

CASE 2708: Application of the OCC  
to permit HERSCHEL L. COPELAN to  
appear regarding plugging of STATE  
OF NEW MEXICO WELL NO. 1.

Bill  
Copy of 9/26/65  
sent me  
from your office

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Exhibs. Etc.

# Memo

From

M. L. ARMSTRONG  
SUPERVISOR AND  
OIL & GAS INSPECTOR

To Mr. Merrill

Mr. C. J. Fulton has  
suggested the Oriskany  
well in Chautauq County,  
but has not located loca-  
tions yet, says he will  
in the near future

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 671

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

January 11, 1963

Mr. M. L. Armstrong  
Supervisor  
District No. II  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Drawer DD  
Artesia, New Mexico

Re: Herschel L. Copelan, M.D.,  
Well Plugging, Chaves County,  
New Mexico

Dear Nose:

I have your note stating that the bonding company had hired C. O. Fulton to plug the Copelan wells. Please advise me when the plugging is completed.

I am tentatively placing this case in a suspense file for February 1, 1963. If the plugging is not completed by that date, we probably should take further action against the bonding company.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. DURRETT, Jr.,  
Attorney

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# Memo

From

M. L. ARMSTRONG  
SUPERVISOR AND  
OIL & GAS INSPECTOR

To Jim Darroth

Dear Jim  
You asked me to report  
on Dr Copeland's work  
in Charles County.  
The bonding Co told me  
to C.O. Fadden to bring  
them with. He started  
packing his equipment last  
Thursday and he has  
truck. He says he will  
get on them in next  
few days M.L.A.

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 871  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

January 7, 1963

Mr. M. L. Armstrong  
District Supervisor  
Oil Conservation Commission  
Drawer DD  
Artesia, New Mexico

Re: Herschel L. Copelan, M.D.,  
Well Plugging - Chaves County,  
New Mexico

Dear Mose:

Order No. R-2379, issued in Case No. 2708, required the Herschel L. Copelan wells to be plugged on or before January 1, 1963. On December 10, 1962, I received a letter from M. J. Hally, Assistant Superintendent, Claim Department, American Employers' Insurance Company, Boston, Massachusetts, stating that they had received a copy of my letter to them and a copy of the order requiring the wells to be plugged. They stated they were giving the matter their attention. As of this date, we have received no further information concerning these wells.

Will you please check your records and advise me as to whether or not these wells have been plugged.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. DURRETT, Jr.,  
Attorney

JMD/esr

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# AMERICAN EMPLOYERS' INSURANCE COMPANY

SAMUEL APPLETON BUILDING

110 Milk Street, Boston 7, Massachusetts



FRANK J. CAREY  
President

*file*

Oil Conservation Commission  
Post Office Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

December 4, 1962

Gentlemen:

CASE NUMBER 2708  
ORDER NUMBER R2379

We have received copy of your letter dated November 29,  
and copy of order of the commission of November 28, 1962  
requiring plugging of certain wells set forth therein.

We note the original letter was directed to our Artesia  
New Mexico Claim Department. This is having our attention.

Very truly yours,

*M. J. Hally*

Assistant Superintendent  
Claim Department

HBP:bmp

THE EMPLOYERS' GROUP MAN IS THE MAN WITH THE PLAN

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 871

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

November 29, 1962

Mr. Doyle Cole  
Artesia Claims Department  
American Employers' Insurance Company  
P. O. Box 437  
Artesia, New Mexico

Re: Case No. 2708  
Order No. R-2379

Dear Mr. Cole:

I am enclosing herewith a certified copy of the above order entered by the Commission on November 28, 1962, requiring plugging of the State of New Mexico Well No. 1 and the Pan American State Well No. 1, both located in Section 27, Township 11 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Chaves County, New Mexico.

I also am, by copy of this letter, forwarding a certified true copy of the above order to each of the parties designated below.

Please note the alternative method of plugging authorized by the Commission in Paragraph 2 of the order.

Also, please contact Mr. M. L. Armstrong, District Supervisor, District II, Oil Conservation Commission, Artesia, New Mexico, of the exact time and date plugging

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November 29, 1962

Mr. Doyle Cole  
Artesia Claims Department  
American Employers' Insurance Company  
Artesia, New Mexico

operations on each well are to commence in order that  
he may witness the same.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. DURRETT, Jr.,  
Special Assistant Attorney General

JMD/esr  
Enclosure

cc: Marshall L. Copelan, M.D.  
18355 Malden Street  
Northridge, California

Joseph B. Copelan, Esq.  
Abalos and Copelan  
Attorneys at Law  
9107 Wilshire Boulevard  
Beverly Hills, California

Mr. Frank Kirby-Smith  
P. O. Box 1739  
113 Kansas Street  
El Paso, Texas

American Employers' Insurance Company  
110 Milk Street  
Boston, Massachusetts

Mr. M. L. Armstrong  
District Supervisor, District II  
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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT  
COPY OF ORDER NO. R-2379 ENTERED IN CASE NO. 2708 ON  
NOVEMBER 28, 1962.

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A. L. PORTER, Jr.,  
Secretary-Director

NOVEMBER 29, 1962

18355 Malden Street  
Northridge, California

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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION, ON ITS OWN MOTION,  
TO PERMIT HERSCHEL L. COPELAN AND ALL INTERESTED  
PARTIES TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE WHY THE STATE  
OF NEW MEXICO WELL NO. 1, LOCATED 1980 FEET  
FROM THE SOUTH LINE AND 660 FEET FROM THE WEST  
LINE OF SECTION 27, TOWNSHIP 11 SOUTH, RANGE  
27 EAST, NMPM, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AND  
THE PAN AMERICAN-STATE WELL NO. 1, LOCATED 330  
FEET FROM THE NORTH LINE AND 1650 FEET FROM THE  
WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION 27, SHOULD NOT BE  
PLUGGED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COMMISSION-  
APPROVED PLUGGING PROGRAM.

CASE No. 2708  
Order No. R-2379

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on  
November 20, 1962, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Elvis A. Utz,  
Examiner duly appointed by the Oil Conservation Commission of New  
Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission," in accordance  
with Rule 1214 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

NOW, on this 20th day of November, 1962, the Commission,  
a quorum being present, having considered the evidence and the  
recommendations of the Examiner, Elvis A. Utz, 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 the State of New Mexico Well No. 1, located 1980  
feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of Sec-  
tion 27, Township 11 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Chaves County,  
New Mexico, and the Pan American-State Well No. 1, located 330  
feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the West line of  
said Section 27 are owned and operated by Herschel L. Copelan.

(3) That the two subject wells have been abandoned by the  
operator and have not been plugged in any manner.

(4) That the subject wells are causing or will cause waste  
and should be plugged in a manner which will confine permanently

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all oil, gas, and water in the separate strata originally containing them.

(5) That both of the subject wells should be plugged in accordance with the following minimum plugging requirements:

- (1) Set 25 sacks of cement at total depth.
- (2) Set 20 sacks of cement at 300 feet.
- (3) Set 5 sacks of cement as a surface plug.
- (4) Fill intervals between cement plugs with mud weighing not less than ten pounds per gallon.
- (5) Set in the surface plug a regulation steel marker not less than 4 inches in diameter and extending at least 4 feet above mean ground level.

(6) That, as an alternative, the operator should be allowed to plug the subject wells in accordance with the following minimum plugging requirements:

- (1) Fill the hole with cement from total depth to the surface.
- (2) Set in the surface cement a regulation steel marker not less than 4 inches in diameter and extending at least 4 feet above mean ground level.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That Herschel L. Copelan is hereby ordered to plug the State of New Mexico Well No. 1, located 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 27, Township 11 South, Range 27 East, NMPL, Chaves County, New Mexico, and the Pan American-State Well No. 1, located 330 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the West line of said Section 27, in accordance with the following minimum plugging requirements:

- (1) Set 25 sacks of cement at total depth.
- (2) Set 20 sacks of cement at 300 feet.
- (3) Set 5 sacks of cement as a surface plug.
- (4) Fill intervals between cement plugs with mud weighing not less than ten pounds per gallon.

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- (5) Set in the surface plug a regulation steel marker not less than 4 inches in diameter and extending at least 4 feet above mean ground level.

(2) That, as an alternative, Herschel L. Copelan is hereby authorized to plug the two subject wells in accordance with the following minimum plugging requirements:

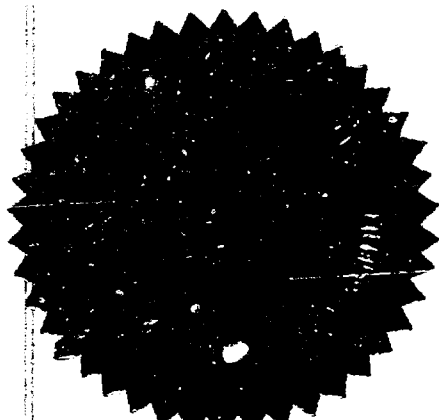
- (1) Fill the hole with cement from total depth to the surface.
- (2) Set in the surface cement a regulation steel marker not less than 4 inches in diameter and extending at least 4 feet above mean ground level.

(3) That the plugging of the two subject wells shall be completed on or before January 1, 1963, and that Herschel L. Copelan shall notify the District Supervisor, District II, Oil Conservation Commission, Artesia, New Mexico, of the exact time and date plugging operations on each well are to commence.

(4) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



*E. L. Mechem*

EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman

*E. S. Walker*

E. S. WALKER, Member

*A. L. Porter, Jr.*

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

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Case. 2708

Heard. 11-20-62

Rec. 11-20-62

1. Issue order to plug the two  
subject wells as follows:  
2 8" x 8" cut at total depth,  
20 24" " at 300 ft.,  
5 24" at surface with regulative  
markers with location indicated  
to markers. Heavy mud between  
cut plugs.

Clean up locations to condition  
found before drilling as near as  
practical.

Thos A. H.



BEFORE THE  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
Santa Fe, New Mexico  
November 20, 1962

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

The hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission, on its own motion, to permit Herschel L. Copelan and all interested parties to appear and show cause why the State of New Mexico Well No. 1, located 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 27, Township 11 South, Range 27 East, Chaves County, New Mexico, and the Pan American-State Well No. 1, located 330 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the West line of said Section 27, should not be plugged in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 2708

BEFORE: Elvis A. Utz, Examiner.

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

MR. UTZ: Case 2708.

MR. DURRETT: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission, on its own motion, to permit Herschel L. Copelan and all interested parties to appear and show cause why the State of New Mexico Well No. 1, located 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 27, Township 11 South, Range 27 East, Chaves County, New Mexico, and the Pan American-State Well No. 1, located 330 feet from the

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North line and 1650 feet from the West line of said Section 27, should not be plugged in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

May the Examiner please, James Durrett on behalf of the Commission and its staff. I will have one witness, Mr. M. L. Armstrong.

MR. UTZ: Are there other appearances in this case?  
You may proceed.

(Witness sworn.)

M. L. ARMSTRONG

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

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MR. DURRETT:

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

A M. L. Armstrong, Supervisor of District 2 for the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission.

Q As a part of your official duties do you supervise the plugging of wells and prescribed well-plugging programs in your district?

A I do.

Q Are you familiar with the two wells that are the subject

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of this case?

A Yes, sir.

Q Now, refer to the official Commission file, if you need to do so, to refresh your memory, and will you please state whether or not these wells are located as described on this docket and as advertised in this cause?

A They are.

Q Are these wells located within your district?

A Yes, sir.

MR. DURRETT: At this time I would like to ask the Examiner to take administrative notice of the Affidavit of Publication which is on file in the Commission files showing that legal notice was given in the papers.

MR. UTZ: I'll take administrative notice of same.

Q (By Mr. Durrett) In your opinion are the two subject wells now causing waste or likely to cause waste in the immediate future if not properly plugged?

A That is right.

Q Do you base this opinion upon the possible damage to the formations that have been penetrated by these two wells?

A Yes, sir.

Q Do you have a recommended plugging program that you would like to present to the Examiner at this time?



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A Yes. I would like to have 25 sack cement plug at the T.D.

MR. UTZ: This is for both wells?

A Right, it will be the same on both wells.

MR. UTZ: All right, sir.

A 25 sack plug at T.D., 20 sack plug around 300 with heavy mud between with a 5 sack plug at the top to hold the regulation marker. Shall I say clean up all pits?

Q If you would like to. Do you also have an alternative that you would like to recommend to the Examiner, Mr. Armstrong?

A Well, if they'd rather fill these holes with cement just plumb full of cement, that will be okay.

Q That will be the same for both wells?

A The same for both wells.

Q Do you recommend to the Examiner that the Commission enter an order requiring these wells to be plugged immediately in accordance with your program as you have set out here?

A I do.

MR. DURRETT: May the Examiner please, that will conclude the direct examination of this witness.

CROSS EXAMINATION

BY MR. UTZ:

Q Mr. Armstrong, what is the total depth on these wells?



A The State of New Mexico No. 1 T.D. is 1017, and on the Pan American-State No. 1, T.D. is 1015.

MR. DURRETT: May the Examiner please, I would like to ask the witness one more question.

MR. UTZ: You may proceed.

REDIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MR. DURRETT:

Q I neglected to ask you on direct examination, so I would like to ask you at this time, do the official files of the Commission reflect that both of these wells are operated by Herschel L. Copelan as advertised in this case?

A Yes.

MR. DURRETT: Thank you. I believe that will be all.

MR. UTZ: Any other questions of the witness? The witness may be excused.

(Witness excused.)

MR. UTZ: Anyone have a statement in this? The case will be taken under advisement.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO )  
 ) ss  
 COUNTY OF BERNALILLO )

I, ADA DEARNLEY, Court Reporter, do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached transcript of proceedings before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico, is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have affixed my hand and notarial seal this 13th day of December, 1962.

*Ada Dearnley*  
 Notary Public-Court Reporter

My commission expires:  
 June 19, 1963.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a complete record of the proceedings in the Federal Court of Case No. 2708, dated to the 13th day of December, 1962.  
*Thurston*  
 Examiner  
 New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission

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