

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF:

CASE 1619

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

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TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST, NMPM
Section 3: SE/4
Section 4: SE/4 SW/4

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST, NMPM
Section 30: SW/4
Section 31: NW/4
Section 34: SW/4 SE/4

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 17 WEST, NMPM
Section 24: NE/4 & SW/4

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

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM
Section 31: W/2
Section 33: SW/4

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

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST, NMPM
Section 29: NE/4

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 15 WEST, NMPM
Section 33: E/2

(h) Extend the West Kutz-Dakota Pool to include:

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, NMPM
Section 26: W/2

BEFORE:

A. L. Porter
Murray Morgan

T R A N S C R I P T O F P R O C E E D I N G S

MR. PORTER: Take up Case 1619.

MR. PAYNE: Case 1619. Northwestern New Mexico nomenclature case calling for an order extending existing pools in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico.

(Witness sworn)

A. R. KENDRICKS,

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

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MR. PAYNE:

Q Will the witness please state his name and position?

A A. R. Kendrick, engineer for the Oil Conservation Commission.

Q Mr. Kendrick, have you had an opportunity to make a study concerning the feasibility of extending certain existing pools in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico?

A I have.

Q What are your recommendations concerning extension of the Aztec-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A I recommend the Aztec-Pictured Cliffs Pool be extended as shown in Paragraph (a) of Exhibit 1, on the basis of two wells capable of producing.

Q What are your recommendations concerning extension of the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A I recommend the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool be extended as shown on Exhibit 1, Paragraph (b); one gas well is completed in this area.

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

A I recommend the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool be ex-

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tended as shown in Paragraph (c) of Exhibit 1, on the basis of two oil wells completed in the area.

Q What are your recommendations concerning extension of the Gallegos-Gallup Oil Pool?

A I recommend the Gallegos-Gallup Oil Pool be extended as shown in Exhibit 1, Paragraph (d), on the basis of three wells capable of producing in this Pool.

Q What are your recommendations concerning extension of the Horseshoe-Gallup Oil Pool?

A I recommend the Horseshoe-Gallup Oil Pool be extended as shown in Paragraph (e) of Exhibit 1, on the basis of eleven wells drilled in this Pool.

Q What are your recommendations concerning extension of Otero-Gallup Pool?

A I recommend the Otero-Gallup Pool be extended as shown in Paragraph (f) of Exhibit 1, on the basis of three wells drilled in this area.

Q What are your recommendations concerning extension of the Verde-Gallup Pool?

A I recommend the Verde-Gallup Oil Pool be extended as shown in Paragraph (g) of Exhibit 1, on the basis of two wells drilled in the area.

Q What are your recommendations concerning extension of the West Kutz-Dakota Pool?

A I recommend the West Kutz-Dakota Pool be extended, as

advertised, on the basis of one well drilled in the area, shown on Exhibit 1, Paragraph (h).

Q Have you prepared exhibits substantiating your recommendations?

A I have. Exhibit 1, Case 1619.

MR. PAYNE: Mr. Examiner, I move for the introduction of Exhibit 1 (a) through 1 (h) in Case 1619.

MR. PORTER: Without objection, the Exhibit will be admitted. Anyone have a question of the witness? The witness may be excused.

Nothing further in the Case, we will take the Case under advisement, and the hearing is adjourned.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
) ss
COUNTY OF BERNALILLO)

I, J. A. Trujillo, Notary Public in and for the County of Bernalillo, State of New Mexico, do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached Transcript of Proceedings before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission was reported by me in Stenotype and reduced to typewritten transcript by me, and that the same is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

WITNESS my Hand and Seal this, the 3rd day of March, 1959, in the City of Albuquerque, County of Bernalillo, State of New Mexico.

Joseph A. Trujillo
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

October 5, 1960