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CASE NO. 268

April 24, 1951

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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

April 24, 1951

CASE NO. 268: Boyd-Plemohs unorthodox Location Continental State No. 3 27-17-29.

(Mr. Graham reads order of publication.)
MR. CROCKER: My name is John Crocker.
(Witness sworn.)

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having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

By MR. CROCKER:

- Q State your name please.
- A Tom Boyd.
- Q Where do you live, Mr. Boyd?
- A Artesia, New Mexico.
- Q Are you a member of the firm of Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q You are a drilling contractor and operator?
- A That*s right.
- Q Does Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company hold a lease in the Grayburg Jackson pool?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q What is the description of that lease?
- A It is the west half of the northwest corner of Section

- 27, Township 18 South and Range east.
- Q Is that a state or federal lease?
- A State lease.
- Q How many wells have been drilled on that lease?
- A Two wells,
- Q Are those wells producing at the present time?
- A Yes.
- Q From what depth are they producing?
- A From 26 to 27 hundred feet.
- Q What do you call the horizon from which they are producing?
- A The Grayburg Jackson.
- Q Is this a farm-out from the Continental Oil Company that you acquired?
- A It is.
- Q To what depth do you hold oil and gas rights?
- A Thirty-five hundred feet.
- Q How are the two wells located upon this 80 acre spaced there?
- A They are located in the center of each 40 acres.
- Q Mr. Boyd, are you familiar with the unorthodox five spot drilling program that General American Oil Company of Texas and American Republic Corporation are carrying on?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q Are you familiar with their contention that one well in this pool is not sufficient to completely drain that 40 acres?

 A Yes, sir.

- Q What is your opinion with reference to that contention?
- A Well, in my opinion if the third well is drilled, if it we isn*t drilled that/will not get, you know our full drainage of oil in that particular area.
- Q In other words, you don't think one well will drain 40 acres?
- A No, sir.
- Q You desire to drill a third well on this 80 acre lease?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q To the Grayburg Jackson pay?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q Where is the proposed location?
- A It is 1945 feet from the north line and 990 from the west line.
- Q To correct you, isn't it 1345 south of the north line?
- A What did you say?
- Q Instead of 1945 -
- A 1345.
- Q In other words, it would be 25 feet south of the north line of the south 40?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q And three hundred thirty feet west of the east line of the south 40?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q Who owns the lease adjoining this lease to the east?
- A The American Republic Corporation.
- Q Have you discussed this location with any representative of American Republic Corporation?

- A I have.
- Q Who did you talk to?
- A I talked to Bill Macy.
- Q What is Bill Macy's position?
- A He has no objections to this unorthodox location.
- Q What is his position with the company?
- A Pardon me I would say he was area superintendent.
- Q Of production?
- A Of the production department. However, you might put it, I don't know his capacity but I would probably say, probably New Mexico.
- Q But that company has no objections to the proposed location? A No, sir.
- Q Mr. Boyd, if you were granted permission to drill this location, how do you propose to handle the allowable, or how do you propose that the allowable be handled by the Commission for that well?
- A I would propose that the allowable be set for the two wells which will be located on the South 40, not to exceed the allowable which is granted by the Commission.
- Q In other words, this well would constitute the second well on the south 40?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q And the Commission would set the allowable for the south 40?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q And you would take that allowable from both wells?
- A The allowabel, yes.

- Q The withdrawals from the two wells wouldn't exceed the allowable for the 40 acre unit?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q You don't ask for any additional allowable?
- A No, sir.
- Q In the event that this well should be non-productive in the Grayburg zone, what is your intention in that case? What have you asked the Commission to permit youto do? A Our intention, and we have asked the Commission to drill to what is known as the Paddock or the lower Grayburg, I don't know how it is designated, which is approximately 3250 feet.
- Q If you completed the well as a producing well in the Grayburg, then this Paddock test would wait until some later time?
- A Yes, sir.
- Q Now, Mr. Boyd, the location of this well would only be 25 feet south of the south line of the north 40 acres. Now, are you willing, if this permit is granted, to execute a stipulation to the Commission where in you would agree that the 80 acres for assignment purposes would be treated as a unit and that you would not assign either 40 separately from the other.
- A Yes, sir.
- Q So long as this well produced until it was properly plugged and abandoned?
- A Yes, sir.

MR. MC CORMICK: This is a farm-out from Continental?

MR. McCORMICK: The legal title of the lease is in your A Yes.

The legal title to the state lease is in Continental name? oil Company's name. There is a farm-out agreement which is off record in the County Office which grants them exclusive operating rights down to a depth of 7500 feet. The Continental has a blanket bond and Boyd-Plemons in turn have put up a performance bond with Continental.

MR. SPURRIER: Is this well located 330 feet from the lease line of American Republic Corporation?

MR. McCORMICK: If you should get a Paddock well there what would you do about the off-set in the north 40? A Our plans at the present time to that - really hadn*t entered the picture, our plans at the present time, if we deplete our well on the north 40 to drill it to the Paddock

MR. SPURRIER: Are there any further questions of pay. If not, the witness may be excused. this witness? (Witness excused.)

CERTIFICATE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached transcript of the hearing in Case No. 268, before the Oil Conservation Commission, on April 24, 1951, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, is a true and complete record of the same to the best of my knowledge skill and ability.

DATED at Albuquerque, the _____ day of April, 1951.

ADA DEARNLEY, Reporter

E. E. GREESON

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ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 268

THE APPLICATION OF BOYD-PLEMONS DRILL-ING COMPANY FOR PERMIT TO DRILL AN UN-ORTHODOX LOCATION KNOWN AS CONTINENTAL-STATE WELL NO. 3, 1345 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTH LINE AND 990 FEET EAST OF THE WEST LINE OF THE W/2 OF THE NW/4 OF SEC-TION 27, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, N.M.P.M., IN EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEX-ICO. ORDER NO. R-72

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This matter came on for hearing at 10:00 A. M. on the 24th day of April, 1951, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission".

NOW, on this 24 day of April , 1951, the Commission, having before it for consideration the testimony adduced at said hearing, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

- 1. That due public notice having been given, as provided by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause.
- 2. That Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company is the owner and holder of the following described Oil and Gas Lease, situated in Eddy County, State of New Mexico, towit:

That certain Oil and Gas Lease, made and entered into on May 10, 1938, between the State of New Mexico, acting by and through its Commissioner of Public Lands, and Continental Oil Company, bearing State of New Mexico Lease No. B-7596, insofar as said lease covers the W/2 NW/4 of Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, N.M.P.M., to a depth of 3500 feet beneath the surface.

- 3. That from inception of production to the present time there has been drilled a total of two wells on the Continental State Lease, described above, and both of said wells are producing at the present time. That both of said wells are producing from the Grayburg-Jackson Pay of the Upper San Andres Formation, encountered at an approximate depth of 2500 feet.
- 4. That Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company proposes to drill an unorthodox location known as Continental-State Well No. 3, to be located 1345 feet South of the North Line and 990 feet East of the West Line of the W/2 NW/4 of Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, N.M.P.M.
- 5. That Applicant does not ask for any additional allowable by reason of the drilling and completing of said unorthodox location in the Grayburg-Jackson Pay of the Upper San Andres Formation, but it is the intention of Applicant to produce from the two wells producing from the Grayburg-Jackson Pay, located upon the forty acre legal subdivision, the allowable as fixed by the Oil Conservation Commission for said forty acre proration unit upon which said two wells are located, and in no event will the combined daily production from the two wells located upon this forty acre legal subdivision exceed the allowable as fixed by the Oil Conservation Commission for the forty acre proration unit.

6. That in the event said Continental-State Well No. 3 is drilled at the location hereinabove provided, and in the further event said well should be dry and non-productive in the Grayburg-Jackson Pay of the Upper San Andres Formation, then and in that event, Applicant desires to have permission to drill said Continental-State Well to a depth sufficient to test the Paddock Pay, which is expected to be encountered at an approximate depth of 3250 feet.

7. That the drilling of said Continental-State Well No. 3 to the Grayburg-Jackson Pay, at the location applied for, would be in the interest of conservation, prevent waste and enable Applicant to obtain a greater recovery of oil, in that Applicant would be able to recover substantial quantities of oil that would not otherwise be produced if such location was not drilled.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, BY THE COMMISSION, that the Application of Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company for an Order granting permit to drill the unorthodox location known as Continental-State Well No. 3, at the location designated in said Application, and hereinabove set forth, be and the same is hereby granted and approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that upon completion of said Continental-State Well No. 3 in the Grayburg-Jackson Pay, as a producing well, the two wells located upon this forty acre subdivision shall be permitted to produce only such daily allowable as shall be fixed by Order of the Oil Conservation Commission for the forty acre proration unit upon which said well is located.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that Boyd-Plemons Drilling

Company execute and file with the Oil Conservation Commission a Stipulation, wherein they agree to treat the forty acre tract upon which the Continental-State Well No. 3 is located and the forty acre tract adjoining, described as NW/4 NW/4 Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, N. M.P.M., as a single unit for the purpose of assignment, and that neither of these forty acre tracts will be separately assigned to any person, firm or corporation, until such time as Well No. 3 shall have been plugged and abandoned.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that in the event Continental-State Well No. 3 is dry and non-productive in the Grayburg-Jackson Pay, Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company be, and they are hereby granted permission to drill said Continental-State Well No. 3 to a depth sufficient to test the Paddock Pay, which is expected to be encountered at a depth of approximately 3250 feet.

Done at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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CHAIRMAN

MEMBER/

SECRETARY

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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OF THE NW/4 OF SECTION 27, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, ORDER NO. R.72 RANGE 29 EAST, N.M.P.M., IN EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

STIPULATION

BOYD-PLEMONS DRILLING COMPANY a Co-Partnership composed of Tom Boyd and Jack Plemons, do hereby stipulate, covenant and agree with the Oil Conservation Commission of the State of New Mexico, that in consideration of the Oil Conservation Commission granting permission to Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company to drill Continental-State Well No. 3 as an unorthodox location, to be located 1345 feet South of the North Line and 900 feet East of the West Line of the W/2 NW/4 of Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, the SW/4 NW/4 of said Section 27, upon which said Well No. 3 is to be located, and the adjoining forty acre tract, described as the NW/4 NW/4 Section 27, shall henceforth and hereafter be considered as a single unit for the purpose of any assignment of oil and gas lease covering said eighty acre tract, and that Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company agree that neither of these forty acre tracts shall be separately assigned by them to any person, firm or corporation, until such time as Continental-State Well No. 3 shall have been properly plugged and abandoned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, This Stipulation is executed

this 24 day of April, 1951, at Artesia, New Mexico.

BOYD-PLEMONS DRILLING COMPANY A Co-Partnership

By Jan Boyd
Tom Boyd

LAW OFFICES JOHN E. COCHRAN, JR. CARPER BUILDING ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO March 22, 1951

Mr. George Graham, Attorney State Land Office Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is Application of Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company for permission to drill an unorthodox location known as Continental-State Well No. 3, to be located 1345 feet South of the North Line and 990 feet located 1345 feet South of the W/2 NW/4 Section 27, Township East of the West Line of the W/2 NW/4 Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, N.M.P.M., in Eddy County, New Mexico Mexico.

It is my understanding that this Application will be heard at the Commission hearing on April 24, 1951.

With kindest personal regards, I am

John E. Cochran, Jr.

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APPLICATION

BOYD-PLEMONS DRILLING COMPANY, Applicant herein, respectfully shows to the Oil Conservation Commission:

1. Applicant is a co-partnership composed of Tom Boyd and Jack Plemons, and has its office at Artesia, New Mexico, and is the owner and holder of the following described oil and gas lease, situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

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- 3. That both of said wells are producing from the Grayburg-Jackson Pay of the Upper San Andres Formation, encountered at an approximate depth of 2500 feet.
- 4. That Applicant, on the basis of geological and engineering information, is advised and is of the opinion

subdivision is not sufficient to obtain all of the recoverable oil under any one forty-acre tract, and that the drilling of an unorthodox location designated as Well No. 3, on the location shown on the map attached hereto, marked Exhibit "A" and by reference made a part hereof, and which would constitute the second producing well on the SW/4 of NW/4 of Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, N.M. P.M., would be in the interest of conservation, prevent waste and enable applicant to obtain a greater recovery of oil, in that Applicant would be able to recover substantial quantities of oil that would not otherwise be produced, if such location was not drilled.

5. Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company desires, and hereby makes application, to drill Continental-State Well No. 3, at the following location:

WELL NO. 3, Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, N.M.P.M., to be located 1345 feet South of the North Line and 990 feet East of the West Line of the W/2 NW/4 Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 29 East, N.M.P.M.

6. That in the event an order is entered by the Oil Conservation Commission granting permission to Applicant to drill the hereinabove described unorthodox location at the location designated, it is not Applicant's intention, nor does Applicant ask that it be granted any allowable in addition to the daily allowable, as fixed monthly by the Oil Conservation Commission for the forty-acre proration unit upon which said unorthodox location is drilled, and which will constitute a second well upon said forty acre legal subdivision, but it is the intention of Applicant to produce from the two wells, producing from the Grayburg-Jackson Pay, located upon this forty acre legal

subdivision, the allowable as fixed by the Oil Conservation Commission for said forty acre proration unit upon which said two wells are located, and in no event will the combined daily production from the two wells located upon this forty acre legal subdivision exceed the allowable as fixed by the Oil Conservation Commission for the forty acre proration unit.

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WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that the Commission set a date for hearing this Application in accordance with its rules and regulations, and that upon presentation of this Application, Applicant be granted permission to drill the unorthodox location hereinabove described, and that a proper order be entered granting permission to Applicant to produce the daily allowable from the forty acre proration unit upon which said unorthodox location is located, and which constitutes a second well upon such forty acre proration unit, at such rate as will in no event exceed the allowable as fixed by the Oil Conservation Commission for wells producing from the Grayburg-Jackson Pay for the forty acre proration unit upon which said two wells are located?

John E. Cochran, Jr.
308 Carper Building
Artesia, New Mexico
Attorney for Applicant,
Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO) : ss COUNTY OF EDDY)

JOHN E. COCHRAN, JR., being first duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states: That he is Attorney for the Applicant in the above and foregoing Application; that he has read the same and from personal knowledge knows the matters therein contained to be true and correct, except such statements as are alleged upon information and belief and as to those, he verily believes them to be true; that this verification is made by him on behalf of BOYD-PLEMONS DRILLING COMPANY because a representative or agent of Boyd-Plemons Drilling Company is not available to sign this Application.

John Z. Cochran, Jr.

with Darshau Notary Public

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, this 22nd day of March, 1951.

My commission expires:

April 15, 1954

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Commission Case 268		said Commission promulgated thereunder, of the following pub- lic hearing to be held April 24.
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The State of New Mexico by its Oil
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PUBLISHER'S BILL

Received payment,

Affidavit of Publication

State of New Mexico County of Santa Fe

1, Will Harrison being first duly sworn, declare and say that I am the (Propersistingser) (Editor) of the Santa Fe New Haxlaan , a daily newspaper, published in the English Language, and having a general circulation in the City and County of Santa Fe, State of New Mexico, and being a newspaper duly qualified to publish legal notices and advertisements under the provisions of Chapter 167 of the Session Laws of 1937; that the publication, a copy which is hereto attached, was published in said paper once zachocock for time resident and the second and the regular issue of the paper during the time of publication, and that the notice was published in the newspaper proper, and not in any supplement, once participant for 1 time medication being on the 28 th day of March , 19 51, and the last mublicat daycesk MARK TONISHING. ____, TR_____; that payment for said advertisement has been (duly made), or (assessed as court costs); that the undersigned has personal knowledge of the matters and things set forth in this affidavit. wellberry Editor-Manager lines, one time at \$ 3.10 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th lines, ____times, \$____ Tax \$08 Total \$ 8.06 My Commission expires une 14, 1953

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March 26, 1951

SANTA FE NEW MEXICAN Santa Fe, New Mexico

ARTESIA ADVOCATE Artesia, New Mexico

RE: Case 268

Gentlemen:

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Please publish the enclosed notice one time immediately on receipt of this request. Please proofread the notice carefully and send a copy of the paper carrying such notice to this office.

Upon completion of the publication, send publisher's affidavit in duplicate.

For payment, please submit statement in duplicate and sign and return the enclosed voucher (do not fill in voucher).

PLEASE PUBLISH NOT LATER THAN MARCH 29, 1951.

Very truly yours,

Secretary and Director

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 April 24, 1951, beginning at 10:00 a.m. on that day in the City of Santa Fe, New Mexico, in the Council Chamber of the City Hall.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:
All named parties in the following cases and notice to the public:

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GIVEN under the seal of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on March 26, 1951.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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