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SKELLY OIL COMPANY

P. O. Box 1351, Midland, Texas 79701

November 25, 1969

Re: Application for Waterflood Expansion
Skelly Unit
Grayburg-Jackson Pool
Eddy County, New Mexico

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
State Land Office Building
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attention: Secretary-Director

Gentlemen:

Skelly Oil Company respectfully requests administrative approval to expand its Skelly Unit Waterflood in the Grayburg-Jackson Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico. The Skelly Unit Waterflood Project was authorized by Order No. R-2900, May 4, 1965, and amended by Order No. R-3214, April 11, 1967.

The subject waterflood project is governed by the provisions of Rule 701, 702, and 703 of the Commission rules and regulations; PROVIDED HOWEVER, that the Secretary-Director of the Commission may approve expansion of the Grayburg-Jackson Skelly Unit Waterflood Project to include additional wells, within said unit area, or water injection as may be necessary to complete an efficient waterflood pattern.

Skelly initiated a six injection well, eighty-acre five-spot pilot project in April, 1965. The successful response to the water injection led Skelly to expand the project. By November 1969, the original pilot area has been expanded to include a total of 33 injection wells. The last expansion being by administrative order No. WFX dated June 12, 1968.

Skelly Oil Company desires to expand the waterflood and requests administrative approval to convert the following wells to water injection.

Township 17 South, Range 31 East
Unit Well No. 79, Unit N, Section 23
Unit Well No. 81, Unit P, Section 23

Under order R-3214, Skelly Oil Company was authorized to effect a waterflood project in the Grayburg-Jackson Pool in the Skelly Unit by the selective injection of water into various zones throughout the Grayburg-Jackson producing interval. Selectivity of injection is to be achieved by dual injection util-

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izing the casing tubing annulus. Skelly Oil Company requests approval to selectively inject throughout the Skelly Unit; however, it is our intention to equip the proposed injectors as single injection wells and utilize the separation of zones in only the wells where it is deemed necessary to achieve the most efficient vertical distribution of injected fluid.

Attached is a map showing all wells within a two mile radius, a Unit plat showing the present and proposed injection wells, along with schematic diagrams and copies of the logs on the wells included in this application, an analysis of the water to be injected and a supplement to the Oil Proration Schedule.

Response to water injection has been noted in the area of the proposed expansion. The proposed injection wells producing capacity and other producing wells which directly offset the proposed water injectors are shown on the following tabulation. Shown are the wells producing capacity at the start of the pilot (April 1965) and the current (October 1969) rates.

<u>Unit Well No.</u>	<u>Daily Average Production</u>			
	<u>April 1965</u>		<u>October 1969</u>	
	<u>Oil</u>	<u>Water</u>	<u>Oil</u>	<u>Water</u>
79 (Proposed WIW)	10	0	4	4
80	11	0	40	8
81 (Proposed WIW)	8	0	22	15
82	<u>11</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>25</u>
TOTAL	40	0	96	52

The oil proration schedule supplement substantiates response on three wells in the area.

Injection fluid will be purchased from Double Eagle Water Company. The water is fresh and is taken from the Ogallala Formation, as shown by the current water analysis. Anticipated injection rates are 300-600 BPD per well (600 to 1200 for both wells) at pressures of 1500 - 2000 PSI.

Correlative rights are being protected by a lease line agreement with Hudson and Hudson, the only operator adjoining the Skelly Unit in the area of the proposed expansion and they have been notified by a copy of this application.

Very truly yours,



D. L. Nunley
 District Production Manager

WTT/BOB/ljm
 Attachments

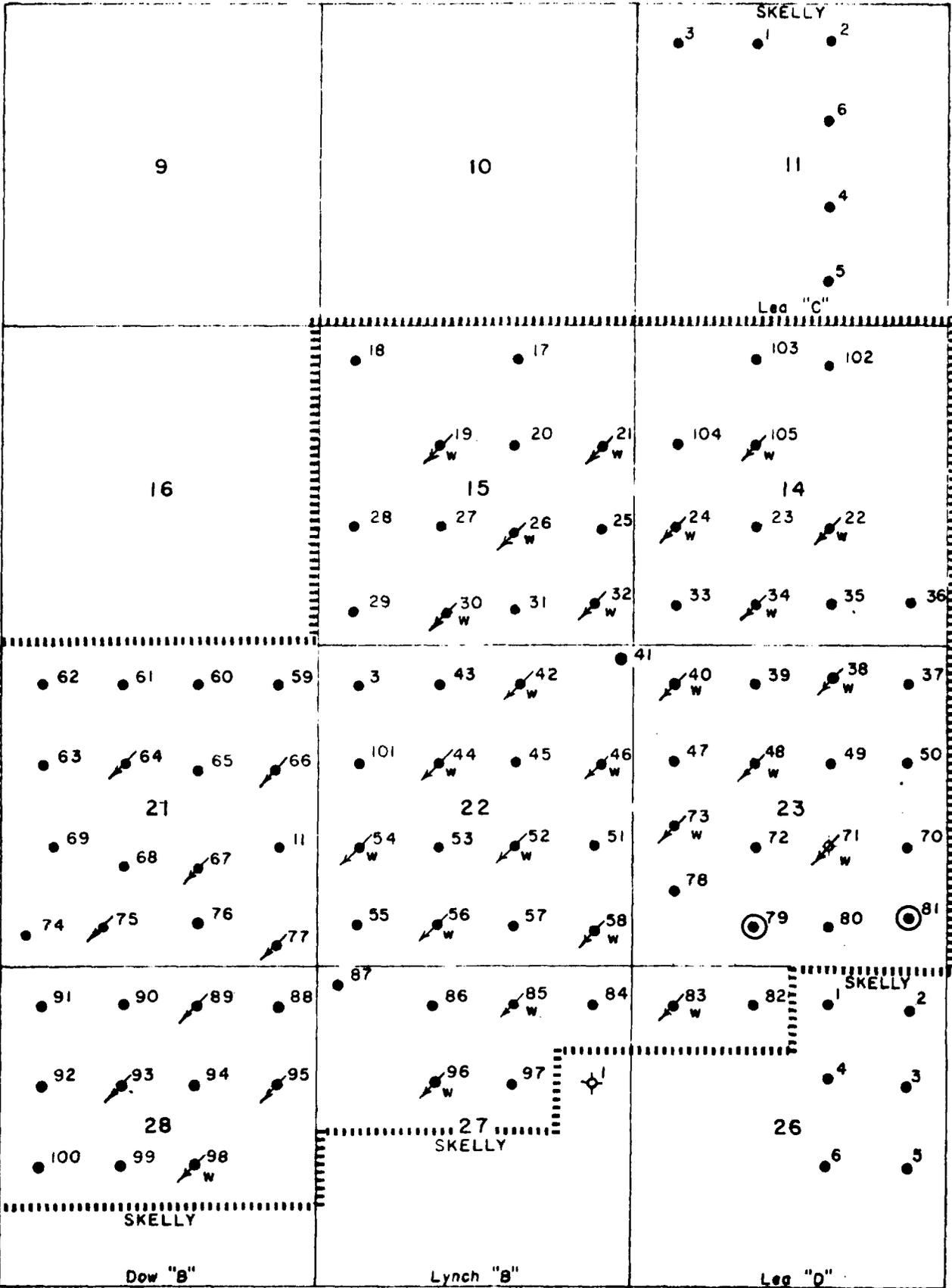
cc: Operators mailing list attached
 G. W. Selinger, Tulsa Oklahoma

MAILING LIST
SKELLY UNIT

William A. and Edward R. Hudson
1510 First National Building
Fort Worth, Texas

William A. and Edward R. Hudson
P. O. Box 198
Artesia, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. Ralph L. Gray

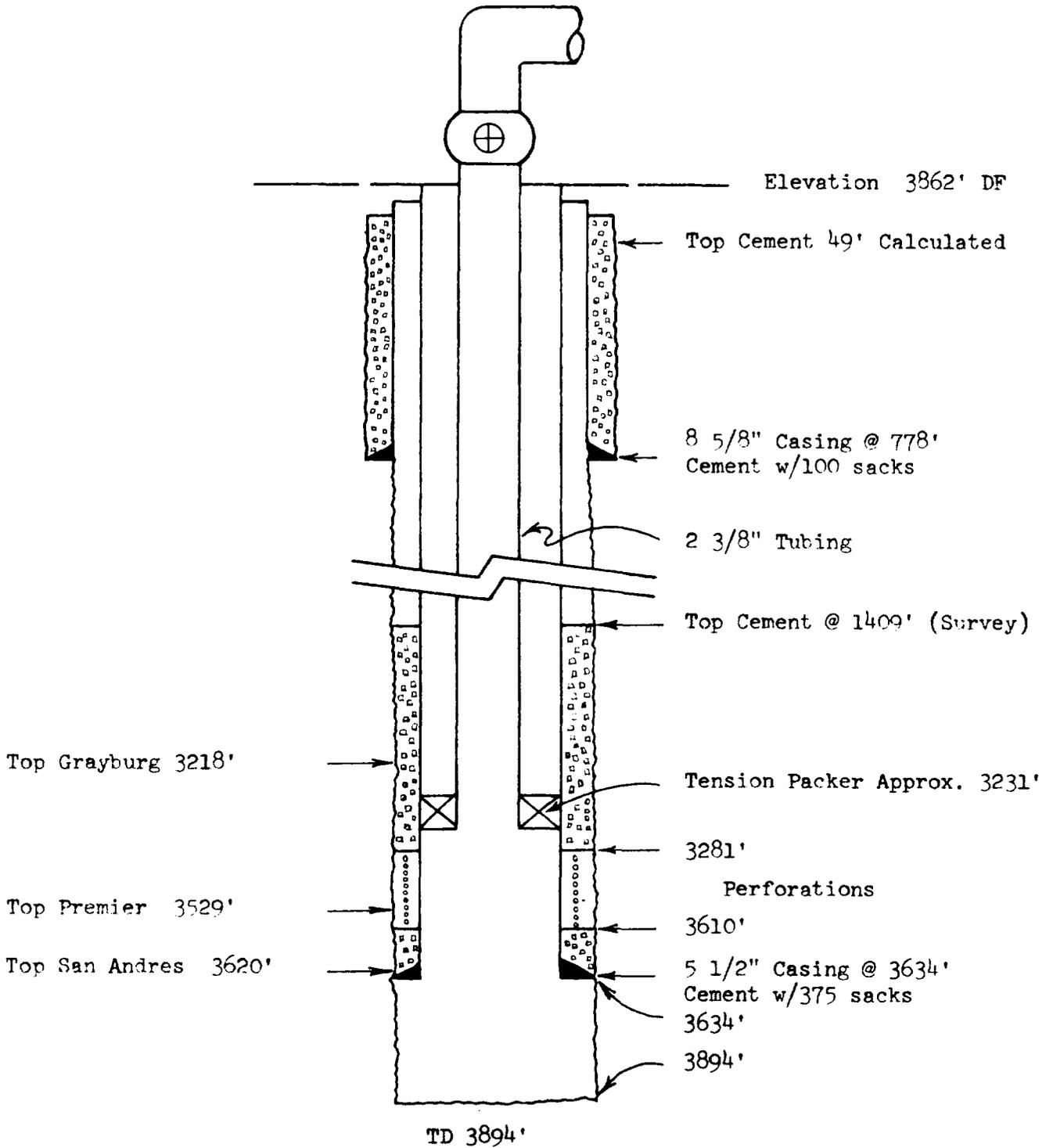


SKELLY OIL COMPANY
 SKELLY UNIT
 EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
 TOWNSHIP 17-S, RANGE 31-E
 SCALE: 1"=2460'

- LEGEND**
- GRAYBURG-SAN ANDRES OIL WELL
 - ◇ DRY HOLE
 - ▤ SKELLY UNIT
 - ⊙ PROPOSED WATER INJECTION WELL

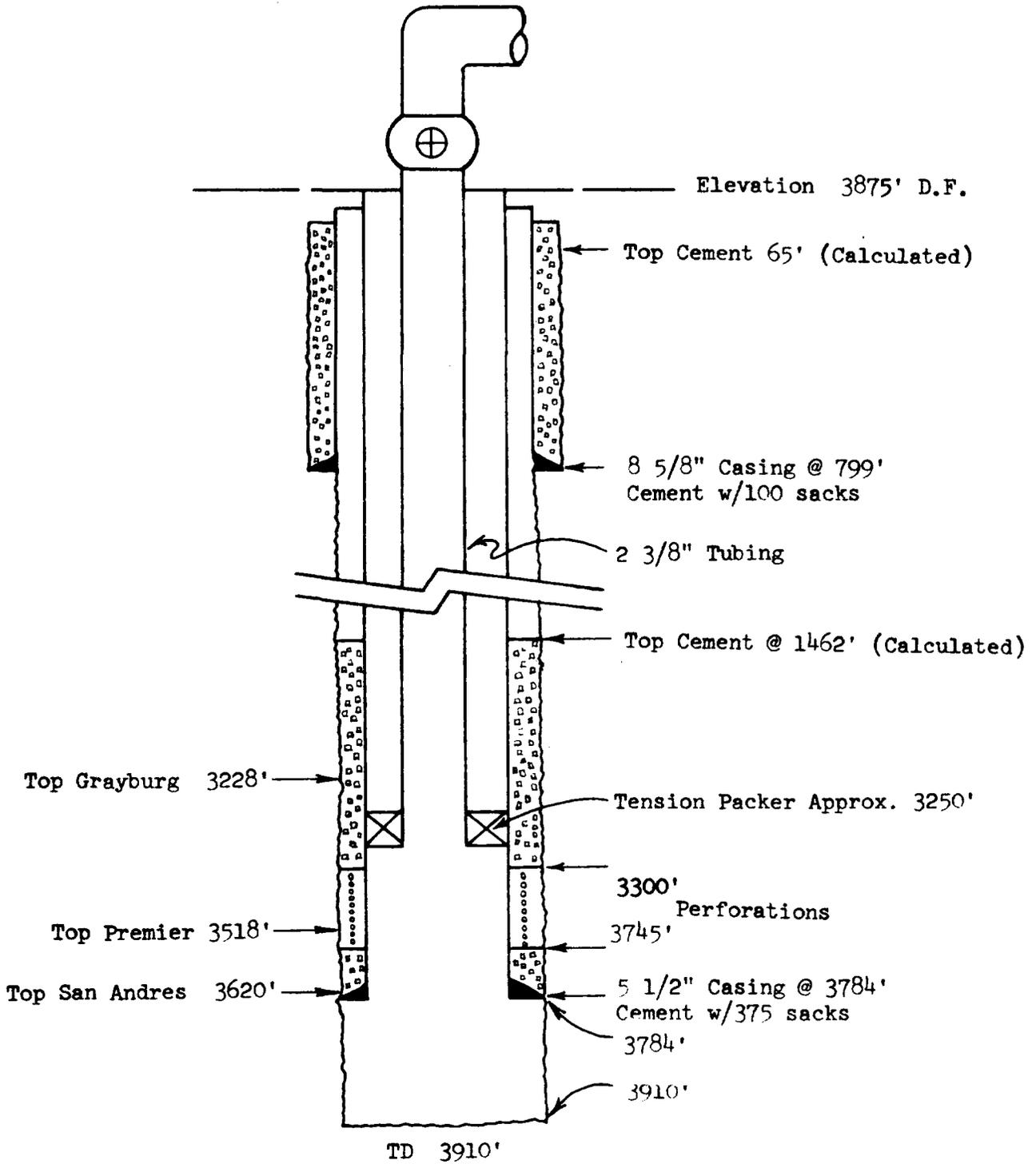
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Skelly Unit No. 79
660' FSL & 1980' FWL, Section 23-17S-31E
GRAYBURG JACKSON INJECTION WELL



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SKELLY UNIT NO. 81
810' FSL & 660' FEL, Section 23-17S-31E
GRAYBURG JACKSON INJECTION WELL





UNITED CHEMICAL CORPORATION
OF NEW MEXICO

601 NORTH LEECH

P. O. BOX 1499

HOBBS, NEW MEXICO 88240

Company Skelly Oil Company
 Field _____
 Lease Double Eagle Water Sampling Date 11-19-69
 Type of Sample Inlet to Skelly Tank

WATER ANALYSIS

IONIC FORM	me/l *	mg/l *
Calcium (Ca++)	2.59	52
Magnesium (Mg++)	1.07	13
Sodium (Na+) (Calculated)	2.07	48
Iron		0.55
Bicarbonate (HCO ₃)	2.10	128
Carbonate (CO ₃ -)	NOT	FOUND
Hydroxide (OH-)	NOT	FOUND
Sulphate (SO ₄ -)	2.08	100
Chloride (Cl-)	1.55	55
6.7ph c 68°F		
Dissolved Solids on Evap. at 103° - 105° C		
Hardness as Ca CO ₃	3.66	183
Carbonate Hardness as CaCO ₃ (temporary)	2.10	105
Non-Carbonate Hardness as CaCO ₃ (permanent)	1.56	78
Alkalinity as CaCO ₃	2.10	105
Specific Gravity c 68° F	1.000	

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* mg/l = milligrams per Liter
 * me/l = milliequivalents per Liter

Calcium Carbonate scaling index negative at 86°F
 Calcium Sulfate scaling index negative

Makes Water Work

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540 bbls for the month
490 bbls for the month
520 bbls for the month
600 bbls for the month
750 bbls for the month
800 bbls for the month

Supplement A--1 for September 1969 Continued

Skelly Unit

#68-K, 21-17-31, increased to 21 BOPD or 630 bbls for the month.
#69-L, " , increased to 20 BOPD or 600 bbls for the month.
#72-K, 23-17-31, increased to 69 BOPD or 2070 bbls for the month.
#76-O, " , increased to 57 BOPD or 1710 bbls for the month.
#78-M, " , increased to 21 BOPD or 630 bbls for the month.
#80-O, " , increased to 44 BOPD or 1320 bbls for the month.
#81-P, " , increased to 29 BOPD or 870 bbls for the month.
#82-C, " , increased to 33 BOPD or 990 bbls for the month.
#88-A, 28-17-31, increased to 38 BOPD or 1140 bbls for the month.
#90-C, " , increased to 18 BOPD or 540 bbls for the month.
#92-E, " , increased to 198 BOPD or 5940 bbls for the month.
#94-G, " , increased to 85 BOPD or 2550 bbls for the month.
#100-L, " , increased to 46 BOPD or 1380 bbls for the month.

WAG:jw

Skelly Oil Company

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LARGE FORMAT
EXHIBIT HAS
BEEN REMOVED
AND IS LOCATED
IN THE NEXT FILE



WELEX

RADIOACTIVITY LOG

COMPANY Skelly Oil Company

WELL Lea "B" # 7

FIELD Grayburg-Jackson

County Eddy State N. M.

COMPANY SKELLY OIL COMPANY

Name: Skelly Unit # 79

WELL ~~LEA "B" # 7~~

FIELD GRAYBURG-JACKSON

COUNTY EDDY STATE NEW MEXICO

Location
Sec. _____ Twp. _____ Rge. _____

Other Services:

Permanent Datum 8-5/8" Collar Elev. _____
Log Measured from 9 Ft. Above Perm. Datum
Drilling Measured From 9' Above 8-5/8" Collar

Elev.: K.B. _____
D.F. _____
G.I. _____

Date	5-4-66
Run No.	- One -
Type Log	GR - NG
Depth-Driller	3894
Depth-Welex	3893
Bottom Logged Interval	3892
Top Logged Interval	3000
Type Fluid in Hole	Mud
Salinity, PPM Cl.	
Density	8.5
Level	
Max. rec. temp., deg. F.	
Operating Rig Time	
Recorded By	G. E. Ayres
Witnessed by	Mr. King

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HBA	<u>5-1/2" x 6'</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GR	<u>5-16-66</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> JWB	<u>5-1/2" x 6'</u>		
HOW		JTC	
JWT		LRH	
WFK		OVS	
GRM		WS	
ERL		EAT	
JDM		JMB	
LG		HED	
PS		BDH	
BLM			
JAD		PER	
RLC		File	
DMM			
BRW			

BORE-HOLE RECORD				CASING RECORD			
Run No.	Bit	From	To	Size	Wgt.	From	To
				5-1/2"		0	3633 (Log)
	-	3633	3798				
	4-3/4"	3798	3894				

