



IN REPLY REFER TO:

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY  
P. O. Box 965  
Farmington, New Mexico

April 15, 1955

Benson-Montin  
315 1/2 West Main Street  
Farmington, New Mexico

Re: New Mexico 04226

Gentlemen:

Receipt is acknowledged of your "Notice of Intention to Drill" dated April 14, 1955 covering your well No. 9 McManus in SW 1/4 sec. 33, T. 26 N., R. 8 W., N. M. P. M., San Juan County, New Mexico, Ballard-P.C. pool.

Your proposed work is hereby approved subject to compliance with the provisions of the "Oil and Gas Operating Regulations" revised May 25, 1942, a copy of which will be sent to you on request, and subject to the following conditions:

1. Drilling operations so authorized are subject to the attached sheet for general conditions of approval.
2. Furnish copies of all logs.

Very truly yours,

A. P. Eleeman  
Acting District Engineer

APK:eleman:ac



(SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE)  
UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

Land Office **Santa Fe**  
Lease No. **NM 04226**  
Unit **McKenzie**

**SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS**

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DRILL.....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF WATER SHUT-OFF.....
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CHANGE PLANS.....		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF SHOOTING OR ACIDIZING.....
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TEST WATER SHUT-OFF.....		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF ALTERING CASING.....
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO RE-DRILL OR REPAIR WELL.....		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF REDRILLING OR REPAIR.....
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SHOOT OR ACIDIZE.....		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF ABANDONMENT.....
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO PULL OR ALTER CASING.....		SUPPLEMENTARY WELL HISTORY.....
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ABANDON WELL.....		

(INDICATE ABOVE BY CHECK MARK NATURE OF REPORT, NOTICE, OR OTHER DATA)

April 14th, 1955

Well No. **9** is located **1298** ft. from **[N]** line and **1298** ft. from **[E]** line of sec. **33**

**SW/4 NW/4 Sec. 33**  
(Section and Range No.)

**24N**  
(Twp.)

**9W**  
(Range)

**N. M. P. M.**  
(Meridian)

**Ballard**  
(Field)

**San Juan**  
(County or Subdivision)

**New Mexico**  
(State or Territory)

The elevation of the derrick floor above sea level is ..... ft. **(Not available.)**

**DETAILS OF WORK**

**Will furnish later)**

(State names of and expected depths to objective sands; show sizes, weights, and lengths of proposed casings; indicate mudding jobs, cementing points, and all other important proposed work)

**Pictured Cliffs Sand test. Estimated depth 2100'.**

**Surface Casing: 90' of 8-5/8" OD 24# J-55 cemented with 50 sacks, circulated.**

**Production " : Approximately 2000' of 5-1/2" OD 14# J-55 cemented with 100 sacks.**

**If commercial production is indicated, the producing section will be shot with nitroglycerin and/or sand-oil treated.**

I understand that this plan of work must receive approval in writing by the Geological Survey before operations may be commenced.

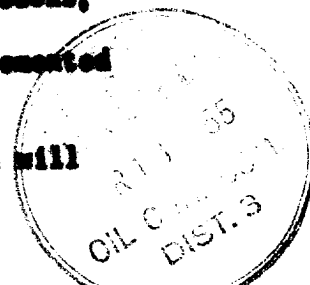
Company **BERSON-MONTIN**

Address **313 1/2 West Main Street**

**Farmington, New Mexico**

By *Walter R. Green*

Title **Field Superintendent**



COMPANY BENSON-MONTIN

LEASE Mc Manus

WELL NO. # 9

SECTION 33 T<sup>25</sup>~~25~~ N, R 8 W, N.M.P.M.

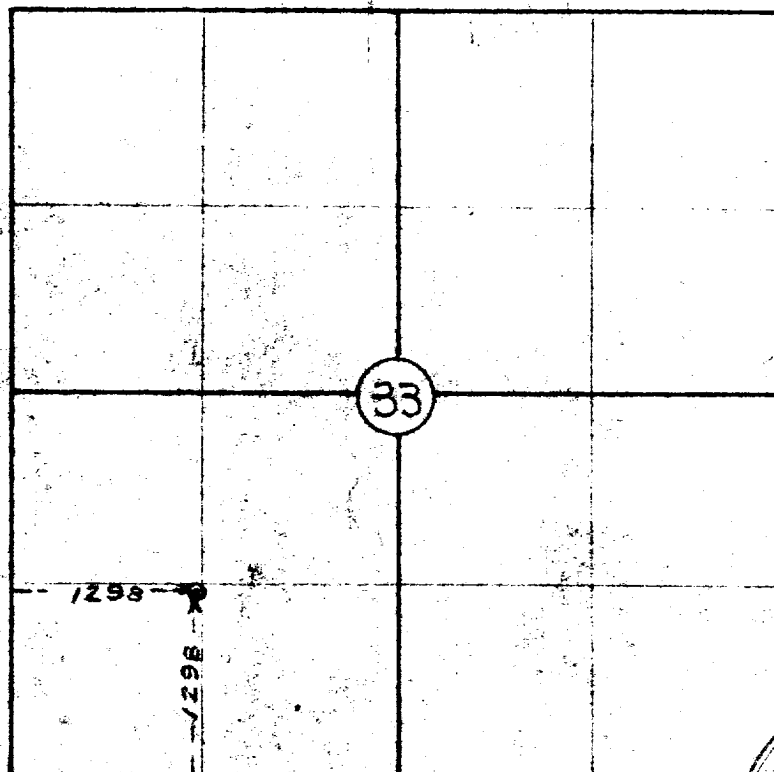
LOCATION 1298 from South line

1298 from West side

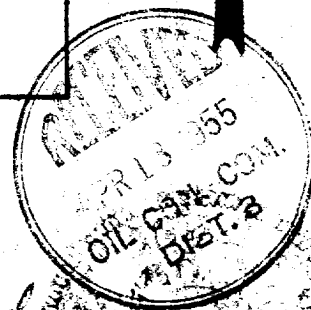
**SAN JUAN COUNTY NEW MEXICO**

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U. S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY  
SARASNOTION, NEW MEXICO



THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE PLAT WAS  
PREPARED FROM FIELD NOTES OF ACTUAL SURVEYS  
MADE BY ME AND ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE  
BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF



ROBERT L. MADDOX JR.  
REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL  
ENGINEER AND LAND SURVEYOR  
NEW MEXICO REG. NO. 1426

Surveyed 3-19-55

