

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico

November 19, 1953

IN THE MATTER OF:

The application of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico upon its own motion for an order for the creation of new pools and extension of existing pools in Lea County, New Mexico, and giving notice to all persons and parties interested in the subject matter thereof to appear and show cause why such extensions and creations should not be made as follows:

Case No. 603

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

Twp. 24 South, Rge. 37 East
W/2 Section 23;
E/2 Section 22

and such other contiguous lands as may be properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

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

Twp. 16 South, Rge. 35 East
All of Section 26;
E/2 Section 27;
E/2 Section 34;
all of Section 35;
W/2 Section 36

and such other contiguous lands as may properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

(c) Create a new pool in Lea County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for San Andres production, designated as the Carter - San Andres Pool, and described as:

Twp. 18 South, Rge. 39 East
All of Section 5

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and such other contiguous lands as may properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

(d) Extend the Eidson-Pennsylvanian Pool boundary in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

Twp. 16 South, Rge. 35 East
SW/4 Section 7

and such other lands contiguous to said pool as may properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

(e) Extend the Monument-Paddock Pool boundary in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

Twp. 20 South, Rge. 37 East
All of Section 5

and such other lands contiguous to said pool as may properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

(f) Extend the Vacuum Pool boundary in Lea County, New Mexico, to include therein:

Twp. 17 South, Rge. 34 East
S/2 Section 1

and such other lands contiguous to said pool as may properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

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

Twp. 21 South, Rge. 37 East
All of Section 13

and such other lands contiguous to said pool as may properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

BEFORE:

Edwin L. Mechem, Governor
E. S. Walker, Land Commissioner
R. R. Spurrier, Secretary, Oil Conservation Commission

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TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

(Notice of publication read by Mr. Graham.)

S. J. S T A N L E Y

the witness, having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

By MR. GRAHAM:

Q State your name and position, please.

A My name is S. J. Stanley, Engineer for the Oil Conservation Commission.

Q In that capacity, have you made a study of the provisions of Case 603 and prepared to discuss each item and make a recommendation?

A I have. I recommend that creations and extensions be adopted as advertised. I would like to read into the record the descriptions of all wells creating the advertised new pools. In Case 603, paragraph "A" Fowler-Fusselman created by Gulf Oil Corporation Plains-Night Number Three, Unit L, in section 23, township 24, south range 37 east; total depth 7660 plugged back perforated from 7550 to 7625. In the case of paragraph "B" of Case 603, Shoe Bar - Devonian created by Western Natural Gas Company, Milard-Edson Number One, unit C in section 35, township 16, south range 35 east, total depth 12,757 perforated from 12,482 to 12,600 and 12,632 to 12,680. In the case of paragraph "C" of Case 603 Carter San Andres Field, created by Blackwood and Nickels Company. Carter Number One, Unit "E" in section five, township 18, south range 39 east, total depth 5,890 feet plugged back perforated from 5822 to 5837. In support of my testimony, I wish to

present plats as exhibits describing the corrections and extensions as advertised.

COMMISSIONER WALKER: They will be admitted.

Q You don't have information as to the other?

A I don't need the extensions. It is just, a matter of completion of new wells and new pools.

Q I have no more questions of the witness.

COMMISSIONER WALKER: Any other questions of the witness in this case? If not, the witness may be excused and we will take the case under advisement.

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C E R T I F I C A T E

I, ADA DEARNLEY, Court Reporter, do hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of proceedings was taken before me on Thursday, November 19, 1953; that the same is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

DATED at Albuquerque, New Mexico, this 27th day of November, 1953.


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