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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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

> CASE No. 3386 Order No. R-3052

APPLICATION OF SUNRAY DX OIL COMPANY FOR A DUAL COMPLETION AND SALT WATER DISPOSAL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on March 23, 1966, at Santa Pe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 1st day of April, 1966, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.
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DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

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STATE GEOLOGIST A. L. PORTER, JR. SECRETARY - DIRECTOR

P.O.BOX 2088 SANTA FE

April 1, 1966

Mr. Charles White White, Gilbert, Koch & Kelly Attorneys at Law Post Office Box 787 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Case No. 3386
Order No. R-3052
Applicant:

SUNRAY DX OIL COMPANY

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced Commission order recently entered in the subject case.

Very truly yours,

L. L. Forter,

A. L. PORTER, Jr.

Secretary-Director

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Carbon copy of order also sent to:

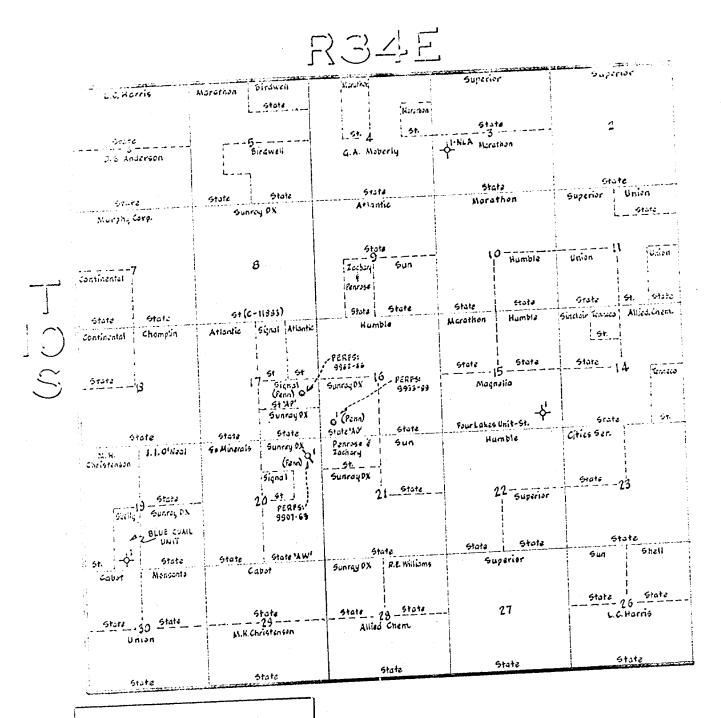
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OPERATORS & LESSORS

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SIMINOLA PIULD AREA T-10-S - R-34-E Lea County, New Mexico

Allied Chemicals Corp. 5 Union Texas Petroleum P. O. Box 196 Midland, Texas

D. B. Anderson Alo East College Roswell, New Mexico

Atlantic Refining Co. P. O. Box 1978
Roswell, New Mexico

Birdwoll Oil Co. Security Nat'l Bk. Bldg. Roswell, New Mexico

Cabot Corporation P. O. Box 4395 Midland, Texas

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Champlin Oil & Refining Co. P. O. Box 1797 Midland, Texas

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Continental Oil Co. P. O. Box h60 Hobbs, New Mexico

L. C. Harris P. C. Box 1714 Roswell, New Mexico Humble Oil & Refining P. O. Box 1650 Hobbs, New Mexico

Marathon Gil Go. P. O. Box 2107 Hobbs, New Mexico

G. A. Moberly P. O. Box 629 Midland, Texas

Monsanto Chemical Co. Drawer 1829 Midland, Texas

Murphy Oil Corp.
Murphy Building
El Dorado, Arkansas

J. I. O'Neal Lilo West Ohio Midland, Texas

Pan American Petr. Corp. P. O. Box 68 Hobbs, New Mexico

Shell Oil Co. P. O. Box 1509 Midland, Texas

Signal Oil & Gas Co. 509 West Texas Midland, Texas

Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. P. O. Box 1920 Hobbs, New Mexico Skelly Oil Co. P. O. Box 730 Hobbs, New Mexico

Southern Minerals Corp. P. O. Box 1816 Midland, Texas

Sun Oil Company P. O. Box 2880 Dallas, Texas

Sunray DX Oil Co. P. O. Box 1116 Roswell, New Mexico

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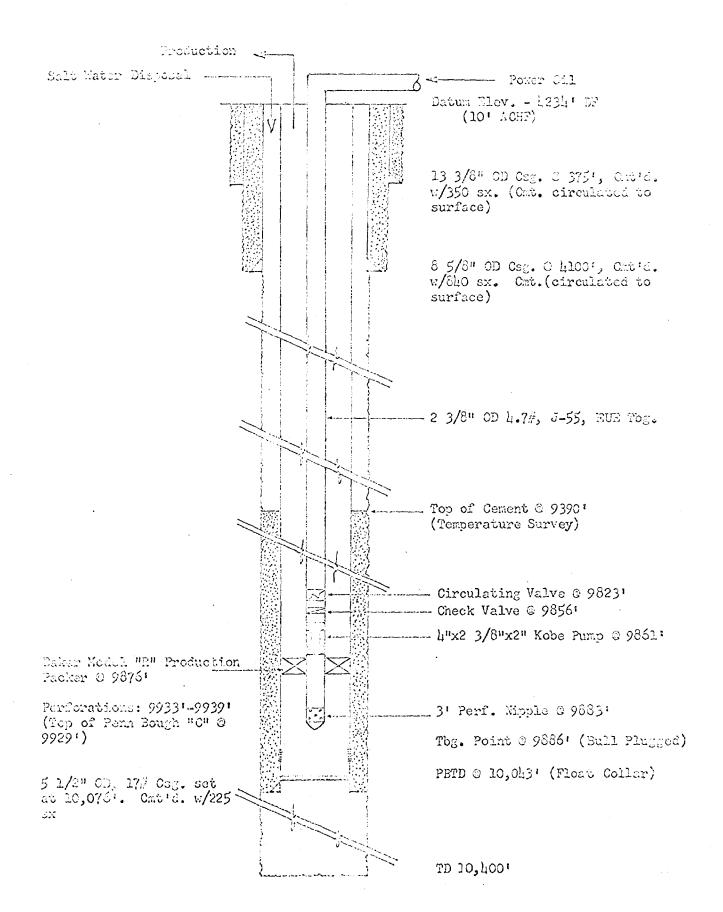
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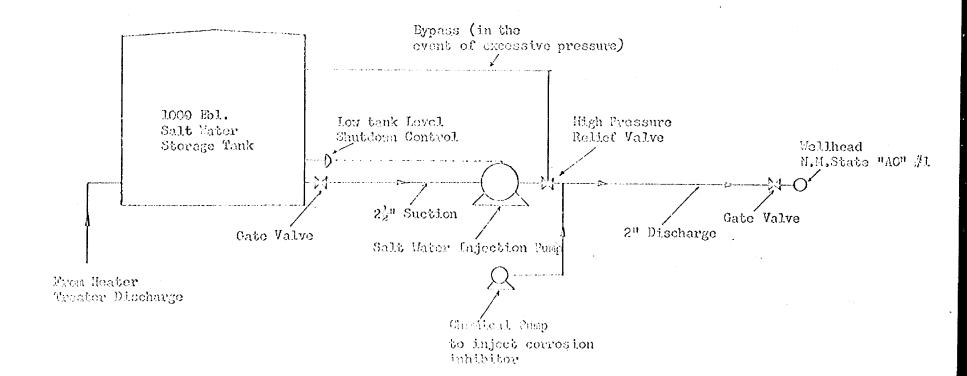
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1965	January Pebruary March April May June July August September October November December	5,823 5,468 5,460 5,666 5,666 5,584 1,303 1,301 2,057 1,149	1,400 1,200 1,300 1,000 1,000 1,000 1,000 1,200 21,700 17,500 11,200	78,651 84,119 89,609 95,289 100,935 106,519 112,103 116,501 117,804 121,505 123,562 124,711	7,258 8,458 9,758 10,758 11,758 12,758 13,758 23,758 24,958 46,658 64,158 78,358
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INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

Date

January 17, 1966

Subject:

RM63-EX8

Mater Disposal Zones SDM #1 State "A0" Sec. 16, T-10-S, R-34-E

Lea County, New Mexico

To: Mr. B. F. Brawley

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Following are porous intervals suitable for water disposal purposes:

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PRODUCTION CASING

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0-48251	5 1/2"	17	J-55-New	LT&C	4500
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OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

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CASE NO. 3386

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March 2, 1966

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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission State Capitol Santa Fe, New Mexico

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Gentlemen:

Sunray DX Oil Company informally makes application for permission to dispose of produced water from its New Mexico State "AO" Well No. 1 and its New Mexico State "AW" Well No. 1 located in Lea County, New Mexico, all as more fully set forth in the enclosed attachments. It will be appreciated if this matter can be set for hearing before an examiner on March 23, 1966.

In accordance with Rule 701, we have forwarded a copy of this letter together with attachments to the State Engineer, P. O. Box 1079, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Very truly yours,

L. C. WHITE

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CC: Mr. Frank E. Irby, State Engineer P. O. Box 1079, Santa Fe, N. M.

EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - MARCH 23, 1966

9 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION CONFERENCE ROOM, STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING - SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following cases will be heard before Daniel S. Nutter, Examiner, or Elvis A. Utz, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 3385: Application of Sinclair Oil & Gas Company for a non-standard gas proration unit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of a non-standard gas proration unit comprising the S/2 of Section 19, Township 23 South, Range 37 East, Jalmat Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, said unit to be dedicated to applicant's E. L. Steeler Wells Nos. 1, 2, and 3 located in Units P, K, and L, respectively, of said Section 19. Applicant further seeks authority to produce the allowable assigned to said unit from any of the aforesaid wells in any proportion.

CASE 3386:

Application of Sunray DX Oil Company for a dual completion and salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of the dual completion (conventional) of its New Mexico State "AO" Well No. 1 located in Unit M of Section 16, Township 10 South, Range 34 East, Simanola Pennsylvanian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, in such a manner as to produce oil from the Pennsylvanian formation through perforations from 9933 feet to 9939 feet and to dispose of produced salt water into the San Andres and Glorieta formations through the annulus between the 8 5/8 and the 5 1/2 inch casing to the interval from 4100 feet to 9390 feet.

CASE 3387:

Application of Charles B Read for a dual completion and downhole commingling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of the dual completion (conventional) of his Bogle Farms Well No. 1 located in Unit L of Section 13, Township 16 South, Range 31 East, Eddy County New Mexico, in such a manner as to produce gas from an approximate depth of 3300 feet, West Mesa-Queen Gas Pool, and to produce oil from an approximate depth of 3600 feet, Bunker Hill-Queen Oil Pool, separating the zones by means of a packer and pressure-operated gas entry valve, utilizing said gas to gas lift the oil.

CASE 3388:

Application of Charles B. Read for special rules for the Llano-Pennsylvanian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the promulgation of special pool rules for the Llano-Pennsylvanian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, including a provision for 160-acre proration units.

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1120 SIMMS BLDG. • P. O. BOX 1092 • PHONE 243.6691 • ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

BEFORE THE
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
March 23, 1966

EXAMINER .

HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application of Sunray DX Oil Company for a dual completion and salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico.

Case No. 3386

BEFORE:

Daniel S. Nutter, Chief Engineer

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MR. WHITE: If the Examiner please, Charles White appearing on behalf of the applicant and we have one witness to be sworn.

MR. DURRETT: Application of Sunray DX Oil Company for a dual completion and salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico.

(Witness sworn.)

(Whereupon, Applicant's Exhibits 1 through 7 marked for identification.)

B. F. BRAWLEY, a witness, having been first duly sworn, was examined and testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MR. WHITE:

- Q Will you state your name for the record?
- A B. F. Brawley.
- Q By whom are you employed and in what capacity?
- A Sunray DX Oil Company, District Engineer of the Roswell District.
- Q Are you familiar with the subject application and if so what does Sunray seek?
- A Sunray seeks to install a salt water disposal system in their New Mexico State "AO" Number 1, which would consist of an annular disposal between 8 5/8" immediate casing and 5 1/2" production string to the top of the cement to an open



Have you previously testified before the Commission?

Α No.

Would you mind stating your professional qualifications?

A 1956 graduate from the University of Oklahoma from the School of Petroleum Engineering; been employed with Sunray DX in various engineering capacities since graduation until my present job.

MR. WHITE: Are the witness's qualifications acceptable?

MR. NUTTER: They are acceptable.

(By Mr. White) Would you refer to what has been marked as Exhibit 1 and explain that exhibit?

Exhibit 1 is a plat near and around the New Mexico State "AO" Number 1, showing the leases and leasees. well shown in Section 16 is the New Mexico State "AO" Number 1 in which the annular disposal is salt. In Section 20 is the Sunray DX New Mexico State "AW" Number 1 which is temporarily abandoned. We propose to install lift equipment on this well and dispose of the water from the "AO" into there, and from the "AW" into the annular space of the "AO". Also shown are the perforations into the Pennsylvanian and the dry holes surrounding.



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P.O. BOX 10 BANK EAST A Yes, sir, in the area.

Q Would you give the production history of your "AO" Well Number 1 and in so doing refer to Exhibit Number 2?

history of the "AO" Number 1 since completion, through
January of 1966. It has produced a cumulative total of
13,000 barrels, I'm sorry, 125,984 barrels of oil, and
91,358 barrels of water. Production for January was 1,273
barrels of oil and 13,000 barrels of water.

Q What is the history of your State "AW" Number 1?

A The "AW" I was completed in May of 1965 in the Pennsylvanian, and swabbed with 5 percent oil and 5 percent water at that time. And we felt like we could not economically produce this well with those volumes, particularly in the anticipation of high water production.

Q Its present status is what?

A Temporarily abandoned; the tubing is out of the hole. We propose to run a down-hole hydraulic pump in a similar situation that is existing on the "AO" Number 1.

O How do you propose the salt water may be produced?

A Discharged from a heated treater and transported from the line. The salt water tank will be located on the "AO" battery.



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0 Would you explain Exhibit Number 3, the diagrammatic sketch of the down-hole equipment?

Exhibit 3 is a diagrammatic sketch of the completion of "AO" Number 1; shows tubing run with a down-hole hydraulic pump; installed a production packer at 9876; power oil is pumped down the tubing and actuates the pump. Both the surface and intermediate pipe were cemented to the surface, intermediate pipe being at 4100 feet and the 5 1/2 inch pipe was cemented to the top of the cement to 9390' which was determined by the temperature survey.

Now, refer to your surface completion as shown Q on Exhibit 4?

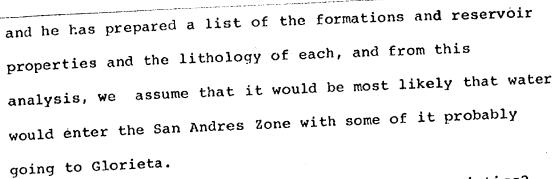
Exhibit Number 4 is a surface installation proposed, and this will be each of the heated treater, and this will discharge water into the tank; from there into an injection pump; and from there to the well head of the "AO" and down the annulus. Note there's a chemical pump installed on the down-side of the pump. A corrosion inhibitor will be injected to protect the inside of the 5/8 inch casing.

Would you explain your intervals of water disposal as shown on Exhibit 5?

Exhibit 5 as prepared by the District Exploitation Geologist where water would be most likely be injected into,



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- Q This also shows your reservoir characteristics?
- A Yes.
- Q Was Exhibit 5 prepared from logs or just from what source?
 - A Log analysis.
- Q Would you care to go into the logs, or is it self-explanatory?
- A Exhibit 6 is a copy of the base log ran on the "AO" Number 1, and it merely reiterates what we've said on other exhibits, and it's marked to the various depths of pipe and depths to each of the formations.
- Q Was a copy of the application, together with exhibits, furnished the State Engineer's office?
 - A They were.
- Ω Did you prepare any other exhibit to submit to the State Engineer?
- A Yes, Exhibit Number 7 was submitted to Mr. Frank Irby, who was concerned about the type of cementing jobs performed on the intermediate casing, and this Exhibit 7 is



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MR. WHITE: If the Examiner please, I think the correspondence will show the State Engineer shows no objection.

MR. NUTTER: Mr. White, I was looking for something along that nature a moment ago, and it's not in this file. We may have it someplace else around here. I see that you sent a copy of the application in your letter of transmittal of March the 2nd to the State Engineer's office. Do you have a copy of his letter of reply?

MR. WHITE: Yes, sir. I have here a copy of a letter from Mr. Frank E. Irby addressed to Mr. Brawley, under date of February 28th; this is subsequent to certain information; "Your letter of February 21, 1966, in reply to mine of February 17th concerning your proposed application to the Oil Conservation Commission, to dispose of produced water of the "AO" Number 1 Well. Although I have not refused the application I do not see any reason for the granting of your application unless something else comes up between now and the hearing". And the application



was subsequently filed and he was furnished a copy of it.

I will be glad to introduce this.

MR. NUTTER: I think it's in the record, Mr. White.

- Q (By Mr. White) What you're anticipating is initial volumes?
- A 1400 barrels a day, and a maximum of 2,000 barrels a day, which would be out pump limitations; and at the pressure of probably 1500 pounds.
- Q In your opinion would the granting of this application prevent premature abandonment and the more efficient recovery of production?
 - A It would allow more efficient recovery.
- Q Were these exhibits prepared by you or under your direction or request?
 - A They were.

MR. WHITE: We offer Exhibit 1 through 7 into evidence.

(Whereupon, Applicant's Exhibits 1 through 7 offered into evidence.)

MR. NUTTER: If there are no objections Sunray's Exhibits 1 through 7 will be admitted in evidence.

(Whereupon, Applicant's Exhibits 1 through 7 admitted into evidence.)

MR. WHITE: That completes our presentation.



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MR. NUTTER: Anyone have any questions of Mr. Brawley?

CROSS-EXAMINATION

BY MR. NUTTER:

Q Mr. Brawley, has any bonding log or other type of log to show the efficiency of the cement job on the 5 1/2 inch pipe been run on this well?

A No, sir, the only thing we have is the temperature survey.

- Q Which shows the top?
- A Shows the top. No other logs have been run.
- Q Now, in the event that the corrosion inhibitor which is being placed in the salt water prior to its disposal, shouldn't provide sufficient protection, and the 5 1/2 inch casings in that interval somewhere along the top of the cement should become corroded and would have a hole, would you be able to detect it?
 - A Yes, in our surface production.
- Q You think the salt water would come into the 5 1/2 inch and you would have an increase in the salt water production, or would it be the oil would go out and be disposed of with the salt water?
- A I think the water would be leaked into the casing and it would be pumped under pressure and would show up in



the annulus.

- Q You mentioned you would inject at 1400 to 2000 barrels a day at surface pressure?
 - A That's right.
 - Q You would have a hydrostatic head?
- A Yes. This is well within the limits of the pressure of the capacity of the casing, and the hydrostatic head of 4.34 of PSI per foot. Actually, it gets into the range of 2,000 of surface pressure although we don't anticipate this high a pressure. This is, or course, neglecting any loss that we would have in the surface pressure.
- Q In your surface installation you show a high-pressure relief valve there to bypass into the tank, what would it be set at?
 - A 2,000 pounds; this would protect the casings.
 - Q What will the power oil injection pressure be?
- A About a hundred and seventy-five pounds, I believe, is the existing pressure right now; this might vary with increased volumes of water, which we anticipate.
- Q And right now at a hundred and seventy-five pounds you're lifting in the ratio of 10-1 as far as water production over oil?
 - A Right.

MR. NUTTER: Any other questions? The witness



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may be excused. Do you have anything further, Mr. White?

MR. WHITE: No, sir.

MR. NUTTER: Anyone have anything to offer in Case 3376? The Commission will take the case under advisement and call Case 3387.



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I, BOBBY J. DAVIS, Notary Public in and for the County of Bernalillo, State of New Mexico, do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached Transcript of Hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission was reported by me; and that the same is a true and correct record of the said proceedings, to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

Witness my Hand and Seal this 2nd day of May, 1966.

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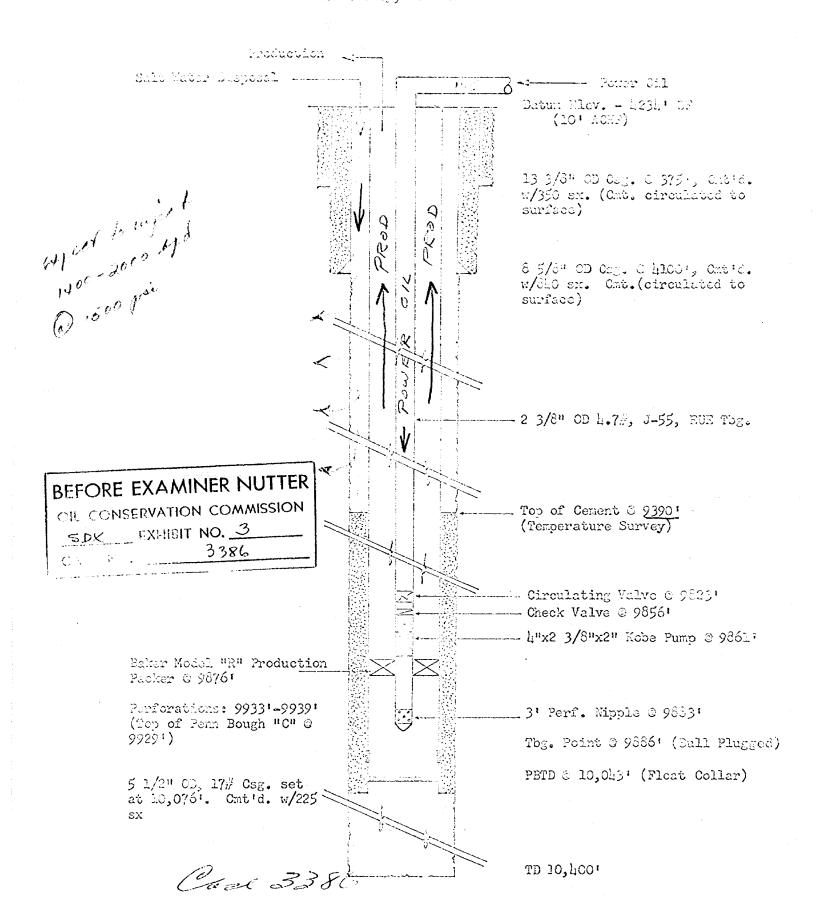
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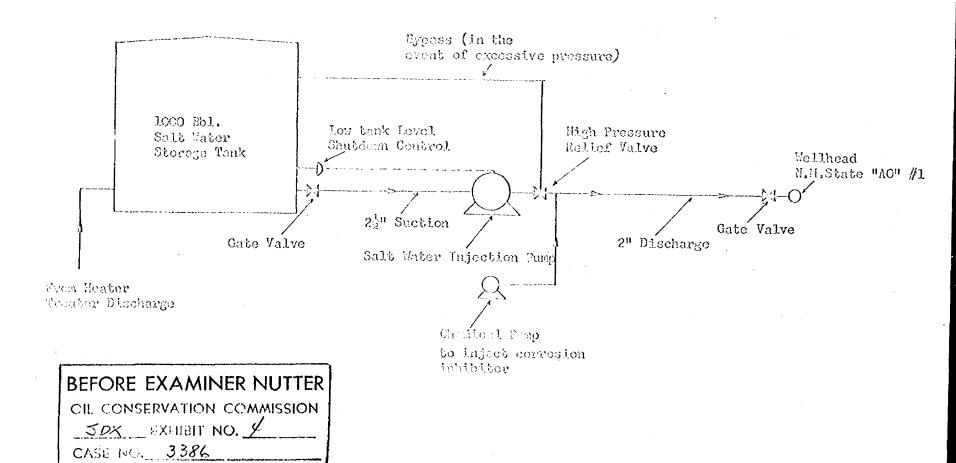
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To: Mr. B. F. Brawley

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Mr. P. J. Beaver

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Following are porous intervals suitable for water disposal purposes:

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