

Case No.

298

Application, Transcript,
Small Exhibits, Etc.

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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TRANSCRIPTION OF HEARING

CASE NO. 298

August 21, 1951  
(DATE)

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BEFORE THE  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

In re:

This case, called upon the motion  
of the Commission itself, is concerned  
with the creation of new pools, correction  
of boundaries, and the modification of  
Orders 748, 799 and R-13 (etc.,) relating  
to San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties.

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MR. SHEPARD: Case No. 298.

(Mr. Graham reads the Notice of Publication.)

MR. SHEPARD: Anyone have anything to say on case No. 298?  
Mr. Barnes will you state the case on behalf of the Commission?

MR. BARNES: In the matter of Case 298, we have the matter of the consolidation of the West Kutz and Southwest Kutz Pictured Cliff Gas Pools as one pool and extension thereof to include certain extension wells drilled since the original pools were created. Also, the extension of the Fulcher Kutz Pictured Cliff Gas Pool to encompass certain extensions on the flanks and to the southwest of that pool. Also the correction for possible correction of a new pool in Township 26, north range 6 west, in the area of the recent oil and gas discoveries by Doswell and Pete Igreu. The nearest geographic feature to that particular pool is known as Dogie Canyon and I would like to suggest that as a possible name for this new discovery.--

Q In conclusion then all these modifications amount to would be to take care of existing wells, is that right?

A That is right.

MR. SHEPARD: Anyone have any questions?

MR. VAN JOHNSON: Under the Doswell <sup>Pettigrew</sup> (Pete Igreu) arrangement, do you have the outlines of the proposed field as yet?

A Just very roughly. I wasn't prepared to make an absolute recommendation at this time.

MR. JOHNSON: I see. I withdraw the question.

MR. SHEPARD: Anyone else? If not you will be excused.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO )  
COUNTY OF BERNALILLO ) SS.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached transcript of hearing before the Oil Conservation Commission in Case No. 298, taken on August 21, 1951, is a true and correct record of the same to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

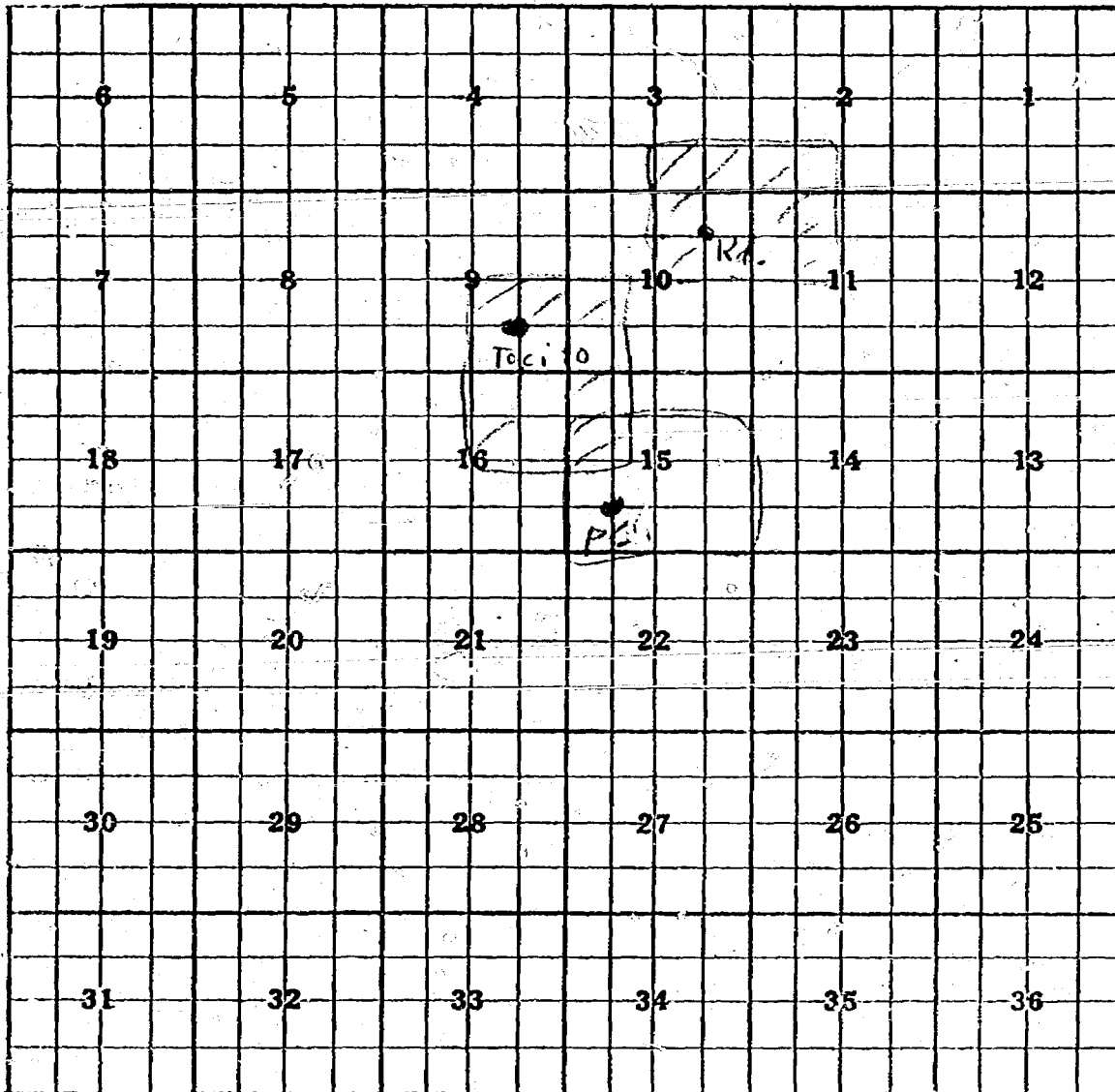
DATED at Albuquerque, New Mexico this 15<sup>th</sup> day of Sept, 1951.

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REPORTER

26N - 6W

Township No. Range Principal Meridian

NORTH



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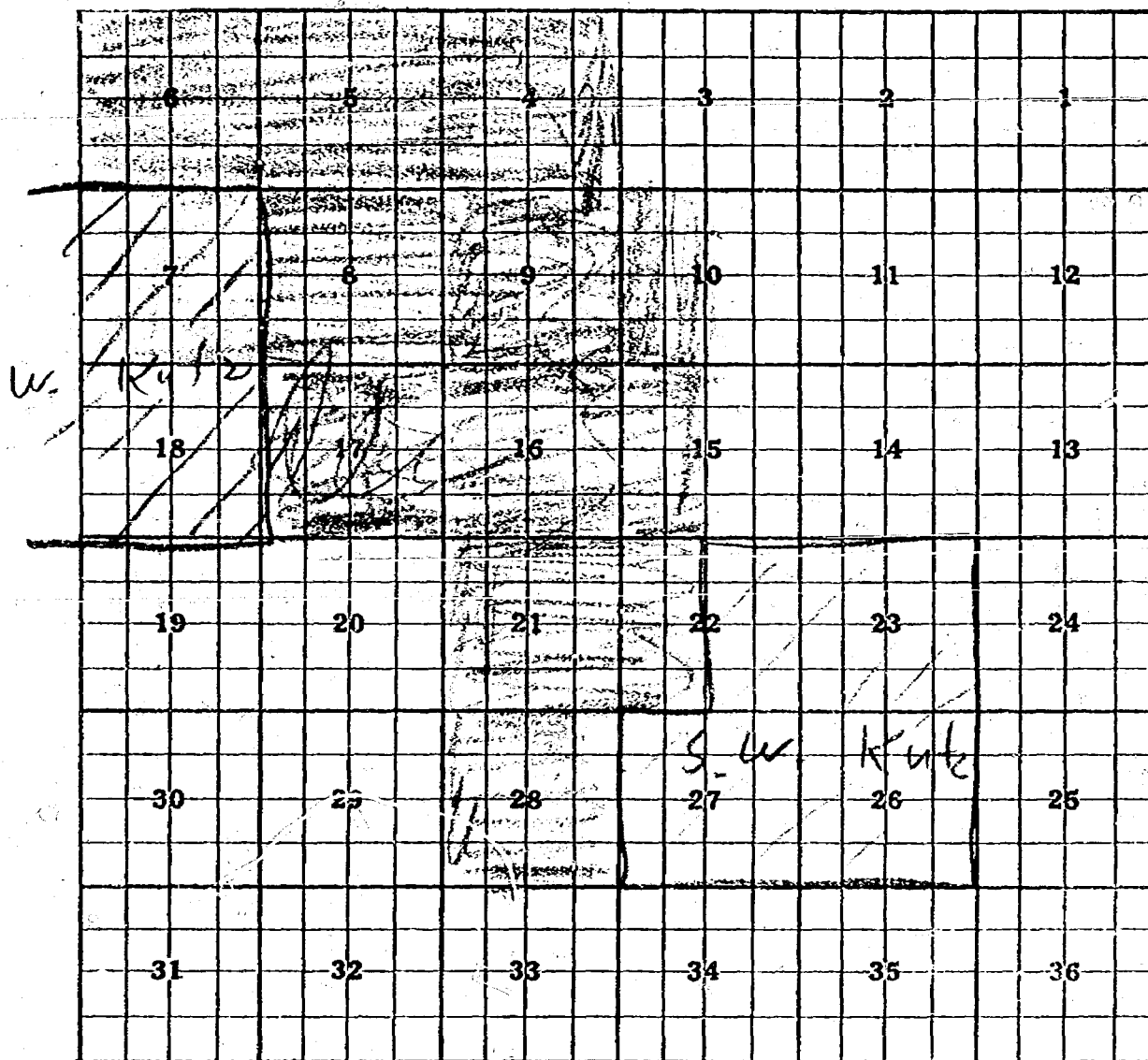
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Doswell

27N 11W

Township No. Range Principal Meridian

NORTH



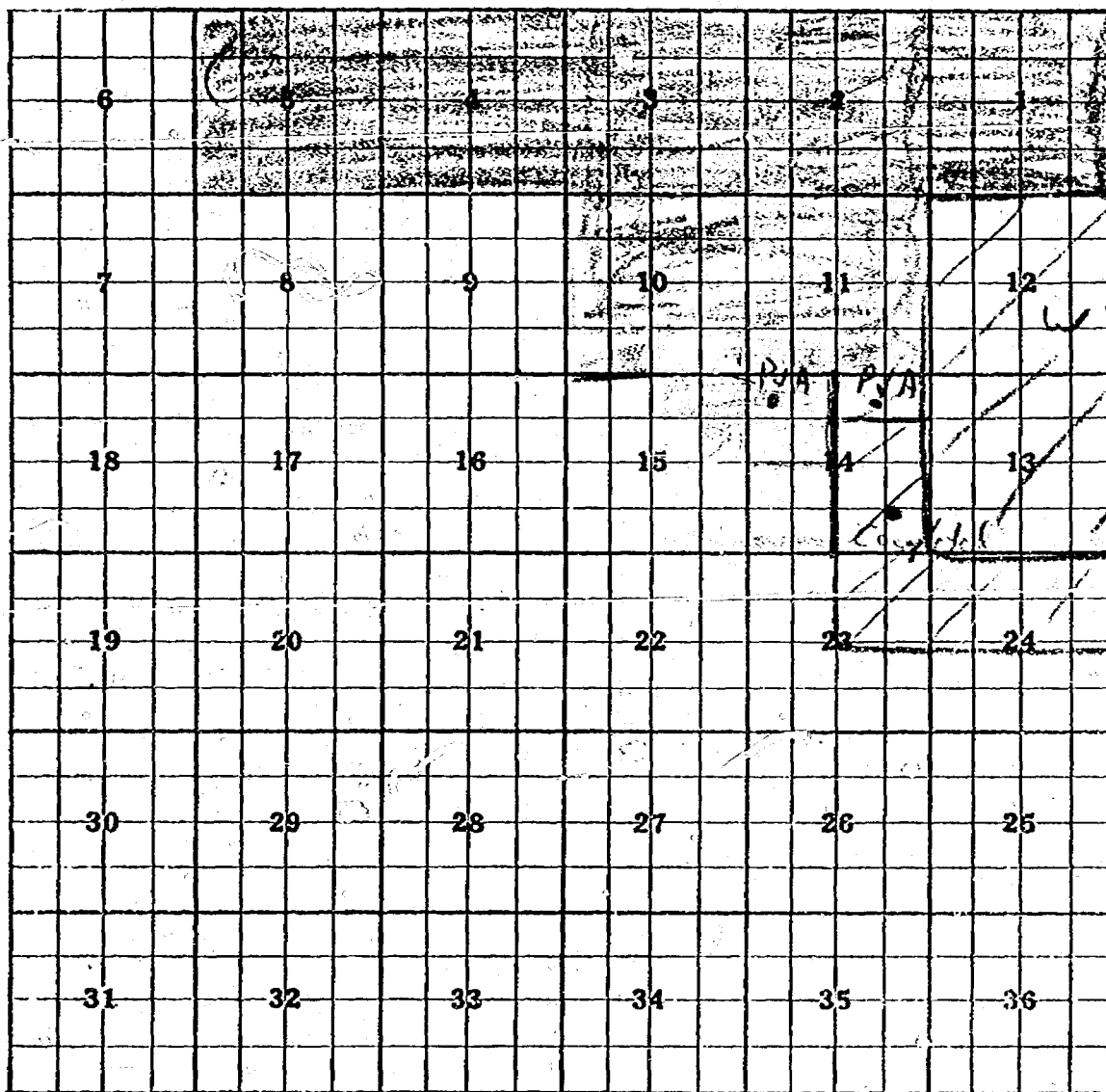
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W-Kutz

27N-12W

Township No. Range Principal Meridian

NORTH



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W-12W

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COUNTY

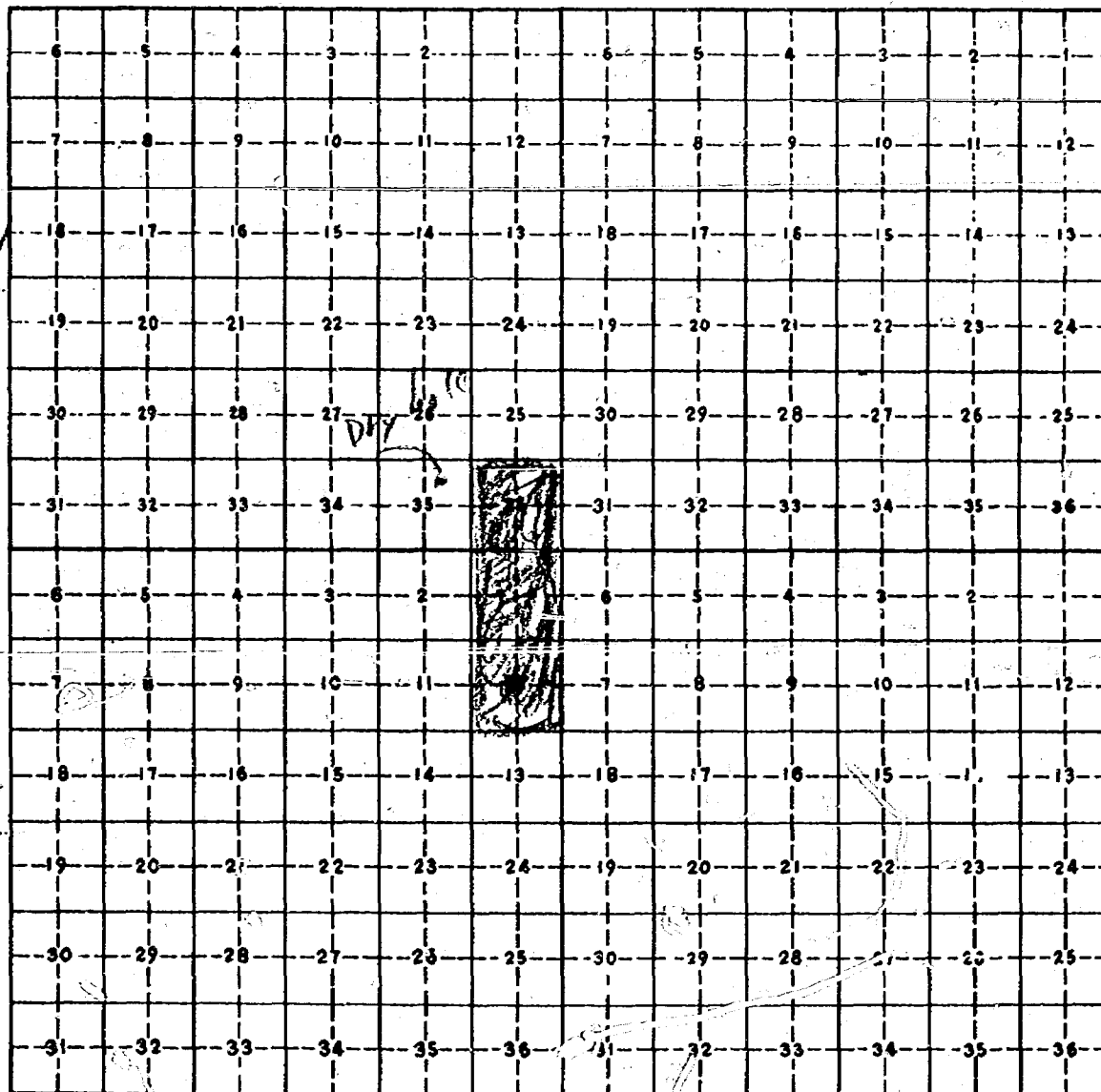
BASE AND MERIDIAN

RANGE *10 W*

RANGE *10 W*

TWP. *28 N*

TWP. *27 N*



*Katz - Fulcher*

San Juan COUNTY

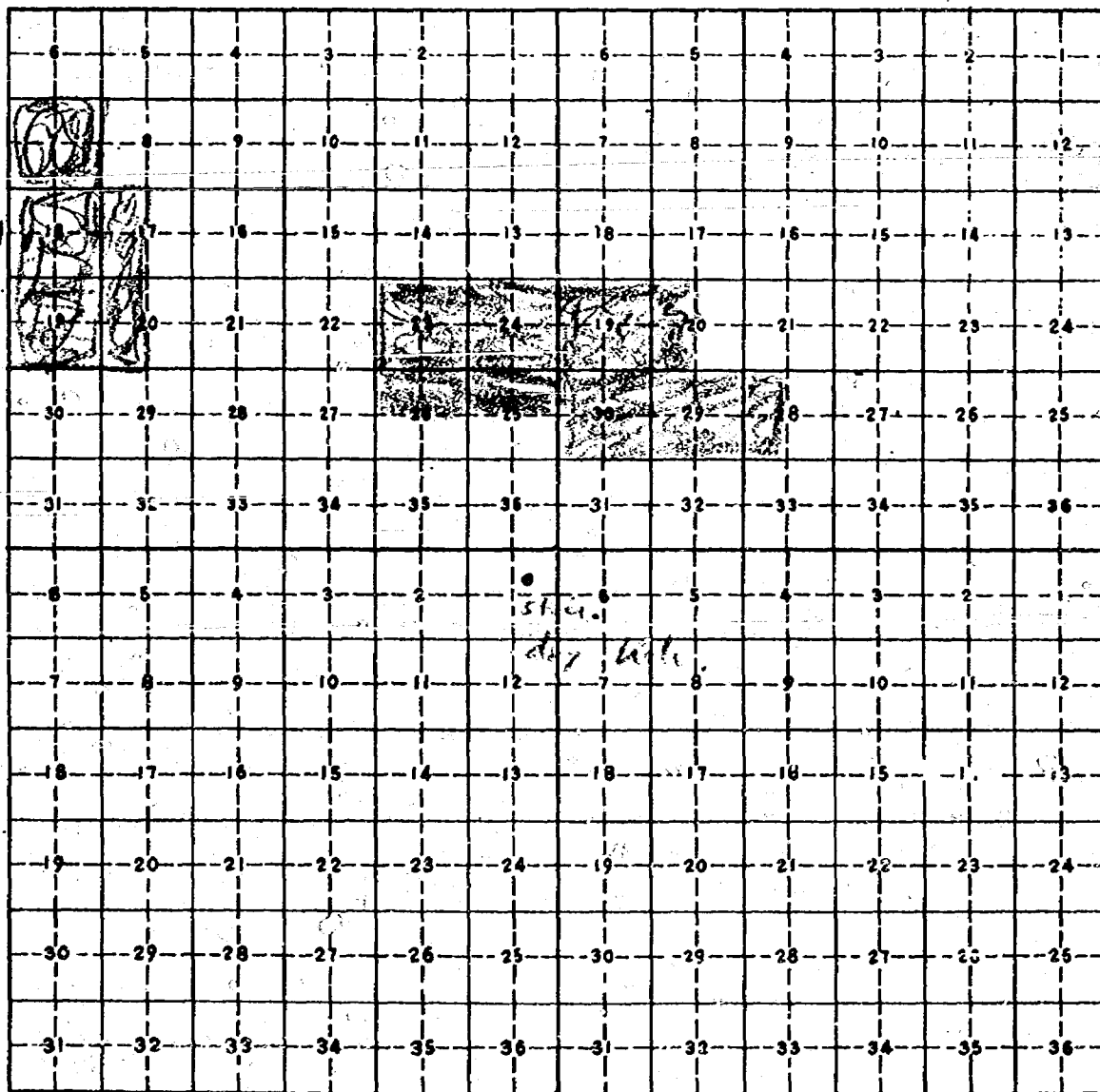
BASE AND MERIDIAN

RANGE 10W

RANGE 9W

TWP 27N

TWP 26N



Kut 2 Canyon

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*Issued by Staley*

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The State of New Mexico by its Oil Conservation Commission hereby gives notice pursuant to law and the rules and regulations of said Commission promulgated thereunder of the following public hearing to be held August 21, 1951, beginning at 10 o'clock a.m. on that day in the City of Santa Fe, New Mexico in the Council Chamber of the City Hall of said city.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

All named parties and all persons having  
any right, title, interest or claim in the  
following cases, and notice to the public.

CASE 298

In the matter of the application of the Oil Conservation Commission upon its own motion for consideration of creating new pools, correction of boundaries by deletion from or addition to existing pools, all producing formations considered, and the modifications of Orders 748, 799, and R-13, or any other order amendatory thereof or relating to pool boundaries in San Juan or Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico.

CASE 299

In the matter of the application of Ralph A. Johnston for an order approving the proposed Pincon Unit Agreement embracing 20,642.70 acres of land, described as:

New Mexico Principal Meridian:

Twp. 26 N. Rge. 6 W  
Section 6

Twp. 27 N. Rge. 6 W  
Sects. 16 - 23 inclusive  
Sects. 26 - 32 inclusive

Twp. 26 N. Rge. 7 W  
Sects. 1 and 2; all of 11 and 12

Twp. 27 N. Rge. 7 W  
Sects. 13 and 14; E/2 of 15, E/2 of 22;  
All of Sections 23 - 26 inclusive;  
NE/4, S/2 of 27; S/2 of 28; all of  
Sections 33 - 36, inclusive.

All in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

CASE 300

In the matter of the application of Delhi Oil Corporation for an order authorizing communitization of certain extreme western quarter sections of Sections 6, 7, 18, 19, 30 and 31 of Townships 29 and 30 North, Range 8 West, NMPM, in San Juan County, New Mexico, for the establishment of eight drilling units therein approximating in size the drilling units heretofore authorized by the rules and regulations of the Commission.

CASE 301

In the matter of the application of Williams and Reed for an order approving an unorthodox well location for its No. 6 State well 1595' from the east line and 1180' from the south line in NW/4 SW/4 SE/4 Section 17, Township 18 S, Range 28 E, NMFM, in the Artesia Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

CASE 302

In the matter of the application of Howard Hogan, et al, for an order authorizing the dual completion (gas - oil) of their No. 1 Jack well, located in SW/4 NW/4 Section 8, Twp. 24 S, Rge. 37 E, NMFM, Lea County, N. M.

CASE 303

In the matter of the application of the Oil Conservation Commission upon its own motion for an order correcting pool boundaries, extension of existing pools, and/or creating new pools, as follows:

- (a) For Harvey E. Yates Page & Yates Well No. 5 located 2310' from the south line and 330' from the west line of Sect. 5, Twp. 20 S, Rge. 27 E, Eddy County, N. M.
- (b) For Amerada Petroleum Corporation's State B.T. "K" Well No. 1, located 660' from the south line and 1980' from the west line of Sect. 34, Twp. 11 S, Rge. 33 E, NMFM, in Lea County, New Mexico.
- (c) For Geo. D. Riggs' Welch & Yates Federal No. 1 well located 1650' from the south line and 2310' from the east line of Section 5, Twp. 21 S, Rge. 27 E, NMFM, Eddy County, N. M.
- (d) For Continental Oil Co.'s Warren Unit B-27 Well No. 1, located 1980' from the north line and 660' from the west line, Sect. 27, Twp. 20 S, Rge. 38 E, NMFM, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (e) Southern California Petroleum Corp.'s Valley Land Co. No. 1 well, located 2310' from the north line and 2310' from the west line of Sect. 7, Twp. 24 S, Rge. 29 E.

CASE 304

In the matter of the application of Nelson-Moore Development Company, a partnership, for an order authorizing an exception to the rules and regulations and permitting an unorthodox carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) well location 165' east of the west line and 165' north of the south line of SW/4 SE/4 of Section 33, Twp. 30 N, Rge. 29 E, NMFM.

CASE 305

In the matter of the application of Sun Oil Company, a corporation, for an order approving a proposed unit agreement for the development and operation of the Pinon Unit Area, embracing lands as follows:

Township 19 S, Range 16 E, NMFM

Section 13: SE/4 NE/4, SE/4, E/2 SW/4, SW/4 SW/4,  
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4

Section 14: SE/4

(Continued)

Section 23: E/2 W/2, E/2

Section 24: All

Section 25: N/2

Township 19 South. Range 17 East. NMPM

Section 7: S/2 S/2

Section 8: S/2 SW/4

Section 16: SW/4

Section 17: All

Section 18: All

Section 19: All

Section 20: All

Section 21: W/2, W/2 E/2

Section 28: W/2

Section 29: All

Section 30: All

All of which is in Chaves County, New Mexico.

GIVEN under the seal of the Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico,  
this 7th day of August, 1951.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

R. R. SPURRIER, Secretary

SEAL

N. M. OIL & GAS ENGINEERING COMMITTEE  
HOBBS, NEW MEXICO  
August 10, 1951

WEST KUTZ CANYON - PICTURED CLIFFS POOL

The West Kutz Canyon and Southwest Kutz Canyon - Pictured Cliffs gas pools to be consolidated and hereinafter known as the West Kutz Canyon Pictured Cliffs gas pool, and extended to include certain extensions in T 27 N - R 11 & 12 W, San Juan County.

FULCHER - KUTZ - PICTURED CLIFFS GAS POOL

To be extended to include certain new wells in T 27, & 28 N - R 9, 10, & 11 W, San Juan County.

DOGIE CANYON POOL

Create new pool to cover oil and gas discoveries in T 26 N - R 6W, Rio Arriba County. By Doswell - Pettigrew et al.  
to be known as Dogie Canyon - Tocito  
oil pool.