## MARYLAND CASUALTY COMPANY

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T. W. SCALES & CO. General Agents 710-723 EL PASO NAT'L BANK BLDG., EL PASO, TEXAS November 19, 1951

T. W. SCALES C. G. WHYBURN

Maryland Casualty Company Bond 989793-C I. A. STEPHENS Lubbock, Texas

Oil Conservation Commission Santa Fe, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

On February 21, 1951 we, as General Agents for the Maryland Casualty Company, executed \$5,000.00 One-Well Bond Form 39-Bl for the above principal in favor of the State of New Mexico.

On September 7, 1951 we received from Tom Gordon, Lawyer in Abilene, Texas the following letter:

"This is to advise you that the I. A. Stephens #1 Lee, NWSW Section 32, Township 6 North, Range 30 East, Guay County, New Mexico, was plugged officially, and form 103 filed June 24, 1951. It is suggested that such plugging bond on Mr. Stephens be cancelled and in the event there is any return premium, kindly forward same to the writer."

Our Agent states that they have written you on September 28th advising you of this fact and asked that you furnish them with cancellation evidence if it was proper. They advise that they have written you three letters since that time, however, have not heard from you.

If this bond can be cancelled, we will appreciate your addressing a letter to the Maryland Casualty Company in our care consenting to the cancellation as of a certain date.

Very truly yours,

T. W. SCALES & COMPANY

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cc-Contract Bond Department

cc-Bob Daniels & Sons, Inc.