

Case No.

470

Application, Transcript,
Small Exhibits, Etc.

Original

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

CASE NO. 470

Henrickson's Reporting Service
2224 - 47th Street
Los Alamos, New Mexico

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

JANUARY 15, 1953

In the Matter of:

The application of the Oil Conservation Commission upon its own motion for an order for the extension of existing pools or the creation of new pools in Lea County, New Mexico, and giving notice to all persons and parties interested in the subject matter thereof to appear and show cause why such extensions and creations should not be made.

(a) Create a new oil pool to be known as the Lovington-Tubb Pool for Tubb production to include: Township 16 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico W/2 Section 33 and such other contiguous lands as may properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

(b) Extend the Lovington-Paddock Pool to include: Township 16 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, All Section 35 and such other lands contiguous to said pool as may properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

(c) Extend the Hare Pool to include: Township 21 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, N/2 Section 11, N/2 Section 12 and such other lands contiguous to said pool as may properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

BEFORE:

Hon. Ed Mechem, Governor and Chairman
Hon. R. R. Spurrier, Secretary and Member
Hon. E. S. Walker, Member

A. L. PORTER, JR.

having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

By MR. WHITE:

Q. Will you state your full name and position for the record, please?

A. A. L. Porter, Jr., Proration Manager, Oil Commission.

Q. As proration manager, do you have occasion to make a study of the proposed pool exploration and extension as advertised and set forth in Case No. 470?

A. I have.

Q. Will you give a report of your study to the Commission together with your recommendations?

A. On the basis of my study of these proposed extensions, I recommend that both the creation of the new pool and the extension of the two existing pools be made as advertised.

And I would like to submit Exhibits A, B and C in support of those recommendations.

SPURRIER - Without objection, they will be received.

Q. These extensions - the extension of the existing pool from the source of supply, is that correct?

A. Yes.

SPURRIER - Are there any objections to Mr. Porter's recommendations?

MAGNY: Mr. Porter, will you give us the completion details on the discovery well in the Lovington-Tubb Pool? The perforations or the casing

skute?

A. The discovery well is a Tidewater Associated Oil Company deep E. Meyers 1 L, Section 33-16 South, 37th East and the top of the casing perforations is 78/40.

SPURRIER - Are there any further questions of this witness? If not, the witness may be excused.

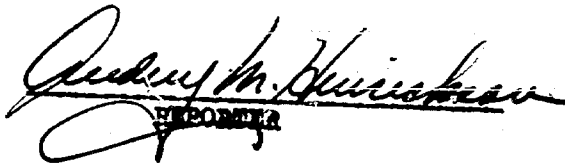
(Witness excused)

SPURRIER - The case will be taken under advisement and the next case on the docket is Case 471.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO }
COUNTY OF LOS ALAMOS }

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached transcript of hearing on Case 470, before the Oil Conservation Commission, State of New Mexico, at Santa Fe, on January 16, 1953, is a true and correct record of the same to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

DATED at Los Alamos, New Mexico, this 16th day of January, 1953.


REPORTER

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW
MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 470
ORDER No. R-261

THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION UPON ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN
ORDER CALLING FOR THE CREATION OF NEW
POOLS AND FOR THE EXTENSION OF EXISTING
POOLS IN LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on regularly for hearing at 9 o'clock a. m.
January 15, 1953, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation
Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 10th day of February, 1953, the Commission, a
quorum being present, having considered the testimony adduced and the
exhibits received at said hearing, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due notice having been given as required by law, the
Commission has jurisdiction of the cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That a new pool should be created, classified as an oil pool,
and designated as the Lovington-Tubb Pool for Tubb sand production, and
described as follows:

Township 16 South, Range 37 East, NMPM
W/2 Section 33

(3) That the Lovington-Paddock Pool as heretofore classified,
defined and described should be extended to include:

Township 16 South, Range 36 East, NMPM
All Section 35

(4) That the Hare Pool as heretofore classified, defined and
described should be extended to include:

Township 21 South, Range 37 East, NMPM
N/2 Sect. 11; N/2 Sect. 12

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the application of the Commission be and the same hereby
is approved, as follows:

(a) That a new pool, classified as an oil pool, designated as
the Lovington-Tubb Pool for Tubb sand production, be and the same hereby
is created and described as follows:

Township 16 South, Range 37 East, NMPM
W/2 Section 33

(b) That the boundary of the Lovington-Paddock Pool as heretofore established is hereby extended to include therein:

Township 16 South, Range 36 East, NMPM
All Section 35

(c) That the boundary of the Hare Pool as heretofore established is hereby extended to include therein:

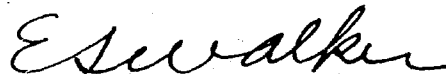
Township 21 South, Range 37 East, NMPM
N/2 Section 11; N/2 Section 12

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

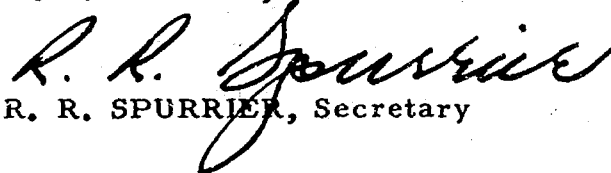
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman



E. S. WALKER, Member



R. R. SPURRIER, Secretary

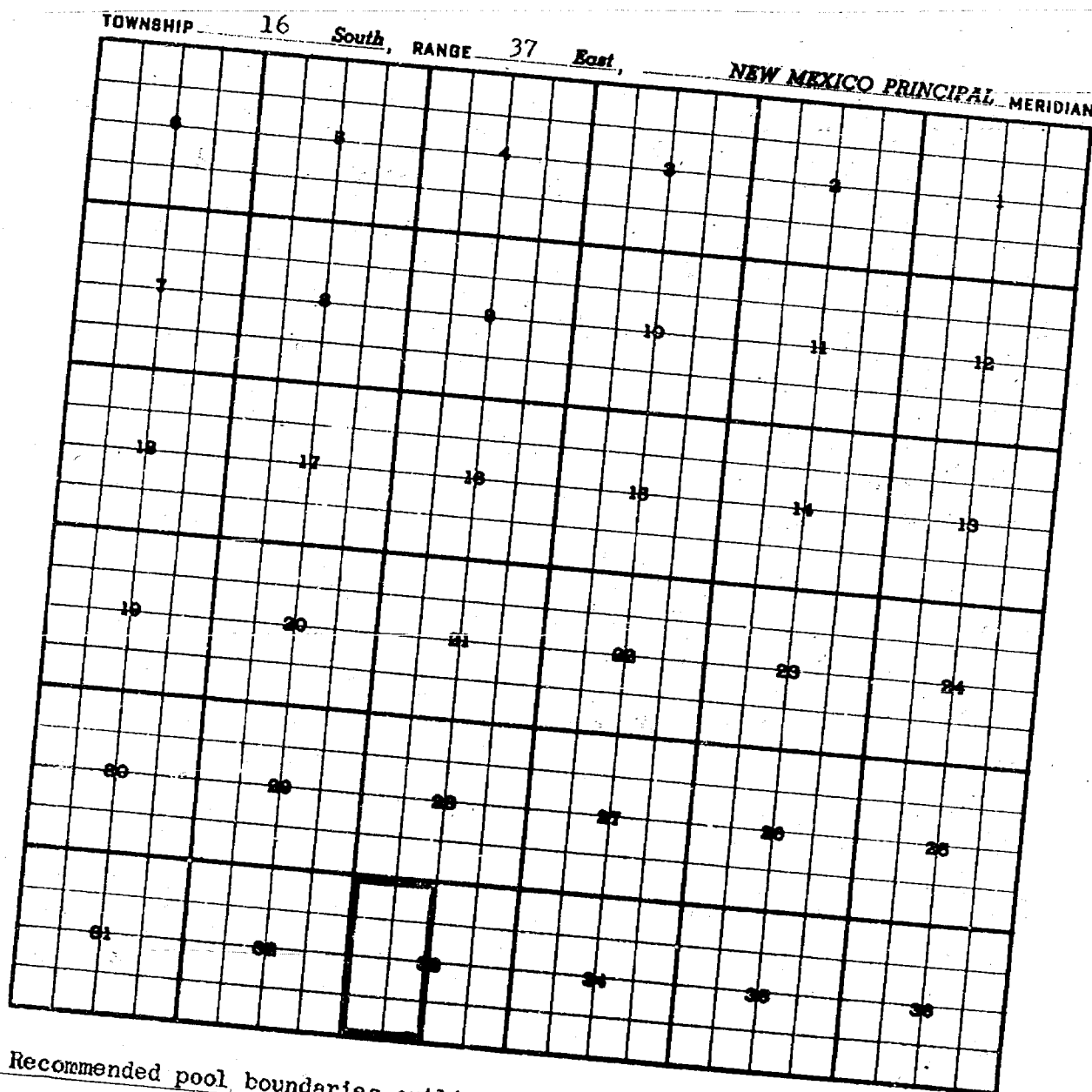
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CASE 470
Paragraph (a)
County

EXHIBIT A

LEA

Pool LOVINGTON-TUBBS



Recommended pool boundaries outlined in green.

The discovery well is the Tide Water Associated Oil Co.
D. E. Meyers, 1-L, Section 33-16 S-37 E

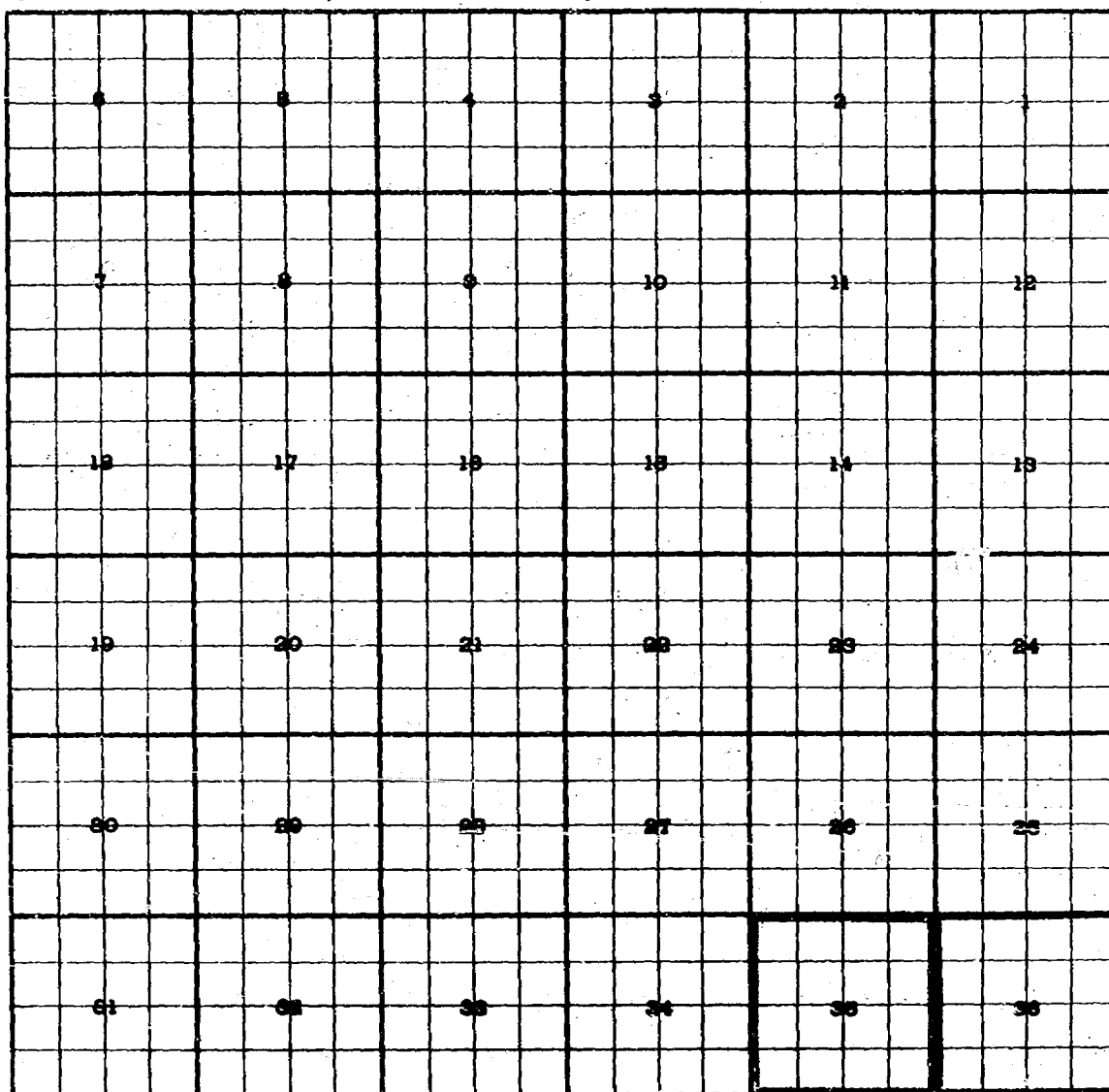
Top of casing perforations 7840 ft.

EXHIBIT B

CASE 470
Paragraph (b)

County LEA Pool LOVINGTON-PADDOCK

TOWNSHIP 16 South, RANGE 36 East, NEW MEXICO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN



Present pool boundaries outlined in red.

Proposed extension outlined in green.

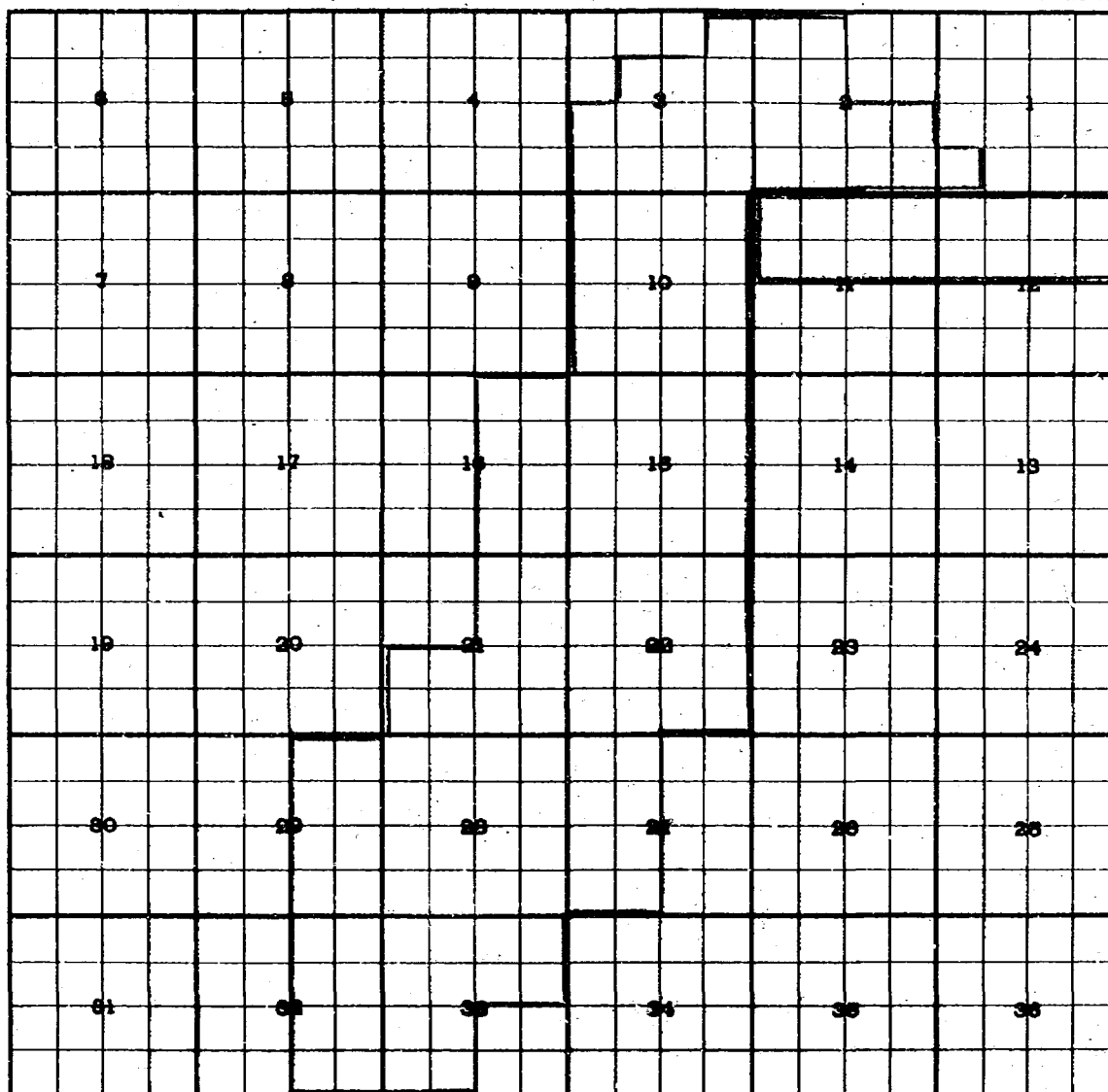
The well for which the extension is recommended is the Phillips Petroleum
Company, Lovington, 2-0,35-16-36, Top perforations 6292.

EXHIBIT C

CASE 470
Paragraph (c)

County LEA Pool HARE

TOWNSHIP 21 *South*, RANGE 37 *East*, NEW MEXICO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN



Present pool boundaries outlined in red. Proposed extensions outlined in green.

Wells for which the extension is recommended are:

CONTINENTAL OIL CO., Lockhart B-11, 6-A, 11-21-37

Lockhart B-12, 2-D, 12-21-37

Lockhart B-12, 3-C, 12-21-37