



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
**ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT**  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

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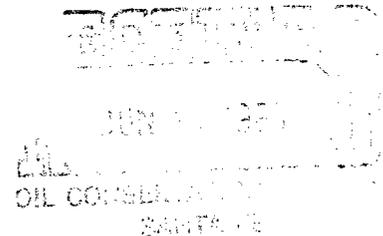
1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD  
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410  
(505) 334-6178

June 24, 1985

*Case 8654*

Mr. Jeff Taylor  
Oil Conservation Div.  
P.O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Re: Carroll & Cornell  
Cornell #9 L-12-29N-12W



Dear Jeff:

The referenced well was drilled on federal land between 12/19/46 and 4/27/48 and has never produced. The well was drilled to 4240 and is not cemented from the bottom of the Pictured Cliffs (about 2000') to surface. There are several domestic water wells within a radius of 2 miles which contain gas and are unusable.

I believe this well has a casing failure and is causing or contributing to the problem. Please docket a case calling for the estate of Claude M. Carroll, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Cornell #9, located 1650 feet from the south line, and 330 feet from the west line of section 12-29N-12W, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division approved plugging program.

The well had a federal bond, but USGS solicitors determined it was no longer valid.

Yours truly,

Charles Gholson  
Oil & Gas Inspector

CG/dj

xc: Richard Stamets  
John Keller, BLM Farmington  
Well File

Case 5653

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COUNTY San Juan SEC. 12 T. 29N R. 12W

FIELD OR AREA WC LOCATION SW NW/4 SW/4 1/650' S

LEASE Federal - Cornell 19 WELL NO. 9 5-27-48 W

COMPANY Carroll & Cornell SPD. 12-15-46 COMPLETED 7-1-48

ELEV. 5773' - 5771' G. T. D. 4488' 4450' P. B.

CASING 16" @ 30' 13" @ 650' 10-3/4" @ 1230' 8-5/8" @

2080' 7" @ 3550' 5 1/2" @ 4209' 3-3/4" @ 4260' / 25

SHOT OR ACID Shot w/250 qts. from 4380' - 4460'

PERF.

250 mcf 250 - 54.4 w/1080 psi 1.6 hrs.

I. P. [750,000 CFEPD Est. 2 to 3 barrels distillate (act. WMO)]

PRODUCING FORM. 711.V.

PRODUCTIVE DEPTH OR INTERVAL 4348 - 82' GAS

REMARKS:

TOPS

SURFACE \_\_\_\_\_ DAKOTA S. S. \_\_\_\_\_  
OJO ALAMO S. S. \_\_\_\_\_ ~~5~~ MORRISON FM. \_\_\_\_\_  
FARMINGTON S. S. \_\_\_\_\_  
PICTURED CLIFFS S. S. \_\_\_\_\_ 1865 1995'  
MEGAVERDE FM. \_\_\_\_\_ Levins  
CLIFF HOUSE \_\_\_\_\_ 3480'  
MENEFFEE \_\_\_\_\_ 3527'  
PT. LOOKOUT \_\_\_\_\_ 4290'  
MANCOS SHALE \_\_\_\_\_ TD 4420'