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OK so I added this at format.c line 206

```
printf ("0 calling bfd seek with %s with pos %d and direction %dn", abfd -> filename, (file_ptr) 0, SEEK_SET);
```

and

```
int  
bfd_seek (bfd *abfd, file_ptr position, int direction)  
{  
    int result;  
    file_ptr file_position;  
    /* For the time being, a BFD may not seek to it's end. The problem  
    is that we don't easily have a way to recognize the end of an  
    element in an archive. */  
  
    printf ("bfd_seek called with %s with pos %d and direction %dn", abfd -> filename, position, direction);  
  
    BFD_ASSERT (direction == SEEK_SET || direction == SEEK_CUR);  
  
    if (direction == SEEK_CUR && position == 0)  
        return 0;  
  
    if (abfd->format != bfd_archive && abfd->my_archive == 0)  
    {  
        if (direction == SEEK_SET && (bfd_vma) position == abfd->where)  
            return 0;  
    }  
    else  
    {  
        /* We need something smarter to optimize access to archives.  
        Currently, anything inside an archive is read via the file  
        handle for the archive. Which means that a bfd_seek on one  
        component affects the `current position' in the archive, as
```

well as in any other component.

It might be sufficient to put a spike through the cache abstraction, and look to the archive for the file position, but I think we should try for something cleaner.

In the meantime, no optimization for archives. */

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}

file_position = position;
if (direction == SEEK_SET)
{
    bfd *parent_bfd = abfd;

    while (parent_bfd->my_archive != NULL)
    {
        file_position += parent_bfd->origin;
        parent_bfd = parent_bfd->my_archive;
    }
}

if (abfd->iovec)
{
    result = abfd->iovec->bseek (abfd, file_position, direction);
    printf ("1: seeking %s with pos %d and direction %d has result %dn", abfd -> filename, file_position,
direction, result);
}
else
{
    printf ("2: iovec for %s is nulln", abfd -> filename);
    result = -1;
}

if (result != 0)
{
    int hold_errno = errno;

    /* Force redetermination of `where' field. */
    bfd_tell (abfd);

    /* An EINVAL error probably means that the file offset was
    absurd. */
    if (hold_errno == EINVAL)
    {
        printf ("3: seeking %s EINVALn", abfd -> filename);

        bfd_set_error (bfd_error_file_truncated);
    }
    else
    {
        bfd_set_error (bfd_error_system_call);
    }
}
```

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errno = hold_errno;
printf ("4: seeking %s has error %dn", abfd -> filename, hold_errno);
}
}
else
{
/* Adjust `where' field. */
if (direction == SEEK_SET)
{
printf ("5: seeking %sn", abfd -> filename);

abfd->where = position;
}
else
{
printf ("6: seeking %sn", abfd -> filename);
abfd->where += position;
}
}

printf ("returning %s : %dn", abfd -> filename, result);

return result;
}

```

and got the following output:

```

0 calling bfd seek with Workspace:/helloworld with pos 0 and direction 0
bfd seek called with Workspace:/helloworld with pos 0 and direction 0
BFD: BFD (GNU Binutils) 2.22.52.20120718 assertion fail ../../bfd/elf.c:241
bfd_seek called with Workspace:/helloworld with pos 0 and direction 12060
1: seeking Workspace:/helloworld with pos 0 and direction 12060 has result 0
4: seeking Workspace:/helloworld has error 29
returning Worksapce:/helloworld : -1
"Workspace:/helloworld": not in executable format: illegal seek

```

So the direction then being 12060 seems like where things go very wrong!

Unless some weird redefining is going on, direction should be 0, 1 or 2 for SEEK_SET, SEEK_CUR and SEEK_END. Even the GNU extensions only add values for 3 and 4. So somewhere direction is getting set strangely.