

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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

CASE NO. 346
ORDER NO. R-165

THE APPLICATION OF J. H. ELDER
FOR APPROVAL OF AN UNORTHODOX
WELL LOCATION 990 FEET SOUTH OF
THE NORTH LINE AND 50 FEET EAST
OF THE WEST LINE OF LOT 3, SECTION
1, TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 33 EAST,
NMPM, IN THE LYNCH POOL, LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on March 20, 1952, April 1, 1952; April 15, 1952; and May 20, 1952, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 19th day of June, 1952, 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 public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That due to geological conditions, a well in an orthodox location is unlikely to be productive, and an unorthodox location 990 feet south of the north line, and 50 feet east of the west line of Lot 3, Section 1, Township 21 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, in the Lynch Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, should be approved.

(3) That such unorthodox location will tend to result in more efficient drainage of the area, promote conservation, and will not result in interference with correlative rights of adjoining lessees.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That an unorthodox location for the J. H. Elder, No. 3, Ralph A. Shugart, located 990 feet south of the north line, and 50 feet east of the west line of Lot 3, Section 1, Township 21 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, in the Lynch Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, be and the same hereby is approved.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman



GUY SHEPARD, Member



R. R. SPURRIER, Secretary

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