the bottom in the case of yield). Rather, the water level need only be measured near the end of the pumping and then divided into the average rate of discharge.

Both specific capacity and yield decrease slowly as pumping continues. Furthermore, both values decrease as the water level in the well declines below a yielding zone.

Two sets of measurements of specific capacity are presented in Table 3. Recent state regulations require drillers to submit well-completion reports that include, along with other well data, the rate at which the well was test pumped and the drawdown near the end of the test. Specific capacities computed from these data are tabulated as reported capacities. Unfortunately, the well inventory in Northampton County was completed before many of the data were available. Pumping tests of about 1-hour duration were made on 54 wells by personnel of the U.S. Geological Survey. Specific capacities computed from these data are tabulated as 1-hour specific capacities.

The most outstanding feature of these data is their great variability; the largest

specific capacity is 1,000 times the smallest. In most categories, therefore, the sample size is too small to permit adequate evaluation. Perhaps the reported capacities only of domestic wells in Lehigh County are sufficiently abundant to properly represent the median values in the several categories. The 73 reported values are fairly evenly distributed and indicate a progressive decline, from the Pen Argyl to the Bushkill Members, in the aquifer's capability of yielding water. Further, wells on uplands and slopes have similar yields, but they yield considerably less than wells in valleys. The median specific capacity of the formation is about 0.5 gpm per foot of drawdown.

Well Interference

When two or more wells are drilled within a small area, the pumping of one of the wells may lower the water level in the other well(s) and so interfere with the performance of the other well(s). In a homogeneous and isotropic aquifer the effects of pumping may be readily calculated for any distance, direction, or duration and rate of pumping if the transmissivity, or rate at which water can be moved through the aquifer, and storage coefficient of the aquifer are known. These coefficients may be calculated if an initial test is made in which the pumping rate, the distance to a nearby well in the same aquifer, and periodic measurements of drawdown in the nearby well during pumping are measured.

Unconsolidated rocks commonly meet the theoretical requirements for such calculations; however, consolidated rocks rarely do, because their water is confined to a few narrow channels such as fractures or bedding planes, so that the aquifer is extremely inhomogeneous and anisotropic. Under such conditions complete hydraulic connection between two wells is not likely to obtain.

If two nearby wells in a consolidated-rock aquifer are drilled along the same fracture or bedding plane, or closely connected ones, the pumping of one of the wells will affect the other. A well along a line from the pumped well at right angles to the strike of these water-bearing openings will be negligibly affected. Wells situated at an intermediate angle will be affected to an intermediate extent. Calculation of aquifer coefficients under such complex conditions, then, is likely to be an intellectual exercise rather than a step toward the solution of problems in quantitative hydrology.

In the present study only two tests were made to determine the aquifer coefficients, transmissivity and storage. Transmissivity is a measure of the ability of the aquifer to transmit water and is defined as the quantity of water, in gallons per day, that will flow through a vertical section of the aquifer 1-foot wide and extending the full height of the aquifer under a unit hydraulic gradient at the prevailing temperature of the water. The coefficient of storage of an aquifer is the volume of water it releases from or takes into storage per unit surface area of the aquifer per unit change in the component of head normal to that surface. Well Np-487 was pumped and drawdown was measured in well Np-488. The wells were then allowed to recover to static conditions, and well Np-488 was pumped while the water level in well Np-487 was monitored. Agreement between

Table 3. *Summary of Specific-Capacity Data*

Type of well	Well position	Reported specific capacity						1-hour specific capacity					
		Lehigh County			Northampton County			Lehigh County			Northampton County		
		Number of wells	Median (gpm per ft)	Range (gpm per ft)	Number of wells	Median (gpm per ft)	Range (gpm per ft)	Number of wells	Median (gpm per ft)	Range (gpm per ft)	Number of wells	Median (gpm per ft)	Range (gpm per ft)
Bedrock domestic wells	Pen Argyl Member	22	.62	.012-.3.5	3	2.3	1.0 -10	0	—	—	2	0.30	0.22-.37
	Ramseyburg Member	34	.30	.01-.3.4	6	.42	.08- 6.7	1	0.85	0.85	11	.80	.09-3.9
	Bushkill Member	17	.16	.01-.3.6	4	1.0	.23- 3.0	13	.38	.08-1.9	13	.16	.04-2.5
	Uplands	24	.40	.01-.3.6	1	1.2	1.2	5	.17	.05-1.9	4	.10	.04-.16
	Slopes	31	.34	.01-.3.4	7	1.0	.15-10	8	.75	.03-1.2	14	.29	.04-3.9
Bedrock non-domestic wells	Valleys	18	.62	.04-2.1	5	.54	.08- 6.7	1	.25	.25	8	1.2	.16-2.6
	Formation as a whole	73	.44	.01-.3.6	13	1.0	.08-10	14	.52	.03-1.9	26	.30	.04-3.9
	Pen Argyl Member	4	3.2	1.2 -4.2	3	2.1	.81- 3.2	2	2.4	.68-4.2	0	—	—
	Ramseyburg Member	3	.08	.03-.18	1	.06	.06	0	—	—	1	.46	.46
	Bushkill Member	18	.57	.01-.7.9	2	.24	.06-41	10	.91	.04-8.6	1	.59	.59
Bedrock non-domestic wells	Uplands	3	.04	.01-.82	1	.41	.41	1	8.6	8.6	0	—	—
	Slopes	12	.76	.03-4.2	4	1.5	.06- 3.2	5	.68	.04-4.2	2	.52	.46-.59
	Valleys	10	.70	.03-7.9	1	.06	.06	6	.91	.09-1.7	0	—	—
	Formation as a whole	25	.63	.01-7.9	6	.61	.06- 3.2	12	.89	.04-8.6	2	.52	.46-.59

the results of the two tests was surprisingly good because they lay along a line nearly parallel to the strike of the water-bearing zones. When well Np-488 was the "observed" well the transmissivity was measured as 2,500 gpd (gallons per day) per foot of saturated thickness of the aquifer. When well Np-487 was "observed" the transmissivity obtained was 1,300 gpd per foot. In both tests a storage coefficient of 0.00003 was obtained.

Static Water Level

Knowledge of the static water level in a well is important in estimating the amount of available drawdown in the well—that is, the height of the static water above the zone(s) at which the water enters the well. The static water level constitutes an index of the recharge-discharge regimen of the water in the aquifer. As noted earlier (p. 8), the rate of recharge varies with time and depends chiefly on the weather. The rate of natural discharge tends to fluctuate less, being controlled in large part by the hydraulic characteristics of the aquifer and by the hydraulic gradients toward the discharge outlets. Changes in the hydraulic gradients are reflected by the seasonal fluctuations in water level in wells.

No records of seasonal water-level fluctuations were collected in wells in the Martinsburg in Lehigh and Northampton Counties; however, records obtained from wells drilled in this formation in Dauphin County (Carswell and Hollowell, 1968, p. 23) indicate that seasonal effects are fairly small. During the period of measurement (1962-63) water levels fluctuated about their means approximately 3-1/2 to 6 feet in wells in uplands and only about 1 to 2 feet in wells in valleys.

The topographic position of the wells appears to have more effect on the depth to water than do the seasonal factors. The median water level in Lehigh County wells in uplands is slightly more than 40 feet below the land surface, and in wells in valleys it is 14 feet in domestic wells and 6 feet in nondomestic wells. The median depth to water in domestic wells in Northampton County is 30 feet in upland wells and 12 feet in valley wells. The depths to static water level in nondomestic wells in Northampton County are about the same in uplands and valleys—possibly because of the unusually large amounts of casing used in these wells. The water levels in each category were collected over a period of several years, so that seasonal effects should be negligible.

WATER QUALITY

Samples of water from 35 wells and 1 spring were analyzed in the U.S. Geological Survey laboratory. The results are shown in Table 7 and are summarized in Table 4. In addition, field measurements of hardness and specific conductance were made on about 550 samples. The field measurements are listed with other well data in Table 6 and are summarized in Table 5.

The dissolved constituents in the water were derived, for the most part, from the solution of natural materials through which the water passed. Locally, other material has been added by the activities of man.

Table 4. *Summary of Chemical Analyses*

		(Results in milligrams per liter except field hardness and specific conductance)																	Hardness as CaCO ₃		Specific Conductance (micromhos at 25°C)		
LEHIGH COUNTY	Geologic Member	Pen Argyl Member	Number of analyses	Silica (SiO ₂)	Total iron (Fe)	Total man- ganese (Mn)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- nesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO ₃)	Sul- fate (SO ₄)	Chlo- ride (CL)	Fluo- ride (F)	Nitrate (NO ₃)	Dis- solved solids (residue at 180°C)	Cal- cium, Mag- nesium	Non- car- bon- ate	Field	Lab	Field		
				4	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
				13	.03	.00	25	6.6	4	.6	57	22	5.5	.0	5.6	130	88	42	5	198	238	5	4
Ramseyburg Member	Number of analyses	7.6-	.02-	.00-	3.5-	1.3-	2.0-	3-	12-	5.7-	.8-	.0	.1-	30-	14-	2-	1-	42-	50-	356	400		
		18	3.6	.01	37	13	7.5	9	90	53	46	.1	13	255	146	72	9	356	400	8	8		
		8	.6	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8		
Bushkill Member	Number of analyses	12	.06	.00	28	6.4	8.2	.9	74	30	6.2	.1	14	153	91	32	6	264	300	209	210-		
		10-	.00-	.00-	2-	.4-	3.9-	.4-	43-	8.6-	2-	.0	.0	112-	7-	0-	2-	209-	210-	209-	210-		
		15	2.2	.04	49	10	74	2.0	178	89	30	1	26	275	164	107	10	407	450	10	407	450	
Uplands	Number of analyses	13	13	7	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13		
		12	.10	.01	29	8	5.3	.8	72	43	5	.0	7.2	153	95	44	6	237	280	6	237	280	
		5.6-	.02-	.00-	12-	3.7-	2.2-	.3-	34-	8.4-	2.2-	.0	.0	80-	45-	0	3-	108-	135-	0	108-	135-	
Slopes	Number of analyses	16	.92	.08	50	12	40	1.6	160	75	27	.1	21	221	161	80	9	320	350	320	350		
		7	7	4	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7		
		13	.09	.01	31	7.2	7.5	.9	95	34	7.6	.0	9.5	181	107	32	6	282	305	6	282	305	
Valleys	Number of analyses	6.4-	.05-	.00-	13-	4.3-	3.9-	.3-	34-	20-	60-	.0	.0	117-	60-	0	4-	166-	195-	0	166-	195-	
		16	.55	.03	49	12	40	1.5	160	65	30	.1	24	275	156	104	10	407	450	10	407	450	
		13	13	8	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	
Topographic Position	Number of analyses	12	.08	.00	24	6.8	5.0	.8	66	35	4.5	.0	10	150	92	52	6	222	265	6	222	265	
		5.8-	.00-	.00-	2.0-	.4-	2.0-	.3-	12-	5.7-	.8-	.0	.1-	30-	7-	0	1-	42-	50-	0	42-	50-	
		18	3.6	.08	50	13	74	2.0	178	75	46	1.0	26	255	161	80	9	356	400	9	356	400	
Topographic Position	Number of analyses	5	.5	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5		
		11	.08	.01	22	6.2	7.6	.9	69	50	6	0	.2	141	86	32	5	237	280	5	237	280	
		5.6-	.02-	.00-	6.0-	3.0-	6.2-	.4-	52-	21-	3-	.0	.0	112-	28-	0	2-	214-	210-	2-	214-	210-	
Topographic Position	Number of analyses	15	.40	.01	49	10	40	1.2	115	89	21	.3	22	249	164	107	10	358	370	10	358	370	

LEHIGH COUNTY

Geologic Member

Topographic Position

Laboratory Analyses

Water in the Martinsburg Formation is moderately low in dissolved solids. Half the analyzed samples contain 166 mg/l (milligrams per liter) or less, and only four samples (all in Northampton County) exceed 281 mg/l. These four range from 488 to 935 mg/l. The dominant cations are calcium and magnesium. The ratio of calcium to magnesium ranges from 1.1 to 5.4 and is less than 3.0 in half of the samples. Sodium is the dominant cation in only five samples.

Bicarbonate is the most abundant anion and exceeds the sum of the other anions in more than half the samples. Sulfate is next in abundance, and generally makes up between 15 and 50 percent of the anions. Chloride and nitrate combined exceed 30 percent of the anions in only seven samples.

Several of the analyses indicate concentrations of one or more constituents in excess of that recommended by the U.S. Public Health Service (1962) for drinking water. Excessive amounts of iron and manganese impart an objectionable taste to water and cause staining of laundry. The Public Health Service recommends that concentrations of these elements should not exceed 0.3 and 0.05 mg/l, respectively. Six samples contained excessive iron, and two samples contained excessive manganese. High nitrate concentrations in water may cause infantile methemoglobinemia, or "blue-baby disease," which produces cyanosis in infants. Only two samples exceeded the maximum limit of 45 mg/l. Water containing more than 500 mg/l dissolved solids is not recommended by the Public Health Service for drinking, as concentrations above this amount generally impart an objectionable taste to water. Concentrations greater than 500 mg/l, however, will not necessarily have an injurious effect, and water containing such amounts may be used where other water is not available. Three of the analyses show more than 500 mg/l.

Contamination

Water may be contaminated without the concentration of the contaminants exceeding the maximum limits for drinking water recommended by the Public Health Service. It is important to know if ions such as chloride and nitrate are present in amounts greater than those in which they occur naturally, because these are the ions most commonly added from human and animal wastes and from other activities of man. Thus, these ions, though harmless in themselves, may be indicators of the presence of harmful bacteria.

To gain some idea of the natural concentrations of chloride and nitrate in the ground water of the Martinsburg, the analyses were arranged in order of increasing concentration to see if they formed a uniformly increasing series or if the series was marked by a pronounced discontinuity or sharp change. Figure 3 shows this ranking. The chloride series has a discontinuity at about 8 mg/l in Lehigh County and at 3 mg/l in Northampton County; approximately three-fourths and one half of the samples, respectively, had less than this amount of chloride. The discontinuity in the nitrate ranking occurs at about 0.5 mg/l in both counties; nearly half the samples had less than this amount of nitrate. High chloride is not

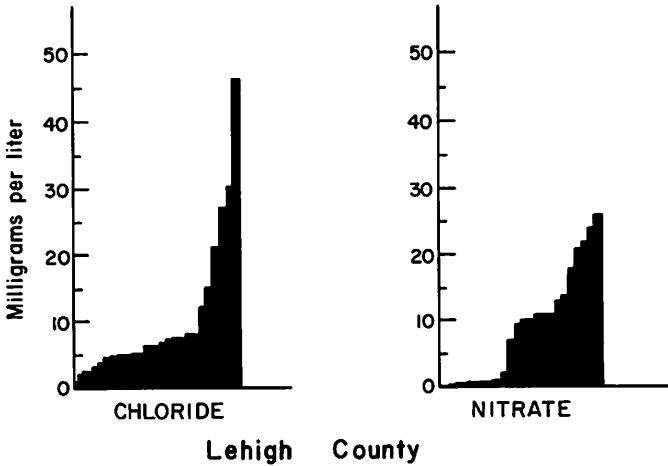
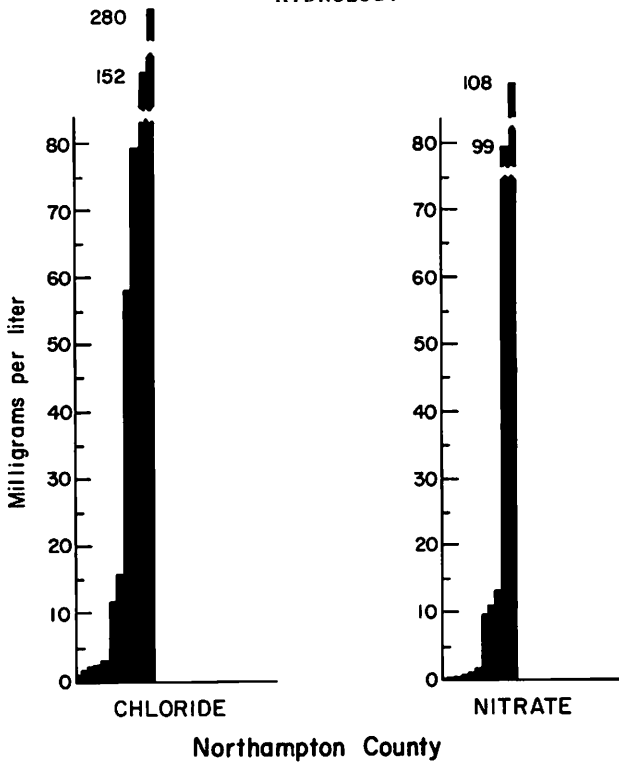


Figure 3. Ranked concentrations of chloride and nitrate. Each box represents one sample.

result of the following sequence of events. Water in the basin was marine or brackish and circulation of the water was restricted, so that reducing conditions obtained. In such an environment conditions were favorable for the reduction to sulfides of sulfates that were carried into the basin and to the subsequent precipitation of the sulfides. Decomposition of the sulfide minerals in the absence of oxygen produced hydrogen sulfide. Some of the hydrogen sulfide may have been produced directly from the sulfate reduction.

Following the induration of these sediments and their elevation above sea level, percolating fresh water began to flush the salt water. Flushing proceeded fastest near the surface, where the flow path of the water was the shortest. Chloride was readily removed, but the sodium and potassium were adsorbed on the clays of the Martinsburg and were released slowly by ion exchange with the calcium and magnesium in the fresh water. The slow anaerobic breakdown of the sulfide minerals released H_2S into the water.

Field Analyses

Approximately 550 determinations of hardness and specific conductance and 30 determinations of pH were made in the field. They are summarized in Table 5 and are listed with the other data on individual wells in Table 6.

Hardness in water is a measure of its resistance to sudsing and is due chiefly to the presence of calcium and magnesium ions. The field measurements of hardness are reported in grains per gallon (gpg) rather than in milligrams per liter (mg/l), because the field method is accurate only to plus or minus 1 grain per gallon; therefore, to state the results in milligrams per liter would imply a false accuracy. Hardness concentrations in milligrams per liter may be obtained by multiplying the grains per gallon by 17.

The median hardness is least in the Pen Argyl and increases slightly but progressively in the Ramseyburg and Bushkill Members. Topography apparently exerts little effect, although water in upland wells in Northampton County is harder than elsewhere in the area.

Plate 1 shows the distribution of hardness in the Martinsburg Formation. The water becomes harder along the south edge of the formation—especially in Northampton County where, locally, it may exceed 20 gpg. The increase is probably due to the presence of dolomite beds in the Bushkill Member. A few wells contain water of anomalously high or low hardness. The anomalies are probably due to contamination, to a deep source of water, or to the presence of local carbonate beds where the water is very hard, and to a local shallow source where the water is soft.

The specific conductance of water is a measure of the ability of a unit volume of water to conduct an electric current, and depends on the nature and concentration of ions in solution in the water. By knowing the relationship of the conductance to the ions in solution it is possible to predict the value of one

if the other is known. Field measurements of specific conductance, therefore, were compared mathematically with the dissolved-solids content of each of the 36 samples analyzed in the laboratory. In this way it was determined that the dissolved solids could be estimated by multiplying the conductance by 0.718 and subtracting 26 from the product. The standard error of estimate of this calculation is only 31 mg/l.

The field conductances support the conclusions drawn from the hardness data; that is, the water is progressively more mineralized from north to south, and the mineral content of the water is not related to the topographic position of the well.

The pH of the water is a measure of its acidity or alkalinity and is caused by the ions in solution. Only a few measurements were made of this property, but these indicate that the water is slightly acidic.

Table 5. *Summary of Field Analyses*

County	Type of well	Well position	Hardness			Specific conductance			pH		
			Number of wells	Median (grains per gallon) ¹	Range (grains per gallon) ¹	Number of wells	Median (micromhos at 25°C)	Range (micromhos at 25°C)	Number of wells	Median	Range
Lehigh	Bedrock domestic wells	Pen Argyl Member	31	4	1-11	31	200	<50-400	5	6.7	5.7-7.6
		Ramseyburg Member	76	5	1-10	76	230	75-460	3	7.1	6.9-7.6
		Bushkill Member	78	6	2-16	77	270	100-920	8	6.7	6.1-7.4
		Uplands	57	5	1-15	57	240	<50-920	3	7.0	7.0-7.1
		Slopes	72	5	1-16	72	255	<50-810	6	6.4	6.1-6.9
		Valleys	56	5	2-13	55	240	75-460	7	6.8	5.7-7.6
		Formation as a whole	185	5	1-16	185	240	<50-920	16	6.8	5.7-7.6
	Bedrock non-domestic wells	Pen Argyl Member	5	3	3-4	3	160	155-230	0	-	-
		Ramseyburg Member	4	6	5-9	4	285	220-400	0	-	-
		Bushkill Member	25	6	1-11	25	310	140-460	1	8.25	8.25
		Uplands	4	8	4-10	4	312	195-460	0	-	-
		Slopes	15	5	1-9	13	230	160-360	0	-	-
		Valleys	15	7	3-11	15	310	140-450	1	8.25	8.25
		Formation as a whole	34	6	1-11	32	305	140-460	1	8.25	8.25
Northampton	Bedrock domestic wells	Pen Argyl Member	50	3	1-10	48	120	<50-420	0	-	-
		Ramseyburg Member	116	6	2-19	114	240	70-820	6	6.2	6.0-7.6
		Bushkill Member	134	8	2-24	135	300	85-1,300	7	7.0	6.5-7.7
		Uplands	45	9	2-24	45	300	100-1,300	3	6.6	6.0-6.6
		Slopes	191	6	1-24	189	245	<50-1,050	6	6.75	6.1-7.1
		Valleys	64	6	2-15	63	250	55-625	4	7.3	6.0-7.7
		Formation as a whole	300	7	1-24	297	250	<50-1,300	13	6.6	6.0-7.7
	Bedrock non-domestic wells	Pen Argyl Member	4	3	1-5	4	100	<50-260	0	-	-
		Ramseyburg Member	7	9	3-11	7	280	110-380	0	-	-
		Bushkill Member	7	10	5-23	7	380	250-1,000	0	-	-
		Uplands	2	11	10-12	2	385	370-400	0	-	-
		Slopes	8	4	1-23	8	132	<50-1,000	0	-	-
		Valleys	8	8	5-13	8	270	250-520	0	-	-
		Formation as a whole	18	8	1-23	18	270	<50-1,000	-	-	-
	Glacial deposits	Domestic wells	11	6	1-12	11	270	<50-315	0	-	-
		Non-domestic wells	3	9	1-9	3	280	50-295	1	6.6	6.6
		Combined	14	8	1-12	14	270	<50-315	1	6.6	6.6

¹May be converted to milligrams per liter by multiplying by 17.

Table 6. *Record of Drilled Wells*

Location number: All wells are between 40°30' and 41°00' north latitude and 75°00' and 76°00' west longitude. The location number is the coordinates in minutes of the southeast corner of a 1-minute quadrangle within which the well is located.

Topographic setting: D, quarry; H, upland; S, slope; V, valley.

Aquifer: Qg, glacial sand and gravel; Qs, glacial sand; Omp, Martinsburg Formation, Pen Argyl Member; Omr, Martinsburg Formation, Ramseyburg Member; Omb, Martinsburg Formation, Bushkill Member.

Water level: F, flowing; +, above land surface.

Specific capacity: r, based on reported data; u, based on data obtained from 1-hour pumping test by U.S. Geological Survey personnel.

Use: C, commercial; H, domestic and/or stock; I, irrigation; N, industrial; P, public supply; R, recreational; T, institutional; U, unused.

Well No.	Loca- tion No.	Owner	Driller	Year drilled	Altitude above sea level (feet)	Well depth (feet)	Casing depth (feet)	Casing diameter (feet)	Depth to water-bearing zone (feet)	Topo- graphy	Depth below land surface (feet)	Static water level		Field analyses of water				Remarks
												Date measured	Repor- ted yield (gpm)	Specific capacity (gpm per ft)	Hard- ness (grains per gal.)	Specific conduct- ance (micromhos at 25°C)		
LEHIGH COUNTY																		
Le- 56	3732	J.B. Bronstein	M.B. Biery	-	555	366	-	6	-	S	Omb 185	-	10	-	H	-	-	
180	3537	Lehigh Cement Co.	-	-	595	145	35	6	-	S	Omb 45	-	25	-	N	-	-	
181	3537	do.	-	-	605	543	-	8	-	S	Omb 90	July 1952	100	-	N	-	-	
182	3537	do.	Lehigh Cement Co.	-	580	350	-	8	-	S	Omb -	-	35	-	N	8	360	
214	4138	Peters Foundry, Inc.	Wessner Bros.	1945	600	110	60	6	-	S	Omb -	-	-	-	N	-	-	
215	4138	do.	do.	1945	600	85	30	6	-	S	Omb 16	Aug. 1945	-	-	N	-	-	
224	4538	Stalington Borough	-	1925	650	475	-	12	-	S	Omb 25	Sept. 1952	-	-	U	-	-	
225	4538	do.	-	1925	650	160	-	6	-	S	Omp -	-	50	-	P	-	-	
233	3935	Trexler Orchards, Inc.	M.B. Biery	1925	640	275	65	6	-	H	Omb 200	1925	35	-	U	-	-	
234	3935	do.	do.	1947	650	242	58	8	-	H	Omb -	June 1952	110	0.8r	N	-	-	
235	3836	do.	do.	1948	520	120	80	6	-	S	Omb 10	1948	20	-	N	-	-	
307	4440	Harold S. Hass	Siegfried and Kurtz	1953	595	78	-	6	-	S	Omp 10	Oct. 1953	20	-	U	-	-	
323	3634	J.J. Laudenslager	Harry Herman	1951	530	100	40	6	-	S	Omb 31	Nov. 1954	-	-	H	5	210	
329	3936	Roy Smoyer	Wessner Bros.	1952	670	169	30	5	-	H	Omb 26	Aug. 1952	8	-	H	-	-	
330	4036	Farm and Home Supply	-	1920	660	210	-	6	-	S	Omb 30	Nov. 1948	-	-	H	14	810	
331	4036	United Church of Christ	Wessner Bros.	1952	715	150	40	6	-	H	Omb 50	Nov. 1954	15	-	H	8	310	
332	4136	A.D. Kern	Wessner Bros.	1953	685	156	40	6	-	S	Omb 40	Nov. 1953	-	-	H	15	550	
335	4337	Ralph A. Kern	do.	1945	795	93	30	6	-	V	Omr 43	Nov. 1954	-	-	H	4	185	
336	4131	Carl Gable	Kocher Bros.	1946	520	329	30	6	-	S	Omb 102	Apr. 1968	3	-	H	16	740	
340	4133	Raymond A. Roth	Harry Herman	1954	620	95	20	6	-	S	Omb 35	Nov. 1954	15	1. r	H	-	-	
341	4135	Claude Hoffman	Wessner Bros.	1940	690	135	-	6	-	S	Omb -	-	-	-	H	7	320	
344	4231	Frank Kedl	Potzer	1951	385	95	25	6	-	S	Omb -	-	-	-	H	-	-	
345	4332	Harold Moyer	Allo and Pugh	1951	430	129	45	6	80	S	Omr -	-	-	-	H	5	217	

Table 6. (Continued)

Well No.	Location	Owner	Driller	Year drilled	Altitude above sea level (feet)	Casing diameter (feet)		Depth to water-bearing zone (feet)	Topo. setting (feet)	Depth below land surface (feet)	Static water level		Field analyses of water		Remarks
						Well depth (feet)	Outer casing depth (feet)				Depth	Specific capacity (gpm per ft)	Hardness (grains per gal.)	Specific conductance (microhmhos at 25°C)	
Le-700	3734	Allen Products Co., Inc.	do.	1964	430	501	—	6	—	H Omb 105	Oct. 1964	16	—	—	—
701	3634	do.	do.	1965	420	386	68	10	—	V Omb 176	Mar. 1967	230	8.r	—	380
703	4236	Albert Baer	do.	1965	700	303	21	8	—	V Omb	Apr. 1965	28	—	—	—
704	4236	do.	do.	1965	685	216	41	8	145,298	V Omb	May 1967	18	2.r	—	400
722	3836	Trexler Orchards, Inc.	C.F. Wink	1967	410	700	20	8	50 170,210	V Omb	Mar. 1967	9	1.0u	—	290
723	3836	do.	do.	1967	385	400	24	8	90,180,220,350,660	V Omb	Mar. 1967	15	.09u	—	210
724	3935	do.	M.B. Biery	—	640	700	—	6	155	H Omb	—	15	—	—	H ₂ S odor
726	3835	do.	Harry Herman	1958	605	260	74	6	—	S Omb	Aug. 1962	.6r	—	—	—
727	3835	do.	do.	1958	525	250	21	6	—	S Omb	1958	12	.6r	—	—
727	3835	Shellhammer Trailer Sales	—	1947	475	400	—	—	—	S Omb	—	14	—	—	—
781	3935	Herman Handwerk	Robert Kocher	1966	500	179	84	8	Between 81-120	S Omb	July 1967	110	1.r	—	325
812	3635	Jordan Lutheran Church	—	1960	450	282	—	6	—	S Omb	—	—	—	—	—
815	3443	Paul Fritz	C.F. Wink	1957	585	220	40	6	—	V Omb	—	—	—	—	—
816	4144	Atlantic Refining Co.	Wessner Bros.	1956	757	185	—	6	100,180	V Omb	May 1967	8	—	—	pH 7.4
817	4045	Mrs. E. Hemmerly	Harry Herman	1961	605	130	27	6	—	S Omb	May 1967	—	—	—	pH 7.6
818	3738	Harry Olsynick	Harry Todd	1959	670	203	20	6	55,74	S Omb	May 1967	—	—	—	pH 5.7
822	4136	Neffs Lutheran Church	Wessner Bros.	1948	715	151	—	6	—	S Omb	Apr. 1964	—	—	—	pH 6.1
824	4045	New Tripoli Bank	Russell Pugh	1967	600	203	45	6	120,160,190	S Omb	May 1967	30	.68u	—	pH 6.2
825	4045	New Tripoli Fire Co.	Wessner Bros.	1955	550	98	—	6	—	V Omb	July 1966	—	—	—	pH 6.7
826	4144	Grimms Mobile Homes	C.F. Wink	1959	590	62	42	6	55	V Omb	May 1959	22	—	—	pH 6.8
828	4041	Jordan Inn	—	1929	565	100	—	6	—	V Omb	—	—	—	—	H ₂ S odor
831	4048	Lynnport Comm. Fire Co. 1	E. C. Lenhart	1965	490	103	17	6	—	V Omb	Mar. 1965	15	—	—	pH 6.2
842	4331	Brader Woodcraft	Rapp	1955	380	90	18	6	—	S Omb	Sept. 1955	10	—	—	pH 7.6
843	4331	Keystone Mobile Homes	Kocher	1966	415	—	—	6	—	S Omb	—	—	—	—	—
844	4440	I.P. Ballet	Grube	1955	635	99	45	6	85-99	S Omb	June 1967	22	—	—	320
904	3733	Morris Wiser	Clude Otter	1965	450	213	80	6	—	S Omb	Aug. 1967	50	—	—	220
905	3732	Donald Schiffer	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1967	440	150	50	6	80,144	S Omb	Aug. 1967	35	—	—	190
940	3338	William Gardner	—	1960	515	85	—	6	—	S Omb	Sept. 1967	—	—	—	—
956	4143	Ernest Ringer	Kohl Bros. Myerstown	1965	690	200	24	6	60,123	S Omb	Oct. 1967	70	—	—	330
957	4143	do.	do.	1965	693	160	44	8	100,138	S Omb	June 1965	200	—	—	—
977	4232	Clear Vue Acres	Robert Kocher	1967	623	625	21	8	10,45,466	H Omb	Nov. 1967	7	.01r	—	—

1001	Stanley Ringer	do.	1965	650	380	31	6	36, plus other	S	Omb	21	June 1965	20	.09r	I	-	-
1002	George Marshal	Robert Kocher	1965	680	195	38	6	-	H	Omb	40	-	20	0.2r	H	-	-
1003	Martin Bennicoiff	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1966	470	227	15	6	90,200	S	Omb	75	Mar. 1966	4	-	H	-	-
1005	Marvin Fries	do.	1965	640	125	22	6	80,110	S	Omb	45	July 1965	10	1.2u	H	5	310 pH 6.5
1006	R.P. Stoudt	do.	1965	755	396	57	6	160,215,320,390	H	Omb	85	Apr. 1965	15	-	H	9	280 pH 7.0
1007	St. Pauls Union Church	do.	1965	810	225	23	6	80,160	H	Omr	50	June 1965	2	-	H	5	205
1008	Robert Sulzer	do.	1965	815	227	27	6	80,140,215	V	Omr	119	June 1965	6	-	H	6	240 pH 7.1
1009	Henry E. Wotring	do.	1965	875	297	21	6	155,170,290	H	Omr	20	June 1965	10	-	H	-	-
1010	Douglas Rowland	do.	1965	700	127	25	6	102,120	H	Omb	25	Oct. 1965	12	-	H	-	-
1011	Norwood Kern	do.	1965	695	184	23	6	50,170	H	Omb	45	Apr. 1966	10	-	H	-	-
1012	Robert Bendus	do.	1965	750	175	40	6	115,165	H	Omb	88	May 1965	3	-	H	6	215 pH 7.0
1013	Ronald Fritzinger	do.	1966	550	250	22	6	85,125	S	Omb	100	Apr. 1966	3	-	H	-	-
1016	Anthony Shay	do.	1966	585	227	113	6	122	S	Omb	-	-	3	-	H	-	-
1017	K.P.Steinmetz	do.	1965	400	125	23	6	65,82,112	S	Omb	78	July 1965	15	-	H	6	250 pH 6.9
1019	Joseph Miller, Jr.	do.	1966	515	280	84	6	165,270	S	Omb	53	Apr. 1966	15	-	H	6	225
1021	Larry Higgins	do.	1965	550	200	30	6	148,160,175,185	H	Omb	20	June 1965	50	-	H	9	305
1022	Charles Smith	do.	1965	720	690	282	6	282,688	H	Omr	50	Aug. 1965	8	-	H	10	395
1023	John Kuzma	do.	1965	550	100	23	6	60,90,98	V	Omr	5	July 1965	35	-	H	4	160
1024	Arthur R. Miller	Homer Herman	1957	595	225	-	6	75, plus others	H	Omb	-	-	10	-	H	7	330
1025	Penn Big Bed Slate Co.	C.D. Moyer	1964	535	344	2	8	180,310	D	Omp	195	Apr. 1967	21	-	U	11	500
1026	Penn Big Bed Slate Co.	C.D. Moyer	1964	535	240	2	12	180,310	D	Omp	195	Apr. 1967	-	-	U	11	500
1027	George Werley	Homer Herman	1967	695	250	15	6	85	H	Omb	30	Apr. 1967	6	.06u	H	5	280
1028	Charles Kisiler	do.	1962	700	527	10	6	-	H	Omb	50	July 1966	3	.01r	H	-	-
1029	Howard Raber	do.	1965	610	200	10	8	75	V	Omb	22	Apr. 1967	19	.78u	I	7	325
1030	do.	do.	1965	620	200	30	6	-	V	Omb	17	May 1967	26	1.0u	I	7	300
1031	Allentown Boys Club	do.	1957	450	223	-	6	-	S	Omb	29	Apr. 1967	2	.04u	U	4	165
1032	do.	do.	1957	400	220	40	6	-	S	Omb	25	1957	10	-	H	6	275
1033	do.	do.	1955	412	240	40	6	130	S	Omb	18	Mar. 1967	2	.06u	U	5	220
1034	do.	Homer Herman	1965	585	225	60	6	50,105	S	Omb	75	Apr. 1967	30	-	T	-	-
1035	Lawrence Hower	do.	1964	455	115	4	6	90	S	Omb	18	May 1967	13	1.0u	H	5	210
1037	Kenman Water Co.	C.D. Moyer	1958	560	410	70	10	375-400	H	Omr	83	May 1967	75	-	P	5	220
1038	Kenneth Christman	Russell Pugh	1951	565	110	15	6	90	H	Omr	63	May 1967	20	-	H	1	240
1039	Ernest Reinhert	Forrest Reinhert	1955	465	80	45	6	75	S	Omb	55	May 1967	3	-	H	-	-
1040	do.	Ernest Reinhert	1961	465	95	18	6	-	S	Omb	40	June 1961	10	-	H	6	220
1041	Dennis E. Gehman	Homer Herman	1963	545	187	100	6	117,180	S	Omb	5	Aug. 1963	25	.6r	H	9	350
1042	Leonard Haring	Claude Otter	1960	645	210	41	6	70	H	Omb	44	July 1960	10	.08r	H	7	280
1043	Warren Hertzog	Kenmerer	1948	550	300	12	6	50	S	Omb	2	1948	10	.2r	H	6	240
1044	Albert Baer	C.D. Moyer	1955	690	100	21	6	-	V	Omr	+2	1955	12	-	H	10	370
1045	Mrs. Robert McNamara	Homer Herman	-	400	185	40	6	-	V	Omb	-	-	15	-	U	7	-
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Table 6. (Continued)

Well No.	Location	Owner	Driller	Year drilled	Altitude above sea level (feet)	Casing		Depth to water-bearing zone (feet)	Topo-set-Aquif-ting fer (feet)	Static water level		Field analyses of water			Remarks			
						Well depth (feet)	Casing diameter (inches)			Depth below land surface (feet)	Date measured	Reported city yield (gpm)	Specific capacity (gpm per ft)	Hardness (grains per gal.)		Specific conductance (microhmhos at 25°C)		
L-1046	3735	R.M. Drexinger	do.	1963	385	150	70	6	-	S Omb	-	-	-	H	5	220		
1047	3637	Franklin L. Geho	Harry Todd	1961	635	432	31	6	90,270	S Omb	37	May 1967	3	.01r	H	8	340	
1048	3638	R.E. Billard	Elwood Wessner	1948	610	116	15	6	90,115	S Omb	10	May 1967	10	0.8r	H	8	350	
1049	3638	Mohr Orchards, Inc.	-	-	495	52	-	6	-	S Omb	20	May 1967	10	-	H	7	310	
1050	3442	American Oil Co.	Homer Herman	1967	685	190	40	6	-	S Omb	30	May 1967	13	8.6u	C	3	135	pH 6.4
1051	3942	North End Rod & Gun Club	do.	1966	700	145	20	6	-	S Omb	30	May 1967	11	.85u	H	5	265	pH 6.9
1052	3538	Paul Prosky	Forrest Reinert	-	645	105	-	6	-	H Omb	60	June 1967	4	.18u	H	2	105	
1053	3539	Cryo-Therm Corp.	C.F. Wink	1958	640	430	40	6	-	H Omb	-	-	-	-	H	12	460	
1054	3635	Schantz Orchards, Inc.	Wessner	1939	545	195	20	6	-	V Omb	-	-	20	-	C	-	-	
1055	3635	do.	Claude Otter	1962	530	250	20	8	28, plus-others	V Omb	3	June 1967	35	-	I	7	310	
1056	3635	do.	Elwood Wessner	-	530	105	20	6	20,90,120	S Omb	13	June 1967	7	.38u	H	7	300	
1057	3636	do.	Schantz Orchards, Inc.	1967	500	310	16	8	150,176,240	V Omb	6	June 1967	18	.33u	I	8	300	
1058	3635	do.	Elwood Wessner	1957	600	200	15	6	-	S Omb	33	June 1967	8	1.2u	H	6	280	
1059	3538	Roy E. Werley	Harry Herman	1952	620	161	20	6	-	H Omb	-	-	-	-	H	13	535	
1060	3540	Nevin Fry	Elwood Wessner	1956	740	128	7	6	-	S Omb	-	-	15	-	H	8	320	
1061	3440	Eimer Morgan	Jay Kenna	1966	570	116	20	6	-	V Omb	8	July 1967	10	.25u	H	5	240	H ₂ S odor
1062	3441	Lehigh Valley Electron. Co.	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1961	715	207	-	6	130	H Omb	38	July 1967	35	-	N	4	195	
1063	3440	Commadore Yorgey	-	1951	675	145	90	6	-	H Omb	30	June 1951	30	-	H	5	250	
1064	3340	Woodrow Samuels	-	1925	550	185	-	6	-	S Omb	36	July 1967	8	-	H	7	280	
1065	3339	Earl W. Scherer	Elwood Wessner	1947	650	179	-	6	-	H Omb	-	-	20	-	H	4	205	
1066	3935	Roy Rice	Louis Schantz	1967	530	68	18	6	-	V Omb	2	July 1967	12	1.7u	C	7	330	
1067	3936	Donald Heinly	Henry Kocher	1967	675	220	60	6	70,212	H Omb	59	July 1967	25	.65u	H	4	310	H ₂ S odor
1068	3838	Carl Heinly	do.	1963	430	110	22	6	-	V Omb	7	Oct. 1963	10	-	H	6	245	H ₂ S odor
1069	3638	Peter Relth	Ted Rothrock	1967	680	172	21	6	75,160	H Omb	56	July 1967	25	4r	H	-	-	
1070	3638	Moyer Construction Co.	J.M. Mayer	1967	605	300	36	6	250	H Omb	-	-	3	.06u	H	-	-	
1071	3639	Bernard Tognoli	Homer Herman	1927	675	98	40	6	-	H Omb	35	July 1967	20	1.9u	H	4	195	
1072	3639	Chester Yeakel	Ted Rothrock	1957	645	500	2	8	-	S Omb	52	July 1967	1	.03u	U	7	270	
1073	3540	Ralph Zettlemoyer	-	-	635	50	15	6	-	V Omb	16	July 1967	20	-	H	6	240	
1074	3639	Chester Yeakel	Ted Rothrock	1957	640	265	6	6	-	S Omb	218	July 1967	1	-	H	7	270	
1075	3443	John F. Stettler, Jr.	Clarence Wink	1963	620	100	45	6	60, plus other	V Omb	15	April 1968	32	-	I	4	140	

1087	3736	John A. Johnston	Homer Herman	1965	370	155	25	8		V Omb	-	200+	-	N	6	330
1088	3736	do.	Harry Herman	1958	370	120	25	6	-	V Omb	30	Apr. 1968	-	N	-	-
1089	3736	do.	Kohl Bros. Myerstown	1956	620	600	28	12	-	S Omb	42	Apr. 1956	-	U	-	-
1091	4035	do.	H. Herman	1962	529	196	-	6	-	V Omb	-	-	-	U	-	-
1092	4036	do.	Homer Herman	1965	673	300	-	6	-	V Omb	4	May 1968	-	I	-	-
1093	3936	Stahley Landscape Service	Kocher	1960	690	150	-	8	-	H Omb	46	May 1968	40+	-	10	405
1094	4135	Stanley R. Ringer	H. Herman	1956	640	222	22	6	-	V Omb	0	May 1968	10	-	U	-
1095	4135	do.	Harry Todd	1960	658	422	23	8	-	V Omb	6	May 1968	20	-	I	-
1096	4135	do.	Wessner	1929	656	99	8	6	-	V Omb	-	-	20	-	S	11
1097	4135	Reuben H.W. Ringer	Homer Herman	1966	640	130	-	6	-	V Omb	3	May 1968	50+	-	1	355
1098	4135	do.	Wessner	1960	645	67	-	6	-	V Omb	-	-	30	-	U	-
1099	4134	Calvin C. Geiger	Robert Kocher	1966	620	180	-	6	44,85,125	V Omb	+1	May 1968	50	6r	1	370
1100	4441	Earl M. Zellner	Robert Itterly	1964	660	195	16	6	-	V Omb	8	May 1968	100+	-	1	155
1101	4043	Raymond C. Snyder	Wessner	1948	660	150	-	8	-	V Omb	-	-	55	-	I	-
1102	4142	do.	Harry Herman	1950	677	397	-	6	-	V Omb	F	May 1968	105	-	I	-
1103	4143	do.	do.	1956	708	380	-	8	-	V Omb	F	May 1968	80	-	1	7
1104	4240	Orrin H. Fink	Kohl Bros. Myerstown	1966	660	200	23	6	86	V Omb	7	May 1968	12	-	I	-
1105	4240	do.	do.	1966	647	400	50	6	102	V Omb	4	May 1968	10	.03r	I	-
1106	3936	Lehigh Co. Comm. Coll.	do.	1968	620	600	62	8	43,75,95,457-485, 520-580	S Omb	22	May 1968	30	1.4u	T	8
1120	4539	Thomas Yezik	Charles Moyer	1959	695	118	80	6	38 plus other	S Omb	F	June 1968	35	-	H	1
1121	4540	Douglas Farber	Russell Pugh	1967	740	129	56	6	18,72,87,123	S Omb	30	May 1967	15	.2r	H	4
1122	4540	Clarence Knettle	Harry Todd	1962	690	108	74	6	74	H Omb	60	Aug. 1962	20	-	H	1
1123	4541	Vincent DeSanctis	Russell Pugh	1966	670	97	24	6	38,86	S Omb	5	Oct. 1966	15	.9r	H	4
1124	4333	John Horwith, Jr.	do.	1966	360	218	20	6	68,96,213	V Omb	55	July 1966	12	.08r	H	9
1125	4334	Russell Parry	-	1965	500	120	30	6	85	V Omb	-	-	-	-	H	7
1126	4335	William A. Zellner	Clarence Wink	1949	930	285	60	6	96 plus other	S Omb	60	-	10	-	H	5
1127	4335	Donovan R. Bauer	Russell Pugh	1964	550	143	22	6	36	V Omb	30	Oct. 1964	8	.08r	H	4
1128	4336	Elden Wexley	Homer Herman	1964	780	53	49	6	-	S Omb	29	1964	11	-	H	4
1129	4236	William Shupp	-	1950	775	65	35	6	-	S Omb	5	-	-	-	H	4
1130	4233	Robert Soldridge	Harry Todd	1961	625	120	30	6	110	S Omb	20	Sept. 1961	12	-	H	5
1131	4034	Warren Wagner	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1963	590	312	17	6	300	S Omb	150	Aug. 1963	-	-	H	5
1132	4034	do.	do.	1967	585	152	40	6	60	S Omb	50	Sept. 1967	5	-	H	5
1133	4233	August Ballas	R.h. Odenheimer Co.	1967	610	152	20	6	90,146	V Omb	15	June 1967	10	-	H	-
1134	4232	Ronald Cleaver	do.	1966	630	200	35	6	75	H Omb	50	July 1966	3	-	H	7
1135	4135	Richard Roberts	Robert Kocher	1966	692	153	44	6	68,80,148	H Omb	45	Oct. 1966	30	.5r	H	8
1136	4034	Earl Nuss	Harry Todd	1967	565	168	14	6	149,155,168	S Omb	85	Mar. 1967	20	1.r	H	-
1137	4134	Calvin C. Geiger	Henry Kocher	1966	700	301	-	6	204, plus other	H Omb	45	Sept. 1966	6	.02r	H	5
1138	4540	William Kistler	Russell Pugh	1966	650	150	90	6	130, 139, 145	S Omb	8	June 1966	15	-	H	-
1139	4539	Charles Eaches	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1966	625	102	70	6	75,82,95	S Omb	37	Aug. 1966	15	-	H	-

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Table 6. (Continued)

Well No.	Location No.	Owner	Driller	Year drilled	Altitude above sea level (feet)	Well depth (feet)	Casing		Depth to water-bearing zone (feet)	Topo. setting (feet)	Static water level		Field analyses of water				Remarks		
							depth (feet)	diameter (inches)			Depth below land surface (feet)	Date measured	Reported yield (gpm)	Specific capacity (gpm per ft.)	Hardness (grains per gal.)	Specific conductance (microhmhos at 25°C)			
Le-1140	4438	Lamont Kern	Russell Pugh	1966	600	150	103	6	115,150	H	Omp	55	May 1966	15	-	H	3	130	
1141	4438	David Billeheimer	do.	1967	605	164	28	6	140,150,160	H	Omp	100	Apr. 1967	15	-	H	4	190	
1142	4438	Kenneth Weaver	do.	1967	630	165	70	6	82,144,161	H	Omp	85	July 1967	15	1.1	H	-	-	
1143	4439	Donald Bauer	do.	1966	560	87	22	6	52	S	Omp	15	July 1966	15	-	H	-	-	
1144	4438	Robert Lewis	do.	1966	485	137	30	6	130	S	Omp	30	July 1966	15	2.2	H	5	225	
1145	4438	Donald Scheirer	do.	1966	660	215	72	6	112,172	S	Omr	80	Aug. 1966	8	.06r	H	5	230	
1146	4437	Roger Williams	do.	1966	780	385	75	6	181,320	S	Omr	100	Aug. 1966	2	.01r	U	-	-	
1147	4033	Earl Nuss	Harry Todd	1968	650	540	44	8	45,72,93,151,200,493	H	Omb	40	June 1968	7	.04r	P	10	460	
1148	4342	Warren Bittner	Russell Pugh	1965	660	265	20	6	35,75	S	Omp	17	1966	45	-	I	4	230	
1149	4342	do.	do.	1966	695	95	32	6	46,78,89	H	Omp	22	Sept. 1966	15	.4r	H	-	-	H ₂ S
1150	4338	Norman Peters	do.	1966	615	76	47	6	68	V	Omr	2	July 1968	15	.5r	H	-	-	
1151	4237	Abraham Ahner	do.	1967	810	134	82	6	90,110	H	Omr	45	Oct. 1967	15	2.2r	H	-	-	
1152	4441	William Fillman	do.	1966	670	80	29	6	36,57,75	S	Omp	16	Oct. 1966	14	.4r	H	3	140	
1153	4441	Albert Gabowitz	Franklin & W. Reith	1966	735	84	30	6	65,74	H	Omp	38	Sept. 1966	14	4.4r	H	4	180	
1154	4241	Harold J. Rex	Raymond Werner	1967	695	120	63	6	75,114	H	Omr	32	July 1967	15	2.2r	H	5	260	
1155	4040	James Shimoyer	Robert Kocher	1966	670	150	22	6	35,54,135	S	Omr	12	Oct. 1966	12	1.1r	H	5	240	
1156	4139	Franklin Fetherolf	E.C. Lenhart	1968	645	185	41	6	81,102,150,155	H	Omr	35	May 1968	8	.08r	H	3	160	
1157	4039	John Washinski	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1967	800	327	20	6	100,315	H	Omr	100	Feb. 1967	8	-	H	5	245	
1158	4039	Richard R. Kohrs	Robert Kocher	1966	800	154	25	6	78,114,154	H	Omr	80	July 1966	10	1.1	H	-	-	
1159	4039	LeRoy Christine	do.	1967	750	154	20	6	-	S	Omr	55	May 1967	25	1.1r	H	5	230	
1160	4442	Clarence J. Rex	do.	1965	700	120	30	6	-	S	Omp	14	July 1965	20	.4r	H	3	155	
1161	4442	Paul H. Bittner	E.C. Lenhart	1965	720	120	44	6	37,53,108	S	Omp	20	Dec. 1965	31	3.4r	H	6	260	
1162	3843	George M. Fahey	do.	1967	750	174	26	6	63,106,107	H	Omr	35	Nov. 1967	11	.4r	H	5	230	
1163	3842	Arlan Bittner	do.	1967	670	81	20	6	20,35,80	V	Omr	5	Nov. 1967	17	2.2r	H	2	130	
1164	4044	Wardell F. Steigerwalt	do.	1966	650	101	63	6	55,73,101	S	Omp	25	June 1966	18	.9r	H	4	180	
1165	3842	Mrs. Gilbert Ressler	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1967	745	202	23	6	78,197	H	Omr	68	Apr. 1967	4	.03r	H	3	150	
1166	3640	Kenneth Morton	E.C. Lenhart	1968	720	181	51	6	70,124,181	H	Omb	50	Apr. 1968	10	2.2r	H	4	190	
1167	3742	Allen Ruhe	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1968	650	77	22	6	50,60,74	V	Omr	10	Mar. 1968	25	-	H	4	190	
1168	4341	Elwood Handwerk	Russell Pugh	1968	665	110	42	6	95,105	V	Omr	20	June 1968	15	.7r	H	-	-	
1169	4438	Forrest Roth	do.	1968	510	100	45	6	89,95	V	Omr	15	June 1968	15	.9r	H	-	-	
1170	4147	Ralph Hamm	E.C. Lenhart	1967	640	105	25	6	30,88,105	H	Omp	17	June 1967	10	.14	H	-	-	

1171	4145	Vernon Bennighoff Estate	E.C. Lenhart	1966	570	93	47	6	40,74,93	S	Omp	25	Nov. 1966	15	.8r	H	4	180
1172	4146	Charles Hager	Russell Pugh	1968	540	130	72	6	56,63,113,128	S	Omp	30	July 1968	15	.3r	H	—	—
1173	4247	George Wertman	E.C. Lenhart	1966	685	76	31	6	24,46,76	H	Omp	10	July 1966	27	3r	H	4	200
1174	4048	George D. Billig	do.	1966	525	140	38	6	25,114,140	H	Omp	7	Aug. 1966	20	2r	H	—	—
1175	4048	Russell Dottler	do.	1966	480	58	28	6	35,50	V	Omp	8	July 1966	8	.6r	H	—	—
1176	4048	John J. Hemmerly	do.	1966	465	58	20	6	24,58	V	Omp	6	June 1966	7	.7r	H	4	200
1177	4047	John Seidel	do.	1966	490	70	16	6	11,47,70	V	Omp	10	Aug. 1966	16	.8r	H	5	240
1178	4044	Homer Snyder	Russell Pugh	1968	560	97	34	6	20,85	S	Omp	30	July 1968	10	.2r	H	—	—
1179	4044	William Schietz	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1968	680	62	23	6	40,50,58	S	Omr	7	Apr. 1968	20	—	H	—	—
1180	3950	Wilbur Heil	E.C. Lenhart	1966	470	109	31	6	62,87,109	S	Omr	35	Sept. 1966	15	.5r	H	7	380
1181	4033	John Hawk	Harry Todd	1966	645	100	45	6	78,88	S	Omb	45	Oct. 1966	15	—	H	8	420
1182	4339	Mrs. Mabel DeLong	Homer Herman	1968	640	87	—	6	—	S	Omr	37	Apr. 1968	—	—	H	5	260
1183	4341	Clarence Harter	Raymond Werner	1965	710	184	54	6	120	S	Omr	22	Aug. 1965	30	—	H	5	220
1184	4339	Ernest Heil	E.C. Lenhart	1960	570	69	56	6	27,42,68	S	Omr	15	July 1960	24	2r	H	3	165
1185	4139	Harold Rumble	Robert Kocher	1965	580	90	69	6	85	V	Omr	4	Sept. 1965	40	.7r	H	6	280
1186	4139	Herman Fortkamp	do.	1968	725	336	20	8	43,282,310	S	Omr	54	July 1968	20	.08r	P	5	260
1187	4243	Donald Rex	Charles Moyer	1968	715	130	60	6	70,75,126	S	Omr	5	Aug. 1968	10	.2r	H	—	—
1188	4143	Paul Geroge	E.C. Lenhart	1968	650	97	48	6	27,46,97	H	Omr	15	July 1968	20	2r	H	—	—
1189	4242	Melvin Rex	Homer Herman	1968	605	75	30	6	—	V	Omr	5	Apr. 1968	25	—	H	4	200
1190	4140	Frank Seagraves	do.	1966	695	93	20	6	—	S	Omr	12	June 1966	20	—	H	4	210
1191	4137	Carl Malkames	Herman	1961	695	87	20	6	87	H	Omb	—	—	9	—	H	8	380
1192	4137	Ernest V. Geiger	Homer Herman	1963	640	140	40	6	—	S	Omb	18	Sept. 1962	20	—	H	2	100
1193	4040	Willard Kistler	—	1941	725	100	—	6	—	S	Omr	30	Jan. 1965	6	.4r	H	4	270
1194	4042	Merlin C. Peters	Harry Todd	1968	750	79	62	6	48,70	S	Omr	35	Sept. 1968	17	3r	H	—	—
1195	4043	Paul Peter	Homer Herman	1963	680	103	21	6	—	V	Omp	10	Nov. 1963	—	—	H	4	180
1196	4041	Andrew Smerck	E.C. Lenhart	1965	540	62	23	6	10,46,65	V	Omr	10	Apr. 1965	10	1r	C	5	240
1197	3941	Richard Kocher	Charles Moyer	1962	650	178	18	6	77,161	S	Omr	60	Nov. 1962	13	—	H	3	165
1198	3942	Ulrich Christen	Homer Herman	1964	680	75	14	6	—	V	Omr	9	May 1964	—	—	H	3	120
1199	3943	James F. Bausch	Herman	1963	585	130	18	6	—	V	Omr	25	Dec. 1963	—	—	H	3	180
1200	3944	Fred Zimmerman	—	1949	620	100	40	6	—	S	Omr	11	May 1949	—	—	H	6	310
1201	3944	Curtis Werley	Kermit Snyder	1964	725	90	20	6	—	V	Omr	18	Nov. 1964	10	—	H	3	160
1202	3844	Harold F. Rex	Wessner	1945	640	100	20	6	—	V	Omb	5	—	—	—	H	5	260
1203	3744	Nevin Dietrich	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1964	695	105	16	6	70,100	V	Omb	15	Nov. 1964	15	—	H	4	200
1204	3940	C.L. Geist	Elwood Wessner	1951	725	100	6	6	50,80	V	Omr	30	May 1951	20	—	H	5	230
1205	3940	Emory Peters	E.C. Lenhart	1960	630	200	20	6	180	V	Omr	14	Sept. 1968	5	—	H	—	—
1206	3939	Penn. Game Commission	—	—	520	97	—	6	—	V	Omr	30	—	—	—	H	4	210
1207	3937	Trexler Game Preserve	Wessner	1958	445	151	—	6	—	S	Omb	123	—	—	—	C	5	260
1208	3837	do.	M.B. Biery	1935	480	505	—	6	—	H	Omr	—	—	—	—	C	5	240
1209	3838	Quinten K. Hoffman	—	1943	448	90	20	6	—	V	Omr	2	—	—	—	S	5	300

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Table 6. (Continued)

Well No.	Loca- tion	Owner	Driller	Year drilled	Altitude above sea level (feet)	Well depth (feet)	Casing		Depth to water- bearing zone (feet)	Topo- graphical zone	Aquifer face (feet)	Depth below land surface (feet)		Field analyses of water					
							depth (feet)	diameter (inches)				Repor- ted city yield (gpm) per ft)	Specific capac- ity (gpm) per ft)	Hard- ness (grains per gal.) at 25°C	Specific conduct- ance (micromhos at 25°C)				
Le-1210	3837	Robert W. Kiser	Homer Herman	1963	445	105	13	6	-	-	V	Omr	12	Aug. 1963	-	H	8	400	
1211	3839	Donald E. Honitz	do.	1957	630	298	-	6	-	-	H	Omr	-	-	-	-	H	8	460
1212	3840	Paul H. Hausman	Herman	1958	450	105	10	6	<50	-	V	Omr	6	-	-	-	H	7	330
1213	3841	Victor Kobordo	Harry Todd	1960	700	90	20	6	50,70	-	H	Omr	40	Sept. 1960	15	-	H	4	230
1214	3741	Elmer Gressley	Joseph Kasmakites	1964	810	118	30	6	-	-	V	Omr	48	July 1964	8	-	H	3	135
1215	3740	Harry S. Lichtentwaler	-	-	490	195	-	6	-	-	V	Omr	42	July 1965	-	-	H	4	240
1216	3640	Forrest Barto	Homer Herman	1964	705	130	16	6	-	-	H	Omb	40	May 1964	-	-	H	3	185
1217	3641	Edwin Trexler	E.C. Lenhart	1961	610	117	28	6	70,90,117	-	H	Omr	57	July 1961	20	1.r	H	4	220
1218	3641	L.R. Chattin and Sons	do.	1961	570	125	35	6	58,101,124	-	S	Omr	35	Nov. 1961	17	.3r	H	7	200
1219	3642	L.R. Chattin, Jr.	do.	1961	605	125	59	6	40,50,107,148	-	S	Omr	25	Nov. 1961	16	.2r	S	4	180
1220	3541	Ralph C. Smith	Herman	1935	610	92	13	6	-	-	V	Omb	14	-	-	-	S	5	225
1221	3542	Kermit Heintzelman	E.C. Lenhart	1957	725	204	22	6	50,150	-	H	Omb	45	May 1957	7	.04r	H	5	290
1222	3542	Clarence Zimmerman	Homer Herman	1966	710	200	26	6	-	-	H	Omb	42	June 1966	-	-	H	8	480
1223	3743	Stanley Kunkel	do.	1966	815	107	42	6	-	-	H	Omr	50	May 1966	-	-	H	3	140
1224	3643	Kenneth Wisser	E.C. Lenhart	1960	765	220	70	6	60,141,218	-	H	Omb	45	Aug. 1960	17	.7r	H	4	240
1225	3643	Earl Schrammel	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1964	840	280	30	6	273	-	H	Omr	150	Dec. 1964	10	-	H	4	210
1226	3444	John D. Shreve, Jr.	Herman	1958	610	215	-	6	50, plus other	-	S	Omr	-	-	-	-	H	5	275
1227	3543	Charles J. Loch	Kermit Snyder	1954	610	114	40	6	20,80, plus 2 others	-	V	Omb	10	1968	40	-	S	3	170
1228	3538	E.O. Shoemaker	Joseph Kasmakites	1965	640	110	-	6	80, plus other	-	H	Omb	-	-	10	-	H	5	230
1229	3339	Bruce Shupp	Herman	1962	560	185	-	6	-	-	H	Omb	-	-	-	-	H	5	250
1230	3239	William Bear	Claude Otter	1963	565	330	40	6	285,330	-	S	Omb	187	-	-	-	H	7	340
1231	3342	Sigmund P. Lutterschmidt	Herman	1961	705	116	16	6	90-100	-	H	Omr	42	-	15	-	H	3	160
1232	3543	Robert Hewitt	Homer Herman	1966	630	118	20	6	-	-	S	Omr	18	1966	-	-	H	4	170
1233	3645	Earl Odenheimer	R. H. Odenheimer Co.	1963	830	120	21	6	102	-	S	Omr	20	May 1963	16	-	H	3	160
1234	3645	Earl Shoemaker	Ted Rothrock	1965	820	90	-	6	-	-	V	Omr	-	-	-	-	H	2	75
1235	3745	George Metzger	Wessner	1950	720	95	35	6	45,95	-	S	Omb	25	-	35	-	H	4	205
1236	3646	Oliver Camp	do.	1953	630	107	-	6	-	-	V	Omb	10	-	-	-	H	4	160
1237	3745	George E. Weida	Charles Moyer	1963	690	115	56	6	70,112	-	V	Omr	15	-	25	-	H	5	170
1238	4045	Mrs. Lewis Kunkel	Harry Todd	1964	630	-	-	6	-	-	S	Omp	-	-	-	-	H	4	150
1239	4046	Franklin Mengel	E.C. Lenhart	1968	510	57	22	6	7,42,57	-	V	Omr	7	July 1968	9	.3r	H	5	210

1240	4046	Albert W. Leach	do.	1968	520	105	33	6	48,60,104	S Omb	7	July 1968	5	.09r	H	2	320	Cement filled below 95 ft. H ₂ S odor
1241	3847	David C. Diehl	do.	1961	520	104	41	6	53,86,104	S Omb	10	Sept. 1961	15	.1r	H	9	340	
1242	4245	H.L. Althouse	Clarence Wink	1966	655	70	24	6	40,68	V Omp	40	Aug. 1966	7	—	H	7	120	
1243	4045	Mrs. Esther Reis	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1968	560	152	53	6	75,145	V Omp	30	Feb. 1968	10	—	H	—	—	
1244	4145	Paul A. Burbes	do.	1964	680	110	—	6	—	H Omb	—	—	—	—	H	3	150	
1245	4245	Dale L. Snyder	Harry Todd	1967	590	196	33	6	70,188,196	V Omb	F	Oct. 1968	45	—	H	2	280	
1246	4246	Paul Shellhamer	Wessner	1957	650	72	20	6	—	S Omb	8	—	—	—	H	6	250	
1247	4146	Jacob M. Everett	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1964	645	105	22	6	65,100	H Omb	30	Oct. 1964	12	—	H	6	300	
1248	4147	Charles Rauch	Harry Todd	1959	590	55	—	6	—	S Omb	—	—	—	—	H	4	270	
1249	3239	Terry Hill Mobile	do.	1958	480	208	54	6	95,200	S Omb	98	Sept. 1968	25	—	P	5	220	
1250	3239	Hontes Estate	do.	1958	470	274	25	6	98,268	V Omb	75	—	25	—	P	6	230	Limestone 264-274
1251	3239	Durell Shellhamer	Lehigh Valley Well and Pump Co.	1968	440	118	73	6	30,72,80,98	S Omb	19	May 1968	50	—	H	5	260	
1252	3338	Glen Witmer	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1968	640	185	25	6	50,92,160	H Omb	50	July 1968	6	—	H	—	—	
1253	4049	Mrs. Shirley Wright	Kermit Snyder	1967	560	93	30	6	—	S Omb	—	—	43	—	H	—	—	
1254	4049	Benjamin Dietrich	do.	1968	545	112	40	6	—	H Omb	20	Sept. 1968	30	—	H	—	—	
1255	4050	Clyde Utt	E.C. Lenhart	1959	460	152	—	6	45,89,112,125	S Omb	10	Aug. 1959	9	.3r	H	6	320	
1256	4050	do.	—	1930	480	185	—	6	—	S Omb	—	—	50	—	H	7	310	
1257	4050	George Sensinger	Clarence Wink	1954	500	137	29	6	75,110	S Omb	60	Oct. 1954	10	—	H	9	350	
1258	3952	William Heffner	E.C. Lenhart	1965	540	84	30	6	—	S Omp	25	June 1965	20	.5r	H	8	330	
1259	3951	Carl Kramer	do.	1965	490	117	22	6	29,47,72	S Omp	20	June 1965	10	.1r	H	—	—	
1260	3948	Guy J. Leiby	do.	1960	550	132	30	6	67,103,132	V Omb	25	May 1960	5	.04r	H	—	—	Filled with concrete below 130 feet to eliminate H ₂ S
1261	3948	Norman J. Smith	Homer Herman	1963	650	68	33	6	—	S Omb	25	Sept. 1963	—	—	H	6	250	
1262	4144	Harold Oswald	Russell Pugh	1968	630	118	48	6	68,89,116	S Omb	36	Oct. 1968	15	.5r	H	—	—	
1263	3945	Phillip Snyder	Clarence Wink	1968	740	250	42	6	42,225	S Omb	36	Oct. 1968	4	—	H	—	—	
1264	3945	Willard B. Hamm	do.	1963	780	200	62	6	195	V Omb	60	July 1963	10	—	H	2	140	
1265	3845	Mrs. William Kistler, Sr.	do.	1965	630	87	39	6	42,75	V Omb	40	1965	20	—	H	5	250	
1266	3846	Homer Snyder	Kermit Snyder	1960	640	80	—	6	—	V Omb	8	—	—	—	H	6	—	
1267	3747	Henry J. Kohler	do.	1964	640	110	26	6	100	V Omb	38	Nov. 1964	13	—	S	—	—	
1268	3748	Paul Zimmerman	E.C. Lenhart	1957	490	150	45	6	90,143	V Omb	10	Apr. 1957	17	.2r	H	9	320	
1269	3947	Henry A. Gruber	Clarence Wink	1960	730	400	21	6	80,200,280,400	H Omb	70	Mar. 1960	25	.08r	S	6	450	
1270	4130	Dennis Bankos	Robert Koehner	1967	435	200	43	6	85,170,195	S Omb	85	June 1967	6	.05r	H	14	510	

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Np 21	4708	Ziga Sabo	—	—	—	103	—	6	—	S Omb	11	Feb. 1952	—	—	H	—	—	pH 6.6
47	4536	American Nickeloid Co.	C.D. Moyer	1965	380	1,177	—	10	—	S Omb	24	Nov. 1965	65	—	N	—	—	
101	4520	Floyd Rapp	do.	1955	750	96	12	6	—	H Omb	15	June 1955	7	—	H	5	210	
102	4518	Raymond Messinger	do.	1961	640	82	18	6	—	H Omb	13	Nov. 1961	12	—	H	16	550	
103	4618	Sterling Bickert	do.	1960	670	106	7	6	—	H Omb	—	—	12	—	H	—	—	
104	4617	Mary H. Stites	do.	1961	470	100	43	6	—	V Omb	—	—	11	—	H	3	120	

Table 6. (Continued)

Well No.	Loca- tion No.	Owner	Driller	Year drilled	Alti- tude above sea level (feet)	Well depth (feet)	Casing		Depth to water- bearing zone (feet)	Topo- set-Aqui- ting fer	Depth below land sur- face (feet)	Static water level			Field analyses of water		
							diam- eter (feet)	depth (inches)				Re- ported yield (gpm)	Specific capa- city (gpm per ft)	Hard- ness (grains at 25°C)	Specific conduct- ance (micromhos at 25°C)	Remarks	
Np-105	4716	Robert Tenges	do.	1964	460	43	12	6	-	V Omb	F	Sept. 1964	10	H	7	250	pH 7.7
106	4518	Raymond Snyder	do.	1966	660	170	8	6	-	H Omb	-	-	5	H	12	-	-
107	4519	Warren Bickert	do.	1964	590	90	11	6	-	S Omb	-	-	12	H	-	-	-
108	4622	Arnold Krock	do.	1965	790	170	20	6	-	H Omb	-	-	12	H	-	-	-
109	4722	Odell Kleppinger	do.	1966	710	80	35	6	-	V Omb	12	May 1966	12	.16u	H	7	280
110	4722	Harold Bloss	do.	1961	690	70	46	6	-	S Omb	-	-	30	H	3	135	pH 7.1
111	4823	John Danner	do.	1951	770	85	84	6	-	S Qg	F	-	50	P	1	50	pH 6.6
112	4723	Hubert Remaley	do.	1965	740	55	38	6	-	V Omb	-	-	30	H	-	-	-
113	4624	Melious Leibola	do.	1966	840	75	21	6	-	S Omb	-	-	10	H	3	120	pH 6.1
114	4524	Harold Koehler	do.	1964	725	315	3	6	-	S Omb	-	-	2	H	10	420	pH 7.1
115	4523	David Minnich	do.	1965	705	80	28	6	-	S Omb	15	Aug. 1965	12	H	4	200	pH 6.5
116	4431	Burdell Templeton	Robert Koehler	1957	720	125	33	6	-	V Omb	-	-	30	H	7	250	pH 7.6
117	4433	George Strohl	do.	1965	740	200	41	6	50,183,200	H Omb	-	-	10	H	4	-	pH 6.0
118	2748	Michael Ilko	R. H. Odenheimer Co.	1965	830	135	-	6	130	S Omb	35	Aug. 1965	40	H	1	<50	H ₂ S odor
119	4630	Joseph Steier	do.	1965	530	87	40	6	85	S Omb	2	Oct. 1965	25	-	H	6	210
120	4323	Willard Diehl	Robert Koehler	1965	500	150	18	6	-	S Omb	23	Nov. 1965	10	H	11	420	pH 7.0
121	4624	Nicholas Kopchak	Charles Rumsey	1961	790	70	53	6	-	V Omb	40	Dec. 1961	15	H	4	170	pH 7.0
122	4625	Thomas Sillies	Charles Itterley	1965	850	125	68	6	-	V Omb	-	-	-	H	2	115	pH 6.0
123	4625	Henry Weber	Frank Tomisic	1965	790	110	50	6	-	S Omb	-	-	-	H	5	200	pH 6.3
124	4533	Fay Warren	R. H. Odenheimer Co.	1966	640	178	24	6	170	H Omb	45	Mar. 1966	15	H	-	-	-
125	4628	John Derr	do.	1966	660	72	54	6	70	V Omb	F	-	20	H	5	200	-
126	4415	Earl Eberts	do.	1966	720	63	24	6	35.60	S Omb	15	Mar. 1966	50	H	-	-	-
127	4419	Kenneth Billheimer	do.	1965	695	165	21	6	160	S Omb	50	July 1965	3	H	10	400	-
130	5607	Louis Cyr	Frank Tomisic	1962	620	100	70	6	95	S Omb	8	June 1962	55	H	6	220	-
131	5608	Morris Cohon	-	1958	690	45	45	6	40	S Qg	15	-	-	H	6	225	-
132	5608	do.	-	1936	690	80	25	6	-	S Omb	26	Aug. 1966	-	3.9u	H	7	250
133	5608	do.	E. R. Bush	1958	730	300	10	6	-	S Omb	-	-	-	H	14	460	-
134	5405	do.	Frank Tomisic	1958	450	300	17	6	-	S Omb	F	1958	4	.27u	H	14	420
135	5406	do.	-	610	80	-	6	-	-	S Omb	17	Aug. 1966	-	.65u	H	14	430
136	5405	do.	-	500	100	-	6	-	-	S Omb	11	-	-	.08u	H	10	320

137	5608	Portland Borough	R. H. Odenheimer Co.	1956	720	500	90	10	-	S Omr	F	June 1966	17	.06r	P	4	120
138	5608	do.	do.	1965	870	800	128	10	-	S Omr	165	June 1966	150	-	P	3	110
139	5609	Karl Vliet	George Shoemaker	1954	879	57	-	6	-	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	2	58
140	5609	Albert Koelliker	Frank Tomsic	1966	825	180	180	6	-	S Qg	15	-	15	-	H	5	175
141	5607	Mrs. Walter Grosskopf	Allen	1930	700	150	-	6	-	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	7	225
142	5607	Robert Jewell	do.	1950	710	155	-	6	-	H Omr	60	-	-	-	H	7	225
143	5507	Albert Kearney	do.	-	680	103	55	6	87	S Omr	9	-	-	-	H	4	150
144	5507	Mrs. Gertrude Osterbye	E.R. Bush	1960	685	110	12	6	97	S Omr	12	-	-	-	H	7	240
145	5506	William Delp	C.D. Moyer	1961	480	555	-	6	-	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	3	450
146	5506	Angelo Guarria	Frank Tomsic	1966	420	95	95	6	90	S Qg	30	-	20	-	H	-	-
148	5507	Paul Raesly	C.D. Moyer	1963	460	140	139	6	-	S Omr	F	-	-	-	H	11	300
149	5407	John Villari	-	1922	460	48	-	6	-	U	-	-	-	-	H	11	310
150	5407	Arnold Arsel	Frank Tomsic	1958	420	65	65	6	-	V Qg	F	-	20	-	H	12	315
151	5406	Myrtle Woolver	do.	1960	530	173	-	6	-	S Omr	10	-	6	-	C	23	1,000
152	5404	Stanley Sosnovik	Donald Kitchen	1963	300	102	-	6	85	S Omr	20	-	10	-	H	11	320
153	5404	Met. Edison Elect. Co.	Layne-New York Co.	1957	290	66	-	10	31-64	V Qg	24	June 1957	230	12.r	N	-	-
154	5404	do.	do.	-	290	551	-	-	-	V Omr	9	-	80	.06r	-	-	-
155	5404	do.	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1955	300	250	60	8	-	V Omr	28	-	27	-	U	-	-
156	5404	do.	Layne-New York Co.	1957	290	404	-	10	-	V Omr	22	June 1957	12	-	U	-	-
157	5305	Alfred Reinhardt	William Broad	-	580	110	40	6	80,97,107	S Omr	26	-	10	-	H	10	300
158	5306	Val Fontanella	-	-	620	150	-	6	-	S Omr	13	June 1966	-	-	H	7	230
159	5305	Ralph C. Predmore	Hooper	1955	590	121	21	6	60,90,96,102	S Omr	10	-	55	-	H	10	340
160	5304	Robert Brodt	Raymond Werner	-	300	160	48	6	150	S Omr	68	-	14	.20u	H	3	310
161	5304	Ralph Ginter, DDS	Frank Tomsic	1963	-	240	50	6	-	V Omr	-	-	20	-	H	9	330
162	5203	Earl R. Ackerman	do.	1966	260	110	110	6	-	V Qg	-	-	75	-	P	9	280
163	5304	Tuscarora Inn	-	1955	290	220	-	-	-	V Omr	-	-	-	-	C	9	280
164	5205	Warren Shoemaker	William Broad	-	410	130	20	6	38 + others	V Omr	15	-	50	-	H	10	330
165	5206	Henry Sandt	do.	1955	550	170	46	6	48	V Omr	15	-	20	7.r	H	7	235
166	5206	Franklin A. Smith	-	1917	665	94	23	6	-	H Omr	9	-	-	-	H	7	245
167	5205	L.R. Shoemaker	Frank Tomsic	1963	560	245	88	6	-	S Omr	22	June 1966	6	-	H	8	300
168	5205	Marvin Shoemaker	Raymond Werner	1966	630	108	44	6	54	H Omr	28	-	9	-	H	-	-
169	5204	Ben Skrzypek	-	-	560	180	-	6	-	H Omr	35	June 1966	10	-	H	16	600
170	5105	Harold P. Miller	William Broad	1955	500	136	15	6	50,70 + others	S Omr	19	-	30	-	H	8	320
171	5104	Albert Frutchey	Allen	1910	485	75	11	6	-	S Omr	10	-	-	-	H	8	250
172	5104	Henry M. Ransom	-	-	320	90	30	6	-	S Omr	27	-	-	-	H	8	290
173	5307	B.G. Bonney	Frank Tomsic	-	570	105	3	6	20,60,100	H Omr	7	-	15	-	C	9	280
174	5106	Ella Frankel	-	1930	510	220	-	6	-	V Omr	29	June 1966	-	-	C	11	380
175	5106	do.	-	1930	480	67	-	6	-	S Omr	71	June 1966	15	.46u	C	9	300
176	5106	do.	Frank Tomsic	1964	530	230	25	6	-	V Omr	F	-	5	-	H	7	245
177	5106	Oscar Hillard	do.	1964	700	275	10	6	-	V Omr	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 6. (Continued)

Well No.	Loca- tion	Owner	Driller	Altitude above sea level (feet)	Casing depth (feet)	Casing diameter (inches)	Depth to water- bearing zone (feet)	Topo- set- ting	Acqui- face	Sur- face	Static water level		Field analyses of water		Remarks		
											Depth below land	Date meas- ured	Rep- orted yield (gpm)	Specific capa- city (gpm per ft)		Hard- ness (grains per gal.)	Specific conduct- ance (microhmhos at 25°C)
Np-178	5107	Elton Ott	-	1930 680	110	9	6	-	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	9	330	
179	5007	George Ott	-	1930 680	45	6	6	-	S Omr	15	-	-	-	.87u	H	7	265
180	5006	Elmer Wade	-	-	540	175	-	6	S Omr	110	-	-	-	-	H	7	245
181	4905	Charles Hensil	Frank Tomsic	1965 270	245	-	6	-	V Omr	27	June 1966	80	2.2u	H	12	400	
182	4906	Willard R. Hess	-	-	660	110	-	6	H Omr	-	-	-	-	-	H	10	300
183	5006	Clarence Smith	Raymond Werner	1965 605	290	47	6	-	S Omr	48	June 1966	10	.07u	H	8	290	
185	5508	Frank Fentzloff	Frank Tomsic	1965 685	80	80	6	-	S Qg	-	-	-	9	-	H	9	280
186	5509	John Polakiewicz	do.	1958 790	105	37	6	50.85	S Omr	30	-	-	10	-	H	7	130
187	5509	Peter Polakiewicz	William Broad	1950 770	140	120	6	125	S Omr	47	-	-	10	-	H	5	145
188	5509	S.G. Wolf, MD	-	-	740	35	-	6	V Qg	F	-	-	-	-	H	3	85
189	5509	Totts Gap Institute	Charles Rumsey	1966 770	200	88	6	-	S Omr	50	-	-	50	-	H	8	260
190	5510	do.	Frank Tomsic	-	750	150	125	6	V Omr	24	Aug. 1966	30	.37u	H	4	130	
191	5510	do.	-	-	715	-	-	-	S	-	-	-	-	-	H	4	120
192	5510	Andrew Steen	-	-	730	69	20	6	S Omr	9	-	-	-	-	H	10	280
193	5512	Martin Sullivan	-	1958 1,045	133	65	6	-	S Omr	20	-	-	38	-	H	2	55
194	5512	East Bangor Borough	-	1949 910	401	401	6	-	S Omr	50	-	-	-	-	P	-	-
195	5512	do.	-	-	910	135	75	6	S Omr	F	June 1966	130	-	-	P	2	55
196	5511	Al Nittle	Charles Rumsey	-	840	365	365	6	S Omr	-	-	-	113	.8r	P	4	145
197	5512	Kirkridge, Inc.	-	1964 1,020	180	35	6	-	S Omr	-	-	-	25	-	H	3	80
198	5410	T. Roland LaBar	T. Roland LaBar	-	700	36	21	6	S Omr	8	June 1966	5	.22u	H	7	200	
199	5410	Norman Lohman	George Shoemaker	-	815	65	60	6	S Omr	F	-	-	-	-	H	3	70
200	5410	Grover Zeigafuse, Jr.	Frank Tomsic	1956 700	130	80	6	-	S Omr	20	-	-	20	-	H	8	230
201	5409	Karl Zeigafuse	Karl Zeigafuse	1954 730	85	11	6	84	S Omr	28	-	-	-	-	H	6	190
202	5409	John Bocko	William Broad	1942 690	97	-	6	-	S Omr	-	-	-	-	-	H	9	330
203	5409	Mike Bocko	Frank Tomsic	1963 775	220	20	6	-	S Omr	30	-	-	12	-	H	9	265
204	5411	H.A. Davis	Charles Rumsey	1965 690	127	89	6	92.120	V Omr	5	-	-	13	-	H	8	235
205	5408	E. Mathies	Frank Tomsic, Sr.	1946 625	65	-	6	-	S Omr	27	June 1966	30	-	H	8	210	
206	5408	F. Simon	do.	1952 550	74	74	6	-	U Qg	15	-	-	30	-	H	10	270
207	5308	Eugene Lohman	Joseph Kasnakites	1966 550	162	162	6	-	U Qg	8	June 1966	80	-	H	9	260	
208	5307	H.A. Hartzell	Frank Tomsic	1963 580	165	60	6	-	H Omr	15	-	-	10	-	H	13	335
209	5207	Joseph Zeman	Hooper	1954 550	65	65	6	-	S Qg	F	June 1966	-	-	-	H	9	290

210	5208	Albert Palmer	Paul Genther	1935	585	85	10	6	8.50	S	Omb	3	1963	8	-	H	10	300
211	5207	do.	Hooper	-	595	70	5	6	19 + others	S	Omb	9	Aug. 1955	20	-	H	9	290
212	5208	Mrs. V. Hester	Allen	-	630	78	-	6	-	S	Omb	-	-	-	-	H	14	400
213	5209	Bangor Senior High School	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1955	670	400	100	8	145.397	H	Omb	30	Feb. 1959	60	.4r	P	12	400
214	5209	Ira Dutt	-	1910	-	90	-	6	-	S	Omb	8	-	-	-	H	10	290
215	5204	Steven Alpert	Frank Tomisc	1964	605	140	20	6	100	H	Omr	40	July 1964	30	-	H	-	-
216	5204	do.	C. D. Moyer	1965	795	140	-	6	-	H	Omr	-	-	15	-	H	-	-
217	5209	Ockey's Hotel	Al Emele	1946	585	72	72	6	-	V	Og	28	June 1966	-	-	C	9	295
218	5310	Hans Anderson	Rapp	-	750	45	45	6	-	H	Og	-	-	-	-	H	6	270
219	5311	Lorian LaBar	Frank Tomisc	1962	785	115	25	6	-	S	Omr	-	-	15	-	H	-	-
220	5310	J.J. Manuf. Co., Inc.	-	-	620	75	-	6	-	S	Omr	6	-	-	-	H	4	190
221	5310	Joseph Drexler	Frank Tomisc	1965	630	305	30	6	-	S	Omr	30	-	8	-	H	6	240
222	5210	John L. Miller	Charles Rumsey	1964	680	100	-	6	-	S	Omr	-	-	12	-	H	6	220
223	5311	Weldon J. Merritt	Rapp	1957	810	101	-	6	-	H	Omr	25	-	8	-	H	11	455
224	5212	Peter W. Korell	George Shoemaker	1954	670	180	40	6	175	S	Omr	55	June 1966	-	-	H	7	265
225	5312	William Stone	-	1963	630	125	90	6	-	S	Omp	20	-	-	-	H	6	250
226	5312	Russell Beck	Frank Tomisc	1935	670	85	-	6	60.80	V	Omr	40	-	25	-	H	4	140
227	5207	Margaret Sandt	-	-	670	96	-	6	-	S	Omr	30	-	16	-	H	8	280
228	5208	Edward T. Shannon	Rapp	1940	660	87	20	6	-	S	Omr	40	-	-	-	H	6	240
229	5209	Harry Callie	do.	1955	655	270	10	6	50	S	Omb	20	-	-	-	H	10	370
230	5209	Samuel Callie	do.	1948	710	180	-	6	-	S	Omr	F	-	-	-	H	3	110
231	5210	Stella Mesinger	do.	1959	680	102	70	6	80	V	Omr	20	-	-	-	H	7	240
232	5211	Kenneth Roberts	do.	1955	665	160	59	6	90-100	S	Omr	50	-	5	-	U	-	-
233	5111	Claude Schultz	William Broad	1959	710	130	50	6	86	H	Omb	20	-	8	-	H	6	270
234	5110	Roy Bushkirk, Sr.	Hooper	1959	710	130	50	6	-	S	Omr	20	-	-	-	H	3	150
235	5110	Lester Reimer	Paul Genther	1939	620	125	20	6	-	S	Omb	19	June 1966	8	-	H	7	300
236	5110	Paul Dunbar	Stanley Rapp	1960	660	226	-	6	-	S	Omr	17	-	-	-	H	9	320
237	5109	Mrs. Alice Schoen	-	-	630	135	-	6	-	V	Omr	11	June 1966	-	1.8u	H	9	330
238	5108	John Hann	-	-	700	65	-	6	-	S	Omr	12	June 1966	-	-	H	4	200
239	5107	Mrs. Curtis Forner	-	-	700	83	30	6	-	S	Omr	30	-	4	-	H	9	330
240	5108	Richard Cronce	R.S. Sipple	1964	680	250	30	6	120 + others	V	Omr	19	June 1966	-	.59u	T	6	260
241	5008	Richmond Meth. Epis. Ch.	-	-	520	160	80	6	-	V	Omr	F	-	-	-	H	9	300
242	5109	Kurt Sonntag	-	-	630	70	-	6	-	V	Omb	30	-	-	-	H	6	250
243	5007	Floyd Ott	William Broad	1952	500	102	11	6	-	S	Omb	9	-	6	-	H	6	290
244	5007	George L. Faltich	Frank Tomisc	1962	570	238	40	6	-	S	Omb	30	-	-	-	H	6	290
245	5117	Blue Mtn. Consol. Water Co.	-	1918	890	135	130	10	-	S	Omp	F	1964	185	2r	P	-	-
246	4619	do.	-	1921	550	333	33	10	-	V	Omb	51	Oct. 1966	-	-	U	-	-
247	4619	do.	-	1921	545	226	33	10	-	V	Omb	38	Sept. 1966	-	-	U	-	-
248	4620	do.	-	-	550	407	50	10	-	V	Omb	25	-	430	-	P	-	-
249	5215	do.	-	1908	1,070	307	150	8	-	S	Omp	-	-	50	-	P	-	-

H₂S odorH₂S odor
when drilled

Table 6. (Continued)

Well No.	Loca- tion No.	Owner	Driller	Alti- tude above sea level (feet)		Casing diameter (feet)		Depth to water- bearing zone (feet)	Topo. set-Aquifer (feet)	Depth below land surface (feet)	Static water level		Field analyses of water		Remarks		
				Year level drilled (feet)	Well depth (feet)	Well depth (feet)	Casing depth (feet)				Rep- orted city yield (gpm)	Specific capacity (gpm per ft)	Hard- ness (grains per gal.)	Specific conductance (microhmhos at 25°C)			
Np-250	5009	Clyde W. Stevens	Red Shea	1930 740	210	20	6	30,175	H Omr	20	-	-	H	6	290		
251	5009	Joseph H. Lockard	Raymond Werner	1965 700	97	20	6	85	V Omr	42	Aug. 1966	40	-	H	8	350	
252	5010	John H. Heinsohn	Joseph Kasmakites	1964 640	120	25	6	90	H Omr	35	-	60	-	H	19	820	
253	5010	do.	do.	1964 620	85	20	6	60	V Omr	11	-	12	-	H	-	-	
254	5010	do.	do.	1964 690	75	20	6	-	S Omr	11	-	5	-	H	-	-	
255	5010	do.	William Broad	1960 580	65	20	6	-	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	-	-	
256	5011	William P. Doall	Hooper	1954 620	270	12	6	-	S Omr	30	-	3	-	H	8	350	
257	5011	Mrs. John Quinn	-	-	410	85	-	6	S Omr	65	-	-	-	H	5	270	
258	5012	Carl Tolino	Charles Rumsey	1964 440	200	22	6	135,185	S Omr	31	-	8	.04u	H	4	250	H ₂ S odor
259	5113	Frank Pellechia	Frank Tomisc	1964 635	165	124	6	160	S Omr	5	Jan. 1966	60	-	H	5	240	
260	5113	John Christman, Sr.	William Broad	1956 600	165	90	6	-	S Omr	15	-	-	-	H	5	220	
261	5013	Julius Christoff	Hooper	1956 550	118	42	6	9,60	S Omr	9	-	-	-	H	4	180	
262	5114	John Repscher, Jr.	Charles Rumsey	1965 750	128	40	6	-	S Omr	30	-	-	-	H	4	180	
263	5114	Pen Argyl Milling Co.	Rapp	1930 600	110	-	6	-	V Omr	90	-	-	-	N	5	260	H ₂ S odor
264	5013	Harry Weiss	Hooper	1954 590	135	40	6	40,135	H Omr	-	-	19	-	H	4	180	
265	5015	Leo Suprys	Rapp	1950 750	180	10	6	30	S Omr	50	-	2	-	H	-	-	
266	5015	do.	Leo Suprys	-	740	140	20	6	S Omr	50	-	15	-	H	6	290	
267	5014	John Zuleski	Rapp	-	725	112	-	6	H Omr	40	-	-	-	H	-	-	
268	4914	Fred Achenbach	do.	1946 650	78	20	6	68	V Omr	4	-	20	-	H	4	210	
269	4915	do.	S.Y. Moyer	-	660	85	40	6	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	7	300	
270	4914	Erwin Finken	Rapp	1956 620	90	20	6	16,30,40-50,60,90	S Omr	17	-	15	-	H	12	500	
271	4913	Paul Richards	-	-	540	250	38	250	S Omr	32	-	3	-	H	6	340	
272	4913	R.W. Fritzsche, MD	-	1951 660	110	25	6	18,90	H Omr	20	July 1965	17	.1u	H	4	200	
273	4912	Anos E. Ackerman	Kocher	1964 440	110	25	6	90	V Omr	12	-	20	-	H	5	260	
274	4912	Dino Perelli	Raymond Werner	1964 400	115	38	6	90	V Omr	20	-	6	-	H	8	310	
275	4911	Willard Lattig	Rapp	1945 670	197	14	6	-	H Omr	35	1963	-	-	H	7	320	
276	4911	Daniel Falcone	-	-	670	149	-	6	S Omr	73	-	-	-	H	-	-	
277	4911	W.C. Hopstetter	-	-	700	165	-	6	H Omr	55	Oct. 1966	-	.2u	H	7	300	
278	4911	Nick Falcone	-	-	550	120	-	6	V Omr	-	-	-	-	H	-	-	
279	4910	Harvey L. Rasley	Stanley Rapp	1963 540	140	50	6	75,120	S Omr	12	-	30	-	H	8	350	
280	4910	William Weston	do.	1944 660	125	45	6	-	S Omr	45	-	-	-	H	8	340	

Table 6. (Continued)

Well No.	Loca- tion No.	Owner	Driller	Alti- tude above sea level (feet)	Year drilled (feet)	Casing depth (feet)	Casing diameter (inches)	Depth to water- bearing zone (feet)	Topo- set- ting fer- ring (feet)	Depth below land surface (feet)	Date meas- ured	Static water level			Field analyses of water		
												Rep- orted yield (gpm)	Specific capa- city (gpm per ft)	Hard- ness (grains microhmos at 25°C)	Specific conduct- ance	Remarks	
Np-323	4710	James Siegfried, Jr.	Kocher	1960 595	100	—	6	70	S Omb	F	—	15	—	H 17	560		
324	4709	Julius Sevo	William Broad	1955 620	175	20	6	75	H Omb	—	—	—	—	H 12	420		
328	4611	Peter Romanish	Floyd Rapp	1956 570	285	18	6	125	S Omb	100	1956	6	—	H 16	580		
329	4612	do.	Raymond Werner	1962 580	207	12	6	—	S Omb	F	1962	5	—	H 13	450		
330	4612	Edward Stanchus	Stanley Rapp	1960 580	100	5	6	70	V Omb	10	1960	20	—	H 14	500		
333	4613	Raymond P. Werkheiser	Floyd Rapp	1944 650	161	11	6	55	S Omb	20	—	3	—	H 13	530		
334	4614	do.	do.	1961 660	146	30	6	100	S Omb	20	—	8	—	H 15	500		
335	4613	Kenneth Kulp	do.	1949 690	147	6	6	145	H Omb	20	—	20	—	H —	—		
336	4614	Adam Inboden	S.J. Letson	1956 670	94	15	6	30,60,94	H Omb	18	July 1966	4	—	H 24	1,300		
337	5115	Irene McWilliams	Stanley Rapp	1952 680	100	15	6	95	H Omb	30	Sept. 1966	5	—	H 9	420		
338	5015	G. Williams, Jr.	Frank Tomsic	1965 600	350	25	6	100	S Omb	—	—	4	—	H 9	350		
339	5016	Herman Hattesaal	do.	1957 610	125	18	8	70	S Omb	17	Aug. 1957	15	—	H 6	235		
340	5016	Fred B. Davis	do.	1940 665	75	—	6	—	S Omb	17	—	—	—	H 3	140		
341	5017	John H. Itterly	Kocher	1965 750	130	94	6	87,113-118	S Omb	25	—	35	2.1	H 4	145		
342	5018	Reuben Reese	Frank Tomsic	1958 710	226	225	6	—	V Omb	40	—	12	—	H 3	120		
343	4922	Arthur Hess	Floyd Rapp	1960 810	112	98	6	—	S Omb	F	—	15	—	H 1	<50		
344	4921	E.A. Dorchimer, Sr.	Anthony Tomsic	1957 810	191	163	6	—	S Omb	F	—	40	—	H 3	80		
345	4921	Joseph Young	Frank Tomsic	1963 745	180	140	6	—	S Omb	F	—	30	—	H 3	100		
346	4920	Russell Lieberman	Robert Kocher	1963 695	76	53	6	—	S Omb	33	—	20	10.1	H 1	<50		
347	4920	R.H. Davidson	Frank Tomsic	1959 810	147	147	6	—	S Omb	33	—	—	—	H 1	<50		
348	4919	George Hardy, Sr.	Frank Tomsic	1958 670	85	20	6	—	S Omb	24	Sept. 1966	13	—	H 6	220		
349	4919	Robert G. Hoffman	do.	—	690	305	92	6	80,135,300	S Omb	—	6	—	H 3	120		
350	4918	John Holloway	Frank Tomsic	1938 660	108	30	6	90,108	S Omb	45	—	20	—	H 6	185		
351	4918	George W. Walter	Stanley Rapp	1944 690	101	60	6	60,100	S Omb	27	—	—	—	H 3	110		
352	4917	Arthur P. Miller	Frank Tomsic	—	680	82	80	—	S Omb	F	—	—	—	H 6	200		
353	4916	Dale Kipple	do.	1960 710	225	15	6	220	S Omb	20	—	10	—	H 5	195		
354	4916	A.M. Rutkowski	do.	1951 600	110	15	6	80-90	V Omb	25	July 1966	20	—	H 6	235		
355	5707	Philip Morrissey	—	—	320	157	—	—	V	—	—	—	—	H 5	175		
357	4915	Ronald Achenbach	—	1940 550	65	18	6	55	V Omb	F	—	30	—	H 3	110		
358	4915	Elmer Achenbach	Rapp	1958 550	92	15	6	50 + others	V Omb	F	—	9	—	H 5	180		
359	4815	Robert S. Handelung	Frank Tomsic	1964 530	215	23	6	190,200	S Omb	60	May 1964	9	—	H 8	270		

360	4815	Phillip A. Due	do.	1959	625	140	20	6	135 + others	S	Omb	F	—	30	—	H	7	240
361	4915	William Mullsch	do.	1961	540	231	—	6	—	V	Omr	9	1961	—	—	H	6	235
362	4816	Albert Greidanus	Floyd Rapp	1964	510	66	25	6	40	V	Omb	F	Oct. 1966	12	—	H	7	240
363	4816	David D. Smith	Paul Genther	1945	590	120	40	6	—	S	Omb	50	—	—	—	H	6	170
364	4817	Quintus Berhel	Kocher	1956	620	96	20	6	—	S	Omb	10	—	—	—	H	5	165
365	4818	Rudolf Berhel	Rapp	1950	650	176	60	6	150,176	H	Omb	40	—	—	—	H	6	220
366	4817	Chester Heiner	Floyd Rapp	1954	605	103	68	6	30,100	S	Omb	—	—	—	—	H	5	170
367	4818	Clark Rissmiller	Frank Tomsic	1955	600	125	13	6	—	S	Omb	45	—	—	—	H	6	210
368	4819	Donald Schreck	Frank Laubach	1965	730	355	15	6	—	H	Omr	70	Oct. 1966	—	.09u	H	8	285
369	4820	Bruce Gregory	Frank Tomsic	1964	700	250	170	6	60 + other	S	Omr	60	Aug. 1964	5	—	H	4	130
370	4820	George Handy	Frank Tomsic	1956	705	180	160	6	—	S	Omp	—	—	—	—	H	4	150
371	4820	V.S. Anglemeyer	Paul Genther	1930	745	126	70	6	40,70	V	Omr	40	—	30	—	H	2	75
372	4821	Andrew Nagle, Jr.	Floyd Rapp	1956	705	65	35	6	65	S	Omr	—	—	40	—	H	3	70
373	4721	J.A. Frunfelder, MD	do.	1965	730	85	30	6	35,60,65,75	S	Omr	30	Aug. 1965	30	—	H	5	200
374	4721	Edward Cole	Kocher	1960	670	250	28	6	below 200	S	Omr	11	—	6	—	H	7	220
375	4720	Charles R. Fisher	Rapp	1956	700	45	—	6	—	S	Omr	—	—	—	—	H	3	80
376	4720	William M. Kilpatrick	Floyd Rapp	1962	650	135	—	6	100 + other	S	Omb	30	—	8	—	H	5	165
377	4719	John R. Detweiler	do.	1949	685	75	18	6	3 zones	S	Omr	18	1949	—	—	H	5	240
378	4719	Mrs. George Rundle	—	—	635	120	80	6	—	S	Omb	—	—	—	—	H	4	145
379	4718	Maurice Zellner	Kocher	1940	630	85	—	6	—	S	Omb	42	—	—	—	H	4	150
380	4716	Berton H. Fulmer	—	1939	600	115	20	6	—	S	Omb	20	—	—	—	H	5	190
381	4615	James Gava	Floyd Rapp	1957	440	154	12	6	110 + other	V	Omb	20	—	7	—	H	10	370
382	4615	Frank Miklos	do.	1931	635	250	12	6	180,190	S	Omb	37	—	4	—	H	18	570
383	4615	Frank Miklos, Jr.	do.	1959	645	160	10	6	80-110	S	Omb	20	—	5	—	H	15	460
384	4616	Gerlad Davis	—	—	505	85	—	6	—	S	Omb	32	—	—	—	H	13	450
385	4617	Paul Thomas	Raymond Werner	1965	560	120	25	6	—	V	Omb	6	1965	5	—	H	8	235
386	4618	George Houck	do.	1961	585	120	21	6	100	S	Omb	7	—	9	—	H	9	290
387	4620	Mrs. Raymond Hahn	Floyd Rapp	1958	685	100	—	6	—	S	Omb	—	—	—	—	H	7	200
388	4621	John J. Correll	do.	1958	710	85	10	6	—	S	Omb	—	—	10	—	H	6	250
389	4621	T. C. Pellegatta, Jr.	—	—	590	92	—	6	—	V	Omb	—	—	—	—	H	5	210
390	4522	Edwin Filchner	Rapp	1941	660	135	45	6	—	S	Omb	10	Nov. 1965	—	—	H	14	450
391	4521	Frank Kershner	Kocher	1965	670	285	30	6	3 zones	S	Omb	22	—	—	—	H	8	285
392	4521	Ronald W. Teel	Marvin Butz	1966	765	110	20	6	—	H	Omb	—	—	16	—	H	7	300
393	4520	William Sandt	Floyd Rapp	1958	670	165	—	6	—	S	Omb	—	—	—	—	H	7	300
394	4519	Michael Pieraga	do.	1960	700	—	—	—	—	H	Omb	—	—	—	—	H	5	200
396	4515	Angelo Lopresti	Kocher	1957	560	250	—	—	40-60	S	Omb	12	1957	3	—	H	23	780
397	4420	William Gorman	—	—	620	140	—	6	—	S	Omb	17	Oct. 1966	—	—	H	14	540
398	4422	Earl Schoeneberg	—	—	540	80	—	6	—	S	Omb	20	—	—	—	H	22	740
399	4922	Robert Williamson	Marvin Butz	1965	815	100	95	6	—	S	Omp	F	—	—	—	H	1	<50
400	4922	Howard Gruber	Robert Kocher	1960	810	105	60	6	85,105	S	Omp	30	1960	—	—	H	3	125

235 H₂S odor

Table 6. (Continued)

Well No.	Loca- tion No.	Owner	Driller	Year drilled (feet)	Altitude above sea level (feet)	Casing depth (feet)	Casing diameter (inches)	Depth to water- bearing zone (feet)	Topo- setting (feet)	Depth below land surface (feet)	Date measured	Rep- orted yield (gpm)	Specific capa- city (gpm per ft)	Hard- ness (grains per gal.)	Field analyses of water		Remarks
															Specific conduct- ance (micromhos at 25°C)		
Np-401	4822	Nicholas Romanishan	Raymond Werner	1963	720	70	6	-	S Qs	-	-	50	-	H	5	310	
402	4823	Mrs. Katy Romanishan	Floyd Rapp	1960	830	82	15	60	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	6	300	
403	4824	Paul T. Bickert	Raymond Werner	1959	815	147	-	120	V Omr	12	-	-	-	H	2	55	
404	4824	R.E. Bartholomew	Floyd Rapp	1948	755	92	49	6	S Omr	4	-	-	-	H	3	68	
405	4825	Alex Turoci, Jr.	Kocher	1962	760	62	60	6	S Omr	F	Oct. 1966	-	-	H	1	<50	
406	4828	John Bucha	do.	1953	790	60	6	-	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	1	<50	
407	4728	Herbert Furry	-	-	720	96	-	6	S Omr	25	-	-	-	H	3	110	
408	4727	Carl Bigley	Raymond Werner	1964	870	200	-	6	H Omr	-	-	-	-	H	5	220	
409	4727	Eugene Eckhart	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1964	745	102	70	6	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	2	70	
410	4726	Grant Wambold	Frank Laubach	-	670	47	-	-	V Omr	3	-	-	-	H	2	90	
411	4826	Bum Enterprises	Robert Iterley	-	770	120	-	6	S Omr	18	Nov. 1966	-	-	P	1	<50	
412	4826	do.	do.	-	770	120	-	6	S Omr	-	-	-	-	P	-	-	
413	4826	do.	do.	-	830	120	-	6	S Omr	29	Oct. 1966	-	-	P	-	-	
414	4726	Clyde Derhammer	Charles Iterley	1963	760	73	-	35 + other	S Omr	20	-	-	-	H	2	-	
415	4725	Albert Graver	Rapp	1936	860	225	90	115,197	S Omr	70	-	20	-	H	5	245	
416	4726	Thomas Graver	do.	1960	695	60	24	30	S Omr	5	-	30	-	H	3	135	
417	4724	Harold Zellner	Kocher	1950	755	90	-	-	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	5	225	
418	4724	Gerald Reph	do.	1965	860	125	90	80,125	S Omr	40	-	20	-	H	4	145	
419	4723	Ralph Yenser	Raymond Werner	1961	940	178	21	112	S Omr	71	-	20	.5r	H	5	190	
420	4723	F. Michaels	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1965	980	185	19	150,175	H Omr	125	June 1965	10	-	H	-	-	
421	4722	Herbert Schreck	Frank Tomsic	1958	710	125	75	6	S Omr	F	-	21	-	H	5	210	
422	4622	Sterling Hahn	Floyd Rapp	1959	710	75	63	6	S Omr	15	-	-	-	H	3	150	
424	4623	Daniel Laubach	Kocher	1961	660	115	27	110	V Omr	17	April 1961	23	.2r	H	6	260	
425	4626	Donald Hall	Floyd Rapp	1962	810	60	15	40	H Omr	30	-	60	-	H	6	260	
426	4626	Lester Fehnel	Kocher Sr.	1920	765	106	-	6	S Omr	20	-	-	-	H	9	500	
427	4627	Richard Shafer	Robert Kocher	1960	570	65	24	6	V Omr	14	1960	-	-	H	5	190	
428	4627	August Getz	Raymond Werner	1957	720	208	89	40, 68, 89, 140, 200	V Omr	33	July 1957	65	-	H	7	270	
429	4628	Forrest Beers	Kocher	1965	730	225	107	111,220	V Omr	F	-	13	.08r	H	4	155	
430	4629	Francis Teel	Henry Kocher	1958	750	108	35	6	S Omr	-	-	-	-	H	5	200	
431	4629	Warren Miller	Kocher	1958	805	85	-	6	H Omr	-	-	-	-	H	-	-	
432	4529	Robert Minnich	Robert Kocher	1962	650	143	56	6	H Omr	-	-	10	-	H	11	440	

433	4528	Paul Kratzer	do.	1966	520	80	40	6	—	V Omb	—	—	—	20	—	H	9	330	H ₂ S odor when drilled
434	4528	R.J. Murphy	Carl Traugher	1964	530	35	20	6	—	V Omb	5	1964	—	—	—	H	5	190	
435	4527	Era E. Roth	Henry Kocher	1960	760	—	35	6	—	H Omb	—	—	—	—	—	H	6	250	
436	4527	Leroy G. Person	Raymond Werner	1965	590	60	—	6	48	V Omb	—	—	—	—	—	H	8	300	
437	4526	John Shinkman	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1966	670	75	—	6	—	V Omb	4	Oct. 1966	—	—	2.5u	H	4	125	
438	4526	Dallas Kohler	Kocher	1950	735	98	15	6	—	S Omb	29	1950	—	<1	—	H	2	290	H ₂ S odor
439	4525	Robert Jones	Robert Kocher	1963	770	467	—	6	—	H Omb	70	—	—	10	—	H	7	285	
440	4524	Paul Beull	Kocher	1961	550	65	22	6	—	S Omb	20	—	—	—	—	H	—	100	
441	4523	Ronald Slifles	Floyd Rapp	1960	705	68	13	6	—	H Omb	—	—	—	—	—	H	—	100	
442	4422	Ralph Lower	Henry Kocher	1964	500	104	41	6	—	S Omb	10	—	—	20	—	H	7	300	
443	4423	Elizabeth Fox	do.	1956	650	110	15	6	—	S Omb	—	—	—	—	—	H	6	230	
444	4424	M.E. Pike	Robert Kocher	1950	660	112	35	6	60	H Omb	25	1950	—	18	—	H	15	530	H ₂ S odor
445	4424	Charles Boyko	Floyd Rapp	1951	525	140	6	6	120 + other	V Omb	—	—	—	—	—	H	6	260	
446	4424	Mrs. Mildred Milkovits	Robert Itterley	1963	560	85	—	6	—	V Omb	—	—	—	—	—	H	11	390	
447	4425	Frank Diugos	Lester Kocher	1961	640	55	25	6	—	S Omb	18	1961	—	—	—	H	9	350	
448	4426	John B. Fleck	Floyd Rapp	1940	740	75	—	6	—	H Omb	30	—	—	—	—	H	9	355	
449	4427	H.B. Cheesbrough, Jr.	Robert Kocher	1935	625	90	—	6	—	S Omb	—	—	—	—	—	H	5	190	
450	4323	Borough of Bath	—	1925	450	700	150	12	—	V Omb	F	Nov. 1966	—	33	—	P	6	250	
451	4425	do.	Robert Kocher	1964	630	335	27	6	—	V Omb	19	—	—	23	—	P	5	250	
452	4425	do.	—	1914	615	700	30	8	—	V Omb	F	—	—	42	—	P	9	380	
453	4428	Craig Beltzner	Robert Kocher	1951	455	185	30	6	165	V Omb	20	—	—	—	—	U	—	—	H ₂ S odor
454	4428	do.	do.	1951	460	85	30	6	—	V Omb	20	—	—	—	—	H	7	300	
455	4429	William Eastman	do.	1952	480	102	7	6	15 + other	V Omb	13	—	—	—	—	H	6	250	
456	4429	Anton Schneeberger	do.	1963	470	113	35	6	40 + other	V Omb	15	July 1963	—	16	—	H	6	240	
457	4429	John Berger	do.	1954	620	103	20	6	—	S Omb	20	—	—	—	—	H	11	410	
458	4329	Stephen Klutarsits	do.	1959	590	117	28	6	50.105	S Omb	5	—	—	20	1.r	H	9	320	
459	4329	John Panmer	do.	1960	480	160	—	6	—	H Omb	—	—	—	—	—	H	14	550	
460	4328	Edward Gossler	—	—	510	120	20	6	—	V Omb	6	Aug. 1965	—	20	—	H	11	400	
461	4327	Alex McReil	Robert Kocher	1956	670	296	21	6	35 + other	H Omb	13	—	—	1	—	H	11	430	
462	4327	Anthony Winarchick	Floyd Rapp	1955	655	90	40	6	70 + other	S Omb	35	—	—	17	—	H	2	85	
463	4326	Wilson Jones	Robert Kocher	1966	605	180	30	6	60	S Omb	20	—	—	2	—	H	—	—	
464	4326	Morvak	do.	1966	585	140	40	6	—	H Omb	20	—	—	10	—	H	—	—	
465	4326	Dale R. Dech	do.	1966	590	170	20	6	115	H Omb	12	Aug. 1966	—	50	—	P	10	370	
466	4325	Burnell Rex	Robert Kocher	1965	585	95	33	6	—	S Omb	14	Apr. 1965	—	30	—	H	9	350	
467	4325	Mike Donello	Charles Itterley	1966	715	150	10	6	—	S Omb	15	Sept. 1966	—	—	—	H	12	430	
468	4324	Mike Padula	Henry Yeska	1966	590	218	18	6	215	S Omb	70	—	—	70	—	H	17	630	
469	4324	do.	Marvin Buiz	1966	560	160	8	6	40 + other	V Omb	F	Nov. 1966	—	—	—	I	13	520	
470	4324	do.	Robert Itterley	1966	570	145	16	6	30	V Omb	—	—	—	20	—	U	—	—	
471	4225	Edwin Hess	Henry Kocher	1959	650	125	15	6	—	S Omb	30	1959	—	—	—	H	24	1,050	
472	4226	Leo Schmidt	Robert Itterley	1963	530	100	10	6	40.96	S Omb	40	—	—	30	—	H	16	570	

Table 6. (Continued)

Well No.	Location No.	Owner	Driller	Year drilled (feet)	Altitude above sea level (feet)	Casing depth (feet)	Casing diameter (inches)	Depth to water-bearing zone (feet)	Topo. setting (feet)	Depth below land surface (feet)	Date measured	Field analyses of water			
												Repor- ted yield (gpm)	Specific capac- ity (gpm per ft)	Hard- ness (grains per gal.)	Specific conduct- ance (microhos at 25°C)
Np-473	4227	Donald Ruch	Charles Iterley	1962	570	75	10	6	—	S Omb	—	20	—	H 10	400
474	4227	A.M. Cesner	—	—	575	100	—	6	—	H Omb	—	1	—	H 14	600
475	4228	Anthony Herschman	Henry Kocher	1965	510	115	—	6	—	S Omb	—	—	—	H 13	470
476	4427	Duane Edwards	Iterley	1961	715	110	—	6	—	S Omb	—	—	—	H 17	750
477	4229	Jerome Hess	Robert Kocher	1966	380	125	12	6	—	S Omb	—	—	—	H 8	360
478	4730	Eugene Fritz	do.	1964	650	87	—	6	—	S Omb	5	8	—	H 4	135
479	4730	Albert Lerch	do.	1960	730	140	120	6	—	S Omb	6	25	—	H 1	<50
480	4621	Odell Kleppinger	Floyd Rapp	1966	700	103	70	6	—	S Omb	8	—	.07u	U	—
481	4731	George Pahlula	Edgar Andrews	—	690	115	90	6	90-95	V Omb	F	40	—	H 3	120
482	4731	Charles Fegley	Robert Kocher	1952	660	85	22	6	—	S Omb	23	—	—	H 5	190
483	4732	Mike Lakatas	do.	1948	670	108	—	6	—	S Omb	8	—	—	—	—
484	4734	Eugene Ressler	do.	1964	690	100	53	6	25 + other	S Omb	11	25	—	H 5	—
485	4435	James N. Young	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1965	560	278	15	6	133	S Omb	133	—	—	H —	—
486	4431	M.D. Misenheimer	Robert Kocher	1967	725	240	25	6	44.95, 233	S Omb	8	25	4r, .80u	H 4	140
487	4631	Edwin Reese	Robert Kocher	1967	700	101	24	6	30-40.82	S Omb	18	10	2r, .31u	H 8	270
488	4631	Ciro Palumbo	do.	1967	700	96	24	6	—	V Omb	18	—	2.57u	H 8	350
489	4623	Thomas Saege	do.	1967	740	250	—	6	—	V Omb	—	—	—	H —	—
490	4521	Thomas Windishim	Floyd Rapp	1967	643	65	32	6	40.60	V Omb	8	15	.5r, .50u	H —	—
492	4623	George Cope	Robert Kocher	1966	740	105	20	6	24, 31 + other	S Omb	19	15	.41u	H 13	490
495	4635	George Chimich	Floyd Rapp	1940	650	74	30	6	—	S Omb	20	—	—	H 1	80
496	4634	Steven Hutnick	Russell Pugh	1966	685	105	43	6	40-60 + other	H Omb	44	12	—	H —	—
497	4633	Calvin A. Arner, Jr.	Ernest Conrad	1961	650	120	—	6	—	H Omb	20	—	—	H 3	180
498	4534	Conrad Janca	—	1966	500	95	35	6	35-40 + other	V Omb	15	—	—	H —	—
499	4534	David Gaugler	Charles Iterley	—	495	85	40	6	—	V Omb	1	100	—	H 4	—
500	4532	Leo Schreck	Russell Pugh	1965	660	100	22	6	Several zones 70-100	V Omb	F	40	—	H 5	240
501	4636	Lewis Andrews	Charles Hartraft	1954	460	97	55	6	60 + other	S Omb	40	—	—	H 2	100
502	4535	Greenzweig and Bird	C.D. Moyer	1960	570	165	24	6	—	H Omb	50	40	—	H 5	220
503	4632	Donald Kuntz	Robert Kocher	1966	700	121	22	6	55, 70, 116	S Omb	23	30	1r	H 7	240
504	4631	William M. Bossard Estate	Robert Eberly	1965	655	156	—	6	—	S Omb	—	—	—	H 2	80
505	4531	E. B. Minnich	R.H. Odenheimer Co.	1966	—	104	40	6	—	S Omb	28	30	3.0u	H 4	160
506	4530	Paul A. Lentz	—	1962	700	75	40	6	—	V Omb	35	30	—	H 7	250

Table 7. Chemical Analyses of Water

(Results in milligrams per liter (mg/l) except field hardness, specific conductance, and pH)																			
Well No.	Silica (SiO ₂)	Total iron (Fe)	Total manganese (Mn)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO ₃)	Sulfate (SO ₄)	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO ₃)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)	Hardness as CaCO ₃		Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°)		pH	
														Calcium, magnesium	Non-carbonate	Lab	Field		
Le-SP-50	7.6	0.02	0.01	3.5	1.3	2.0	0.4	12	5.7	3.7	0.0	0.3	30	14	2	1	42	50	-
489	12	.02	.00	37	6.8	4.5	.8	68	53	7.3	.0	11	171	120	65	11	269	315	7.3
495	18	3.6	-	12	6.5	3.6	-	3	46	24	.8	.1	90	57	19	2	127	160	7.2
722	13	.04	.00	21	8	1.5	.6	83	50	3	.0	.0	153	86	18	5	237	290	8.25
824	14	.04	.00	37	13	7.5	.9	90	20	46	.0	13	255	146	72	9	256	400	6.7
1005	14	.02	.00	29	8.5	6.7	.6	42	40	27	.0	11	194	108	73	5	264	310	6.5
1021	13	.19	.03	49	8	4.5	.3	160	29	7.6	.0	.3	202	156	25	9	320	305	-
1022	11	.09	.00	46	8.8	8.8	.9	58	65	30	.0	24	275	151	104	10	407	395	-
1035	5.8 ^a	.15	-	22	9.0	3.2	.8	46	43	4.5	.0	10	138	92	55	6	200	211	-
1037	12 ^a	.00	-	31	4.3	3.9	.4	79	20	6	.0	9.5	134	95	32	6	209	220	-
1040	6.9 ^a	.10	-	22	8.4	2.2	1.6	66	29	4.2	.0	11	133	90	36	6	197	220	-
1041	15 ^a	.19	-	50	8.6	5.0	.4	99	75	4.7	.0	.1	221	161	80	8	318	350	-
1042	16 ^a	.55	-	29	12	7.5	.5	95	34	1.5	.0	0.4	181	122	44	7	267	280	-
1043	11 ^a	.08	-	30	6.8	5.3	.9	72	47	2.2	.0	2.2	150	103	44	6	222	240	-
1044	11 ^a	.02	-	49	10	7.6	.4	69	89	21	.0	.2	249	164	107	10	358	370	-
1050	12	.08	.00	12	3.7	3.1	.6	37	8.4	4.5	.1	10	80	45	15	3	108	135	6.4
1051	12	.00	.00	24	6.5	5.2	.7	43	35	5.0	.0	26	146	87	52	5	216	265	6.9
1062	13	.07	-	20	5.0	4.2	.9	34	21	7.0	.0	21	117	71	43	4	166	195	-
1067	6.4	.22	.01	13	6.6	4.0	1.5	100	54	12	.1	.0	185	60	0	4	308	310	-
1068	5.6	.08	.01	29	5.4	6.7	.9	52	54	5.0	.0	7.2	141	95	52	6	223	245	-
1106	10	.92	.08	34	9.8	8.5	1.1	76	62	8.0	.1	14	204	126	63	8	306	320	-
1239	10	.40	.01	22	6.2	6.7	.9	60	25	6.0	.1	22	112	81	32	5	214	210	-
1240 ^b	11	2.2	.04	2	0.4	74	2	178	8.6	2.0	1.0	0.5	198	7	0.0	2	335	320	-
1245	15	.15	.00	6	3	40	1.2	115	21	7.0	.3	.0	138	28	.0	2	246	280	-
1269	14	.01	.00	31	7.2	1.2	1.2	98	36	6.4	.1	18	160	107	27	6	282	450	-
NP-137	12	.07	.03	16	4.0	4.0	.2	66	10	1.0	.1	.4	87	57	3	4	128	120	-
138	12	.07	.01	13	3.8	4.8	.2	55	11	1.8	.0	1.5	80	48	3	3	115	110	-
145 ^c	9.3	.09	.00	7.8	4.2	95	1.2	265	11	12	1.5	.0	281	37	0	3	464	450	-
151	11	.09	.00	97	27	79	10	259	100	152	.0	13	696	353	141	23	1,100	1,000	-
169	13	.00	.00	80	12	14	1.7	82	52	58	.0	99	488	249	182	16	632	600	-
195	6.9	.21	.00	7.3	1.5	1.2	.4	22	7.2	2.0	.0	.2	36	24	6	2	55	66	-
196	17	.08	.02	16	3.2	12	.3	81	9.8	2.2	.0	.0	104	53	0	4	145	145	-
252	16	.00	.78	105	22	40	6.6	262	108	79	.0	9.6	548	353	138	19	815	800	-
336	11	.37	.05	139	21	105	4.4	74	106	280	.0	109	935	434	373	24	1,370	1,300	-
425	11	.07	.00	38	4.8	4.0	.8	58	42	16	.0	11	186	115	67	6	263	290	-
439	9.5	.00	.00	5.5	2.0	61	1.2	144	27	3.0	.4	.3	175	22	0	2	282	290	-
LEHIGH COUNTY																			
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY																			

^aMeasurement in the field.^bCarbonate (CO₃) = 6.0 mg/l.^cMay be converted to milligrams per liter by multiplying by 17.

SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

The Martinsburg Formation underlies the northern half of Lehigh and Northampton Counties, and is of Middle and Late Ordovician age. It is bounded on the south by older Ordovician limestone formations and on the north by a ridge-forming conglomerate of Silurian age. Recent mapping has supported a three-part division of the Martinsburg into a lower thin-bedded slate (Bushkill Member), a middle graywacke-bearing unit (Ramseyburg Member), and an upper thick-bedded slate (Pen Argyl Member).

About three-fourths of the area is blanketed by glacial deposits of Illinoian age. Sand and gravel of Wisconsin age are present in the extreme eastern part of the area. The glacial deposits thin southward and westward, as indicated by casing depths. A few narrow tongues of glacial deposits are 100 feet or more in thickness.

The median depth of domestic wells is about 120 feet and the median yield is about 15 gpm. The best yields are obtained on the slopes of Blue Mountain at the north edge of the formation. Nondomestic wells are about twice as deep and yield three to five times as much water as domestic wells. Most wells obtain water from two or three zones in the first 150 feet below land surface, but zones are sufficiently abundant to depths of about 400 feet to make drilling to this depth practical where maximum supplies are needed. Static water levels were deepest in the uplands (30 to 40 feet below land surface) and shallowest beneath valleys (12 to 14 feet).

Wells drilled in the glacial deposits are generally less than 75 feet deep and yield two to three times as much water as the domestic bedrock wells.

The water is moderately soft and has a median dissolved-solids content of 166 mg/l. The chief ions are calcium, magnesium, bicarbonate, and sulfate. About half the samples contain more chloride and nitrate than the amount derived naturally from the rocks, but only two samples exceeded the limit of 45 mg/l nitrate set by the U.S. Public Health Service for drinking water.

Naturally occurring hydrogen sulfide is present in about 5 percent of the wells, chiefly in the lower two members of the Martinsburg Formation. The gas is associated generally with sodium-rich water, which may indicate that the rocks have not been completely flushed of the ions entrapped during deposition.

Field measurements indicate, in general, that the water becomes increasingly mineralized from north to south in the formation.

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