

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
November 14, 1957

IN THE MATTER OF:

CASE NO. 1339

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

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IN THE MATTER OF:

- (a) Extend the Blanco Mesaverde Pool to include:

Township 31 North, Range 12 West
All of Section 19

Township 31 North, Range 13 West
All of Section 24
N/2 of Section 25

- (b) Extend the Aztec-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

Township 29 North, Range 8 West
W/2 of Section 30
W/2 of Section 31

Township 29 North, Range 9 West
All of Section 25
All of Section 30

- (c) Extend the Canyon Largo-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

Township 25 North, Range 6 West
S/2 and NW/4 of Section 16
All of Section 17
E/2 of Section 18

- (d) Extend the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

Township 24 North, Range 4 West
N/2 of Section 8
N/2 of Section 9

Township 25 North, Range 3 West
S/2 of Section 19

Township 25 North, Range 4 West
S/2 Section 24

Township 27 North, Range 6 West

All of Section 21
 S/2 of Section 22
 S/2 of Section 23
 SW/4 of Section 24
 W/2 of Section 25
 All of Sections 26 and 27
 N/2 of Section 28
 N/2 of Section 34

Township 27 North, Range 7 West

NW/4 Section 14
 N/2 Section 15
 N/2 Section 16

Township 28 North, Range 8 West

E/2 of Section 34

- (e) Extend the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

Township 25 North, Range 3 West

S/2 of Section 10
 E/2 of Section 11

Township 26 North, Range 3 West

W/2 of Section 20

- (f) Extend the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool to include:

Township 25 North, Range 12 West

SW/4 Section 3

- (g) Extend the Verde-Gallup Oil Pool to include:

Township 30 North, Range 15 West

NE/4 Section 6

Township 31 North, Range 14 West

SE/4 of Section 7

Township 31 North, Range 15 West

SW/4 of Section 23
 NW/4 of Section 24
 NW/4 of Section 33

BEFORE:

Honorable Edwin L. Mechem
Mr. A. L. Porter
Mr. Murray Morgan

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MR. PORTER: We will take up case No. 1339.

(Witness sworn.)

ELVIS A. UTZ

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

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY: MR. COOLEY:

Q State your name and position, please.

A Elvis A. Utz, engineer with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission.

Q Mr. Utz, in your official capacity as gas engineer for the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission, have you had an opportunity to study conditions in oil and gas pools in Northwestern New Mexico?

A Yes, sir, I have.

Q Mr. Utz, are you aware that there were certain errors in Paragraph B and D in the advertisement of this case in the Farmington paper?

A Yes, I am.

Q Do you know whether these errors in advertisement were

corrected and readvertised more than ten days prior to the hearing of this case?

A It is my understanding that they were.

Q Mr. Utz, do you have any recommendations concerning the extension of the Blanco Mesaverde Pool?

A Yes, I recommend that the Blanco Mesaverde gas pool be extended as advertised on the basis of two wells completed in this pool.

Q Do you have any recommendations concerning the extension of the Aztec-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A I recommend that the Aztec-Pictured Cliffs gas pool be extended as advertised on the basis of four wells completed in this pool.

Q And what are your recommendations concerning the Canyon Largo-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A I recommend that the Canyon Largo-Pictured Cliffs gas pool be extended as advertised on the basis of three wells completed in this pool.

Q Do you have any recommendations concerning the extension of the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A Yes, I recommend that the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs gas pool be extended as advertised on the basis of eleven wells completed in this pool.

Q Do you have any recommendations concerning the extension

of the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A I also recommend that the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs gas pool be extended as advertised on the basis of three wells completed in this pool.

Q And what are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool?

A I recommend that the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool be extended as advertised on the basis of one well completed in this pool.

Q Do you have any recommendations concerning the extension of the Verde-Gallup Oil Pool?

A I recommend that the Verde-Gallup Oil Pool be extended as advertised on the basis of four wells completed in this pool.

Q Do you have any further recommendations in this case?

A No, I do not. I have an exhibit I would like to enter which is designated as Exhibit No. 1 in Case 1339 which states the recommendations for extension and the wells on which they are based.

Q Was this exhibit prepared by you or under your supervision?

A Yes.

MR. COOLEY: I move the admission of Exhibit 1 in Case 1339.

MR. PORTER: Without objection, it will be admitted.
Does anyone else have a question of the witness? If not, the

