CASE 1639: SOUTHEAST NEW MEXICO NOMENCLATURE

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# BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION HOBBS, NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF:

Case No. 1639

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

APRIL 16, 1959

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## BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION HOBBS, NEW MEXICO

#### IN THE MATTER OF:

- Case 1639 Southeastern New Mexico nemenclature case calling for an order creating new pools and extending existing pools in Lea and Eddy Counties, New Mexico:
  - (a) Create a new oil pool for Tansil production, designated as the Custer-Tansil Oil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST NMPM Section 7: NW/4

(b) Create a new oil pool for Pennsylvanian production, designated as the East Hightower-Pennsylvanian Oil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM Section 30: NE/4

(c) Create a new oil pool for Delaware production, designated as the Querecho Plains-Delaware Oil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM Section 25: NW/4

(d) Create a new oil pool for Abo production, designated as the West Warren-Abo Oil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 17: SE/4

(e) Create a new oil pool for Connell production, designated as the Warren-Connell Oil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 17: SE/4

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- (f) Extend the Atoka Pool to Include:

  TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM
  Section 13: E/2 NE/4
- (g) Extend the Bishop Canyon-San Andres Pool to include:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 10: N/2 Section 11: NW/4

- (h) Extend the Crosby-Devonian Gas Pool to include:
  - TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM Section 4: NE/4
- (1) Extend the Culwin Pool to include:

  TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM
  Section 1: NE/4
- (j) Extend the Drinkard Pool to include:

  TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM
  Section 17: SW/4
- (k) Extend the Eumont Gas Pool to include:

  TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
  Section 23: N/2
  Section 24: SE/4 & N/2
- (1) Extent the Justis Gas Pool to include:

  TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM
  Section 13: SE/4
- (m) Extend the Langlie-Mattix Pool to include:

  TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM
  Section 4: NE/4
- (n) Extend the Wilsom Pool to include:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NMPM Section 19: E/2 Section 20: SW/4

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Hobbs Auditorium Hobbs, New Mexico April 16, 1959

#### BEFORE:

A. L. Porter, Jr. Murray Morgan E. S. Walker

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MR. PORTER: The next case to be considered will be Case 1639.

MR. PAYNE: Case 1639, "Southeastern New Mexico nomenclature case calling for an order creating new pools and extending existing pools in Lea and Eddy Counties, New Mexico."

#### JOHN W. RUNYAN

called as a witness, having first been duly sworn, testified as follows:

#### DIRECT EXAMINATION

#### BY MR. PAYNE:

- Q Will the witness please state his name and position?
- A John W. Runyan, geologist for the Oil Conservation Commission.
- Q Are you the same John W. Runyan that was sworn and testified in the case just presented?
  - A Yes, sir.
- Q Mr. Runyan, in your official capacity with the Oil Conservation Commission, have you had an opportunity to make a study concerning the necessity or desirability for creating new

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pools and extending existing pools in Lea and Eddy Counties,
New Mexico?

- A Yes, sir.
- Q What are your recommendations concerning the creation of a new pool for Tansil production?

A I recommend a new pool be created and called the Custer-Tansil Oil Pool, and this is due to the discovery of the John H. Trigg-Pan American Federal Kelly Number 1 located in Unit C, Section 7, Township 25 South, Range 36 East, completed in the Tansil dolomite January 2nd, 1959; top of the perforations is 3,508 feet, and I recommend that the vertical limits of this pool be the Tansil formation and the horizontal limits, the Northwest quarter of Section 7, Township 25, Range 36.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the creation of a new pool for the Pennsylvanian production?

A I recommend that a new pool be created and called the East Hightower-Pennsylvanian Oil Pool, and this is due to the discovery of the Santiago Oil and Gas Company State Number 1 located in Unit B of Section 30, Township 12, Range 34 East, completed in the Upper Pennsylvanian February 12th, 1959; top of the perforations is 10,218 feet. I recommend that the vertical limits of this pool be the Pennsylvanian Formation and the horizontal limits be the Northeast quarter of Section 30.

Q Township 12 South, Range 34 East?

A Yes, sir.

of a new oil pool for Delaware production?

A I recommend a new pool be created called the Querecho Plains-Delaware Oil Pool, and this is due to the discovery of the Harvey Yates-Sweeney Federal Number 1 located in Unit C of Section 25, 18, 30--Range 32 completed in the Brushy Canyon, member of the Delaware Mountain group, in February 26th, 1959; top of the perforations is 6,860 feet, and I recommend that the vertical limits of this pool be the Delaware Formation and the horizontal limits be the Northwest quarter of Section 25, Township 18 South, Range 32 East.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the creation of a new oil pool for Abo production?

A I recommend a new pool be created and called the Warren-Abo Oil --

Q Pardon me, Mr. Runyan, did you mean the Warren or West Warren?

A West Warren-Abo, and this is due to the discovery of the Amerada Petroleum Corporation-Fred Turner, Junior, Number 1 Well located in Unit M of Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 38 East, and completed in the Abo on December 14th, 1958. Top of the perforations is 7,362 feet, and I recommend that the vertical limits of this pool be the Abo Formation and the horizontal limits the Southwest quarter of Section 17, Township 28, Range 38 East.

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Q What are your recommendations concerning the creation of a new oil pool for Connell production?

A I recommend a new pool be created and called the Warren-Connell Oil Pool, which is due to the discovery of the Amerada Petroleum Corporation-Fred Turner, Junior, Number 2 Well located in Unit L of Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 38 East, completed in the Connell formation on December 8, 1958. Top of the perforations is 9,245 feet, I recommend that the vertical limits of this pool be the Connell Formation and the horizontal limits, the Southwest quarter of Section 17, Township 28 South, Range 38 East.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Atoka Pool?

A I recommend that the Atoka Pool be extended as shown on Exhibits Number One and Two.

- Q Paragraph F of Exhibits One and Two?
- A That's correct.
- Q What is the reason for this recommendation?
- A This is due to one well capable of producing from this pool.
- Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Bishop Canyon-San Andres Pool?
- A I recommend that this pool be extended as shown in Sections G of Exhibits One and Two, and this is due to one well capable of producing from this pool.

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Q What are your recommendations concerning the estension of the Crosby-Devonian Gas Pool?

A I recommend that the Crosby-Devonian Gas Pool be extended as shown in Section H of Exhibits One and Two, and this is due to one well capable of producing from this pool.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Culwin Pool?

A I recommend that this pool be extended as shown on Exhibits One and Two, Sections I, and this is due to one well capable of producing from this pool.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Drinkard Pool?

A I recommend that this pool be extended as shown on Exhibits One and Two, Sections J, and this is due to one well capable of producing from this pool.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Eumont Gas Pool?

A I recommend that this pool be extended as shown on Exhibits Number One and Two on Sections K, and this is due to two wells capable of producing from this pool.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Justis Gas Pool?

A I recommend that this pool be extended as shown on Exhibits One and Two, Sections L, and this is due to one well capable of producing from this pool.

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Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Langlie-Mattix Pool?

A I recommend that this pool be extended as shown on Exhibits One and Two, Sections M, and this is due to three wells capable of producing from this pool.

Q What are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Wilson Pool?

A I recommend that this pool be extended as shown on Exhibits One and Two, Sections N, and this is due to two wells capable of producing from this pool.

Q Mr. Runyan, have you prepared exhibits substantiating your recommendations?

A Yes sir, I have.

(Thereupon, the documents were marked as Exhibits Number One and Two for identification.)

MR. PAYNE: Mr. Commissioner, I move the introduction of Exhibits One and Two in Case 1639.

MR. PORTER: Without objection, the exhibits will be admitted.

MR. PAYNE: That concluded our case.

MR. PORTER: If there are no questions in the case, we'll take it under advisement.

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COUNTY OF BERNALILLO )

I, JERRY MARTINEZ, Notary Public in and for the County of Bernalillo, State of New Mexico, do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached Transcript of Hearing were reported by me in Stenotype, and that the same was reduced to typewritten transcript by me and contains a true and correct record of said proceedings, to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

DATED this 16th day of May, 1959, in the City of Albuquerque, County of Bernalillo, State of New Mexico.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

January 24, 1962

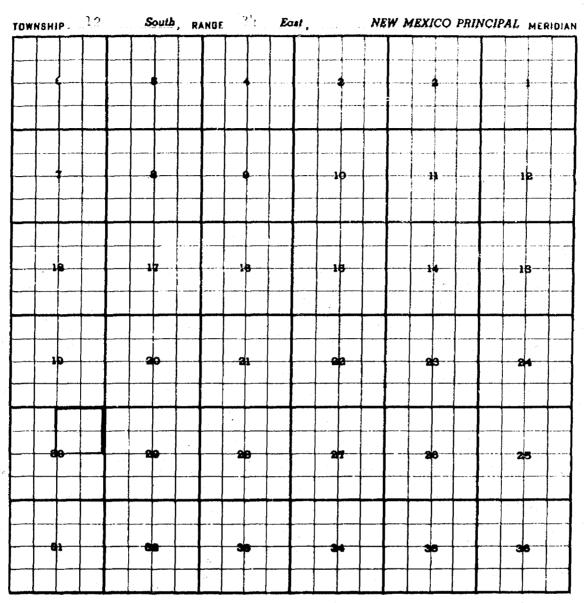
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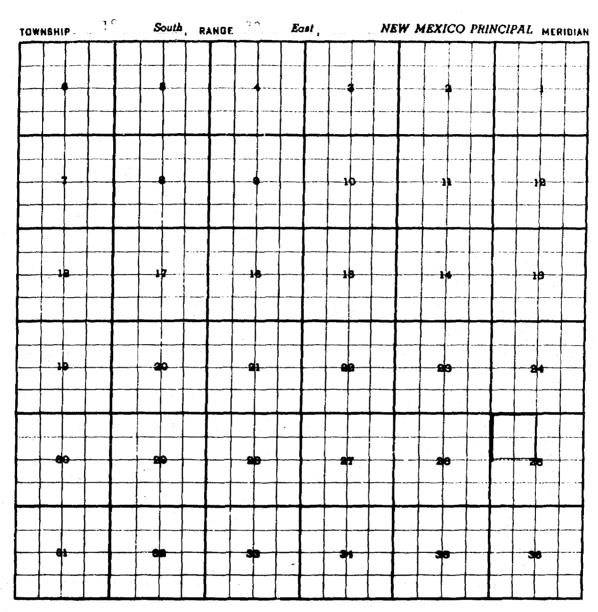
Discovery Well: John H. Trigg - Pan American Federal Kelly "1-7 in Unit
of Sec. 7-25-36. Completed in Tansil Dolomite Jan. 2, 1959.
Top of Perforations 3508.
Purpose: One completed well capable of producing.
Pool boundary colored in red: Section 7: NW/14

Exhibit #2



Discovery	Well: S	Santiago Oi	l & Gas	Company	- State	#1-30	o in	Unit	B of
Section 3	0-12-34.	Completed	in Uppe	r Penns	ylvanian	Feb.	12,	1959.	
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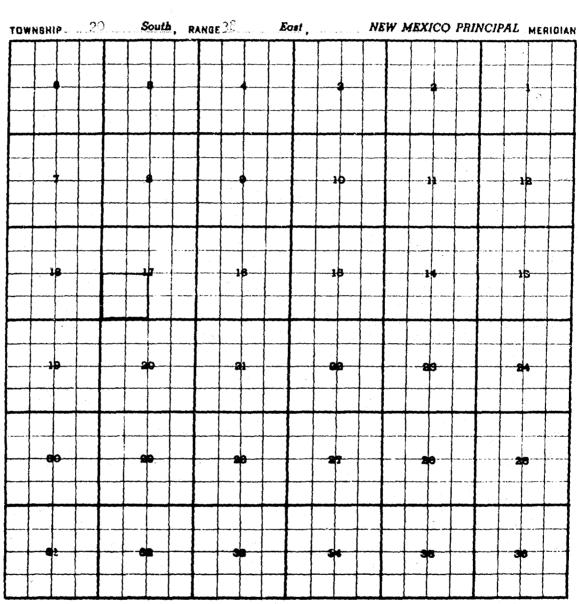
Discovery Well: Harvey W. Yates - Sweeney Federal #1 in Unit C of

Section 25-18-32. Completed in Brushy Canyon (member of Delaware Mtn. Group)
on Feb. 26, 1959. Top of perforations 6860.

Purpose: One completed well capable of producing.

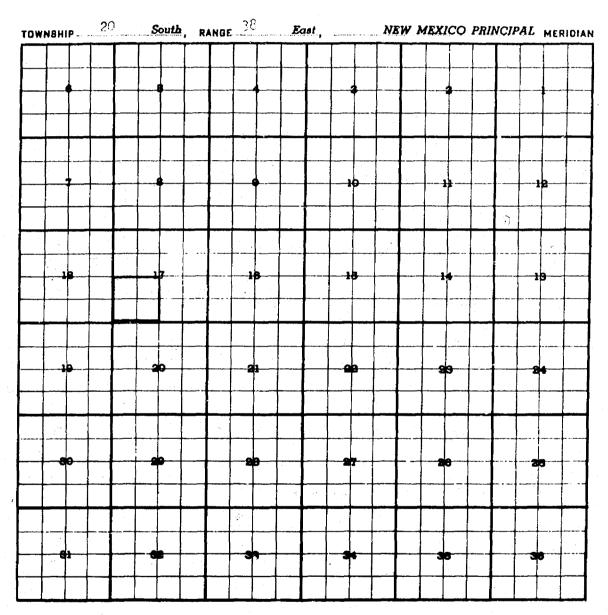
Pool boundary colored in red. Section 25: NIM/4

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Discovery Well: Amerada Petroleum Corporation - Fred Turner, Jr. #1
in Unit M of Section 17-20-38. Completed in Abo on Dec. 14, 1958.
Top of perforations 73621.
Purpose: One well capable of producing.
Pool boundary colored in red: Section 17: SW/l

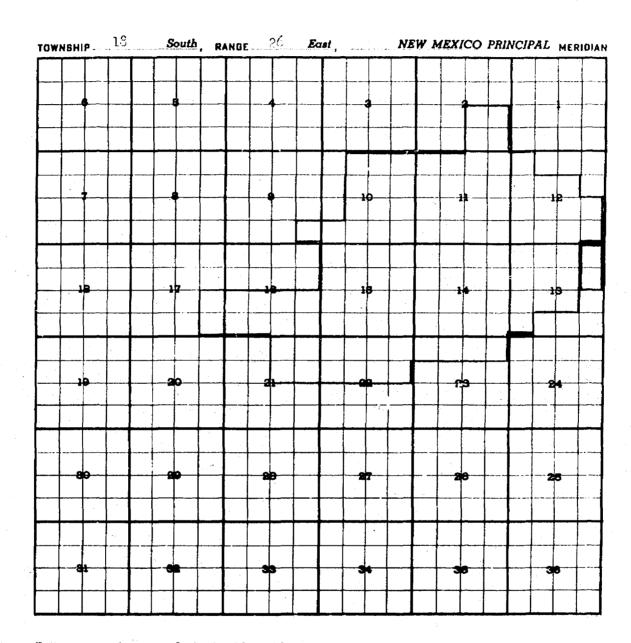
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Discovery Well: Amerada Petroleum Corporation - Fred Turner Jr. #2
in Unit L of Section 17-20-38. Completed in Connell on Dec. 8, 1958.
Top of perforations 9245.

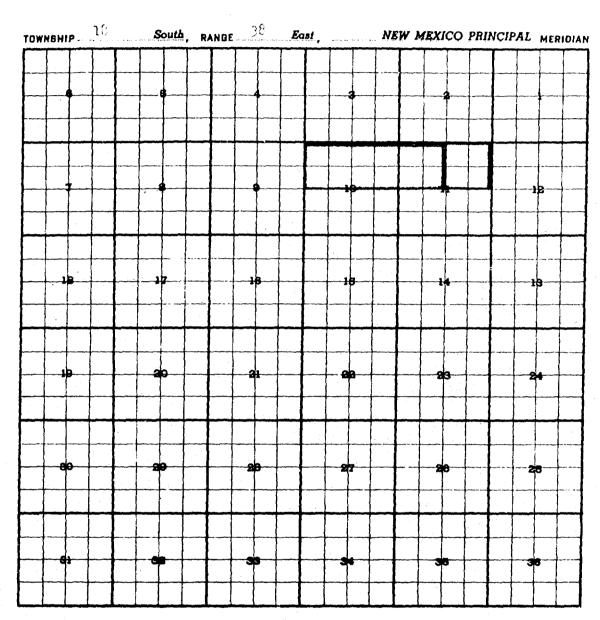
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Purpose: One completed well capable of producing.	
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Pool boundary colored in red: Section 17: 5W/h	- 4

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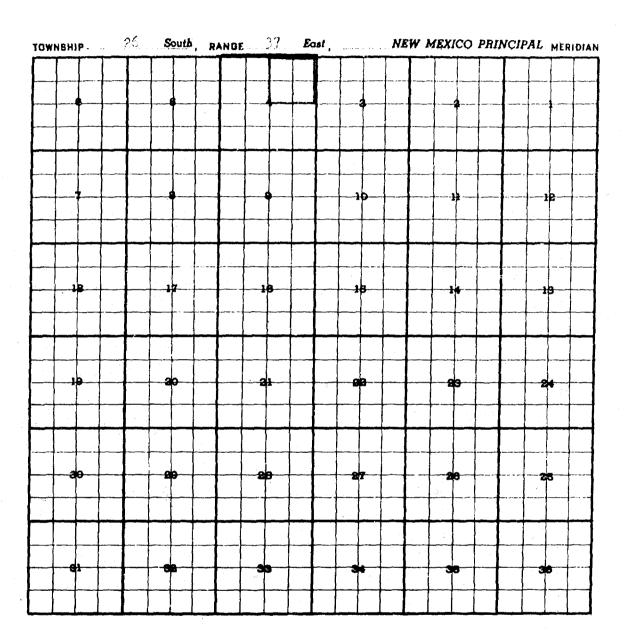
Purpose:	One completed oil well capable of producing.
	Standard Cil Co. of Texas - M. L. Higgins #1-1 in Unit A of
	Section 13. Completed in San Andres on Feb. 6, 1959.
	Top of perforations 1601.
Pool boun	dary colored in red.
Proposed	extension colored in green. Section 13: E/2 NE/h

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Purpose:	One completed well capable of producing.								
	Bishop Canyon Uranium Corpo	ration - C.	M. Griff	in 71 in Unit					
	of Section 10-18-38. Comp	leted in San	Andres on	Feb. 20, 1959					
	Top of perforations 48001.								
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Proposed	extension colored in green.	Section 10:	N/2						
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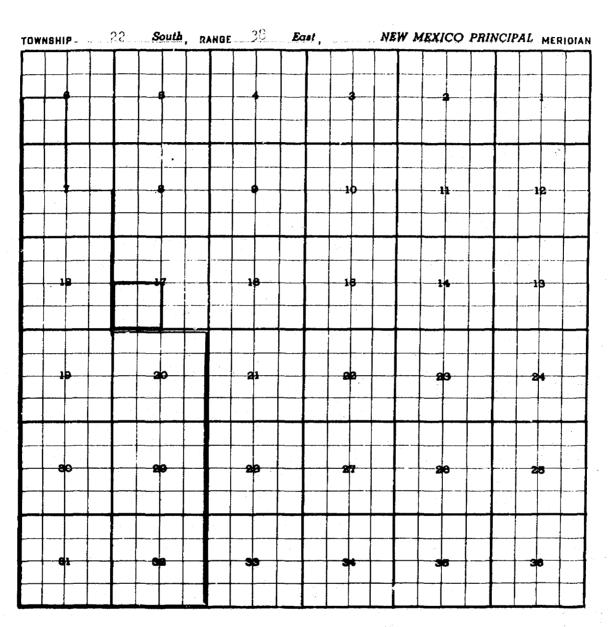
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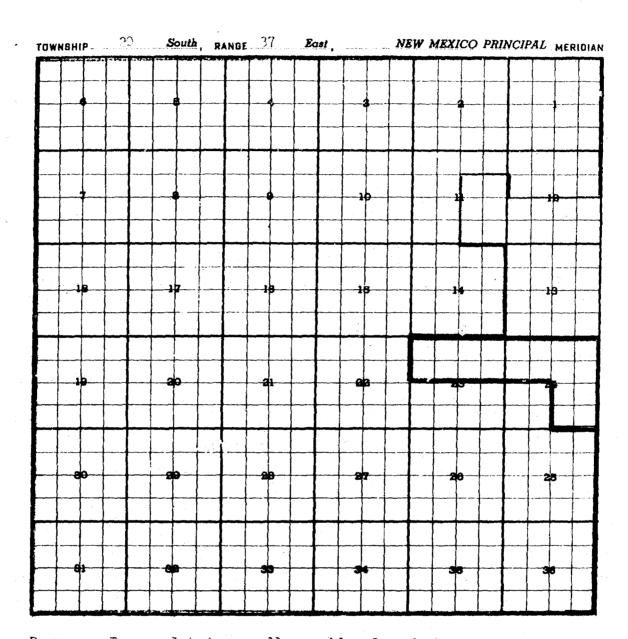
Purpose: One	e completed oil well capable of producing.
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Se	ction 1, Township 19 South, Range 30 Mast.
Con	mpleted Jan. 18, 1959 in Queen. Top of perforations 30921.
This proposes	d extension is contiguous to Township 19 S, Range 31 R, in
which the ex	isting pool includes the N/2 of Section 6.
Proposed exte	ension colored in green. Section 1: NI/4

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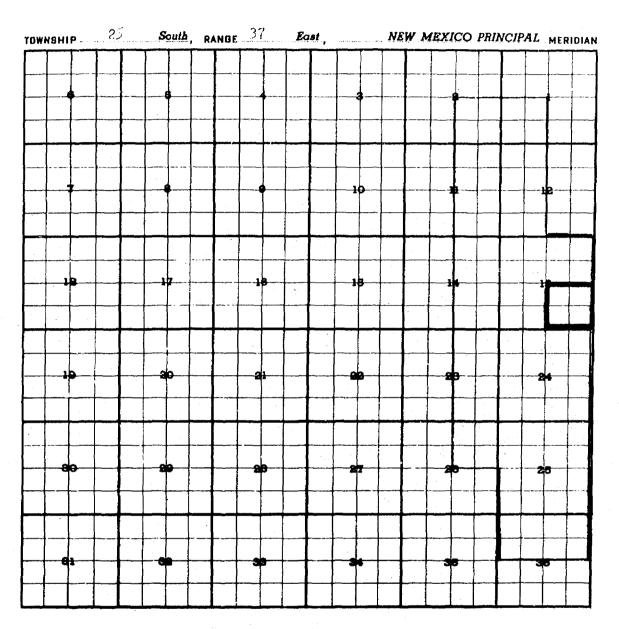
Purpose:	One completed oil well capable of producing.
	The Texas Company - Dollie Ballenger "I in Unit M of
	Section 17-22-38. Completed in Drinkard on Feb. 25, 1959.
.,	Top of perforations 69521.
Pool boun	dary colored in red.
Proposed	extension colored in green. Section 17: 31/1;

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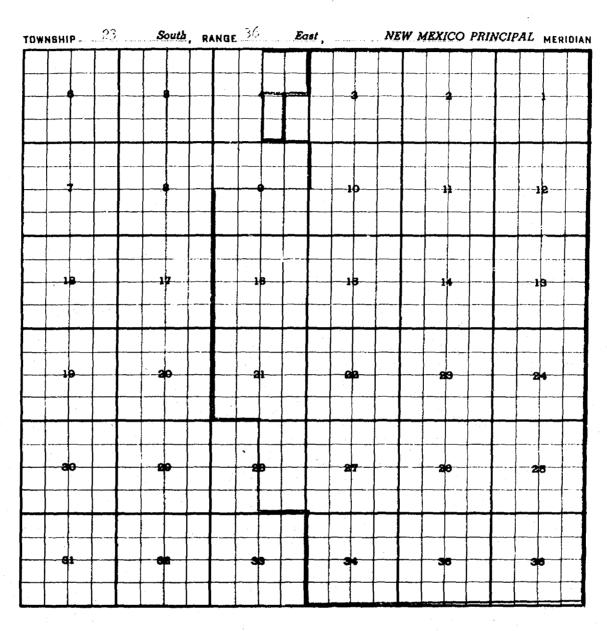
Purpose:	Two completed gas wells capable of producing.						
	Continental Oil Company- SEMU-Bumont #67 in Unit K of Sec. 24-20-37						
	Completed in Queen on May 31, 1957. Top of perforations 36031.						
	Continental Oil Company- SEMU-Eumont #68 in Unit J of Sec. 23-20-37						
	Completed in Queen on Oct. 11, 1958. Top of perforations 31/121.						
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Proposed	extensions colored in green. Section 23: 11/2						
	Section 24: 50/h 4 N/2						

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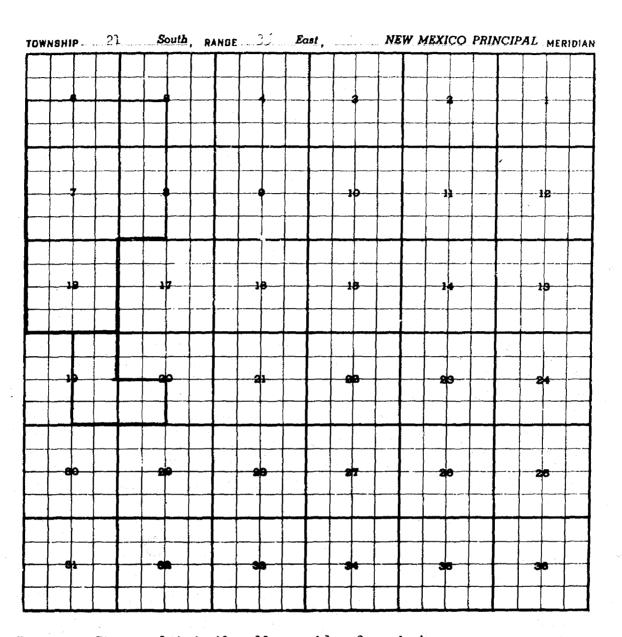
Purpose:	Cne completed was well capat	ole of producing.	
	Gulf Cil Corporation - Lear	cy McBuffington #3 in	Unit O of
	Section 13-25-37. Completed	d in Glorieta on April	28, 1958.
	Top of perforations 1,7321.		<u> </u>
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Proposed	extension colored in green.	Section 13: SE/4	
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Purpose:	Three completed oil wells capable of producing.
	Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company - State "A" ac/l #lil in Unit i
	of Sec. 4-23-36. Completed in Queen on Feb. 8, 1959. Top of perforations 3700.
	Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company - State "A" ac/1 #15 in Unit I
	of Sec. 4-23-36. Completed in Queen on Feb. 20, 1959 Top of perforations 3796.
ADDITION:	Gulf Oil Corporation - J.F. Janda (NCT-J) #3 in Unit O of
	Sec. 4-23-36. Completed in Queen on Feb. 1, 1959. Top of perforations 3542.
Pool bou	ndary colored in red.
Proposed	extensions colored in green. Section h: NE/h
	ADDITION: Section h: W/2 SE/

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Purpose:	Two completed oil wells car	pable of pro	ducing.
	Wilson Cil Company - State	Nineteen #1	in Unit A of Sec. 19-21-35.
	Completed in Yates on Sept.	20, 1958.	Top of perforations 37881.
	Wilson Oil Company - State	C #1 in Uni	t M of Sec. 20-21-35.
	Completed in Yates on March	1 6, 1959.	Top of perforations 37981.
Pool bour	dary colored in red.		
Proposed	extension colored in green.	Section 19	: E/2
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In the matter of the application of the Gil Genservation Commission of New Mexico upon its own motion for an order for the ereation and extension of existing pools in Lea and Eddy Counties, New Mexico, and giving notice to all persons and parties interested in the subject matter thereof to appear and show cause why such creations and extensions should not be made.

(a) Create a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil peol for Devonian production, designated as the Crosby-Devonian Oil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 25 SCUTH, RANGE 37 BAST, NAPM Section 21: SW/u

and such other, et cetera.

(b) Create a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Tansill production, designated as the Custer-Tansill Oil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 7: NW/4

and such other, et cetera.

(c) Create a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Pennsylvanian production, designated as the East Hightower-Pennsylvanian Cil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM Section 30: NE/4

and such other, et cetera.

(d) Create a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Delaware production, designated as the Querecho Plains-Delaware Cil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NMPM Section 25: NW/N

and such other, et cetera.

(e) Create a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Abo production, designated as the West Warren-Abo Oil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, MAPM Section 17: SW/4

and such other, et cetera.

(f) Create a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool, for Connell production, designated as the Marren-Connell Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 20 SCUTH, MANON 38 CAST, MMPM Section 17: SELVE

and such other, et cetera.

(E) Extend the Atoka Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 26 MAST, NMPH Section 13: 5/2 NE/L

and such other, et cetera.

(h) Extend the Bishop Canyon-San Andres Pool in Lea County, New Mexico,

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, MAPM Section 11: N/2

and such other, et cetera.

(i) Extend the Crosby-Devonian Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico,

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM Section 4: NE/L

and such other, et cetera.

(j) Extend the Culwin Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, MAPE

and such other, et cetera.

(k) Extend the Drinkard Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NHPM Section 17: SW/4

and such other, et cetera.

(1) Extend the Eumont Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPK Section 23: N/2 Section 24: SE/4 & N/2

and such other, et cetera.

(f) Greate a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Connell production, designated as the Marren-Connell Cil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NAPM Section 17: SM/h

and such other, et cetera.

( $\varepsilon$ ) Extend the Atoka Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM Section 13: E/2 NE/4

and such other, et cetera.

(h) Extend the Bishop Canyon-San Andres Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NAPM Section 10: N/2 Section 11: NW/4

and such other, et cetera.

(i) Extend the Crosby-Devonian Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, MMPM Section 4: NE/4

and such other, et cetera.

(j) Extend the Culwin Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NEPM Section 1: NE/L

and such other, et cetera.

(k) Extend the Drinkard Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 22 SCUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 17: SW/L:

and such other, et cetera.

(1) Extend the Eumont Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NETW Section 23: N/2 Section 24: SE/4 & N/2

and such other, et cetera.

(m) Extend the Justis Cas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NMPM. Section 13: SE/4

and such other, et cetera.

(n) Extend the Langlie Mattix Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 36 BAST, HMPM Section 14: NB/14

and such other, et cetera.

(o) Extend the Wilson Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 35 BAST, MAPM Section 19: E/2
Section 20: SW/L

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In the matter of the application of the il Conservation Commission of New Medico upon its own motion for an order for the creation and extension of existing pools in Les and Eddy Counties, New Mexico, and giving notice to all persons and parties interested in the subject matter thereof to appear and show cause why such creations and extensions should not be made.

(a) Oreste/s new pool in Lea County, New Maxico, classified as an oil pool for Meyonian production, designated as the Crosby-Devenian Oil Pook, and described as:

TORNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 37 LAST, NUPM Section 21 SH/L

and such other, at ofters.

(b) Create a new/port in Les County, New Maxico, classified as an oil pool for Tansill production, designated as the Custer-Tansill Oil Fool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 36 BAST, NHPE Section 71 NV/4

and such other, ot cetera.

(c) Greate a new/pool in ten county, New Mexico; classified as an ell-peol for Pennsylvanian production, designated as the East Hightower-Pennsylvanian Gil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 34 FAST, NAPK Section 30: NEZA

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and such other, of estern

(d) Create a new/pool is Lea County, New Mexico; elsectice as an oil pool for Delsware production, designated as the Querecho Plains-Delsware Oil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 32 BAST, NMPM Section 251 NW/4

and sect other, et cetere.

(a) Create a new/pool in Los County, New Mexico, classified as an ell-pool for Abo production, designated as the West Warren-Abo Cil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 SAST, NAPH Section 17: 50/15

and such other, et esters,

(T) Create a new/pool in Les Country New Mexico, classified as an ell-pool for Connell production, designated as the Warren-Connell Cil Pool, and described as:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 36 LAST, NIPM Section 17: 5%//

and such other, et catera.

(8) Extend the Atoke Pool in Sady County, New Hexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SCUTH, RANGE 26 MAST, NMPH Section 13: 8/2 NE/L

and such other, et cetera.

(h) Extend the Bishop Canyon-San Andres Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPH Section 10: N/2 Section 11: NW/L

and such othery et cetera.

(i) Extend the Crosby-Devonian Gas Pool in Les County; New Mexico, to include thereins

TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 37 EAST, NAPA Section 4: HE/4

and such other, et cetera.

(1) Extend the Culwin Pool in Eddy Country New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 30 SAST, NMPM Section 1: NE/L

and such other; et cotors.

(k) Extend the Drinkard Pool in Les County; New Mexico; to include

TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 17: SW/L

and such other, et estere.

(%) Extend the Sumont Gas Pool in Les County, New House, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 37 BAST, NAPA Section 23: N/2 Section 24: SE/4 & N/2

and such other, of estars.

(m) Extend the Justis Cas Pool in Lea County, New Kextee, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 37 BAST, NMPM Section 13: 38/4

and such other, et ceters.

(n) Extend the Langlie Mattix Pool in Les County, New Mexico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NAPH Section In NE/14

and such other, et cetera.

(o) Extend the Wilson Pool in Lea Gounty, New Mercico, to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, HMPM Section 19: E/2
Section 20: SW/L

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### BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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

> CASE NO. 1639 Order No. R-1372

THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION UPON ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN ORDER CREATING AND EXTENDING CERTAIN POOLS IN LEA AND EDDY COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO.

#### ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

#### BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on April 15, 1959, at Hobbs, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this grant day of April, 1959, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony presented and the exhibits received at said hearing, and being fully advised in the premises.

#### FINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
- (2) That there is need for the creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Tansill formation, said pool to bear the designation Custer-Tansill Pool. Said Custer-Tansill Pool was discovered by John H. Trigg, Pan American Federal Kelly Well No. 1, located in the NW/4 of Section 7, Township 25 South, Range 36 East, NEPM. It was completed January 2, 1959. The top of perforations is at 3508 feet.
- (3) That there is need for the creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of cil from the Pennsylvanian formation, said pool to bear the designation East Hightower-Pennsylvanian Pool. Said East Hightower-Pennsylvanian Pool was discovered by Santiago Cil and Gas Company, State No. 1 Well, located in the NE/4 of Section 30, Township 12 South, Range 34 East, NMPM. It was completed February 12, 1959. The top of perforations is at 10,218 feet.

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- (4) That there is need for the creamion of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Delaware formation, said pool to bear the designation Querecho Plains-Delaware Pool. Said Querecho Plains-Delaware Pool was discovered by Harvey E. Yates, Sweeney Federal Well No. 1, located in the NW/4 of Section 25, Township 18 South, Range 32 East, NMPN. It was completed February 26, 1959. The top of the perforations is at 6860 feet.
- (5) That there is need for the creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Abo formation, said pool to bear the designation West Warren-Abo Pool. Said West Warren-Abo Pool was discovered by Amerada Petroleum Corporation, Fred Turner, Jr., Well No. 1, located in the SW/4 of Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 38 East, NMPH. It was completed December 14, 1958. The top of perforations is at 7362 feet.
- (6) That there is need for the creation of a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Connell formation, said pool to bear the designation Warren-Connell Pool. Said Warren-Connell Pool was discovered by Amerada Petroleum Corporation, Fred Turner, Jr., Well No. 2, located in the SW/4 of Section 17, Township 20 South, Range 38 East, NMPM. It was completed December 8, 1958. The top of perforations is at 9245 feet.
- (7) That there is need for certain extensions to the Bishop Canyon-San Andres Pool, the Crosby-Devonian Gas Pool, the Drinkard Pool, the Eumont Gas Pool, the Justis Gas Pool, the Langlie-Mattix Pool, and the Wilson Pool, all in Lea County, New Mexico; and to the Atoka Pool and the Culwin Pool, both in Eddy County, New Mexico.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(a) That a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for the Tansill production, be and the same is hereby created and designated as the Custer-Tansill Pool, consisting of the following described area:

## TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, NMPM Section 7: NW/4

(b) That a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Pennsylvanian production, be and the same is hereby created and designated as the East Hightower-Pennsylvanian Pool, consisting of the following described area:

## TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 34 EAST, NMPM Section 30: WE/4

(c) That a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Delaware production, be and the same is hereby created and designated as the Querecho Plains-Delaware Pool, consisting of the following described area:

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#### TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 32 EAST, NAPH Section 25: NW/4

(d) That a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Abo production, be and the same is hereby created and designated as the West Warren-Abo Pool, consisting of the following described area:

## TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 17: SW/4

(e) That a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Connell production, be and the same is hereby created and designated as the Warren-Connell Pool, consisting of the following described area:

#### TOWNSHIP 20 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 17: SW/4

(f) That the Atoka Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

#### TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 26 EAST, NMPM Section 13: E/2 NE/4

(g) That the Bishop Canyon-San Andres Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as beretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

## TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NMPM Section 10: N/2 Section 11: NW/4

(h) That the Crosby-Devonian Gas Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

## TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 37 HAST, NMPM Section 4: NE/4

(1) That the Culwin Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, as beretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is bereby extended to include therein:

## TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, NMPM Section 1: NE/4

(j) That the Drinkard Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

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TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST, NUPM Section 17: BW/4

(k) That the Dumont das Pool in Les County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is heretofore classified to include therein:

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as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include thereis: (1) That the Justin Gas Fool in Les County, New Monico,

TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH RANGE 37 EAST, Section 13: 52/4

(m) That the Langlie Mattix Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the mane is hereby extended to include therein:

Zection 4: NE/4 & N/2 SE/4

LORNSHIP 23 SOUTH RANGE 36 EAST, NUPL Section 4:

(n) That the Wilson Fool in Lea County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

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Section 19: ZA LOANSHID ST SOUTH, RANGE 35 EAST, NHPM

That the effective date of this order and all oreations and IT IS FURTHER ORDERED;

extensions included herein shall be May 1, 1959.

STATE OF UNW MEXICO above designated. DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year herein-

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

MURRAY E, MORGAN, Member Welling

A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Socretary