

CASE 3439: Hearing called by the OCC
— to permit SCANLON & SHEPARD to show _____
cause why certain wells should not
— be plugged and abandoned. _____

Case Number

3439

Application
Transcripts.

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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 ON ITS OWN MOTION TO PERMIT SCANLON AND SHEPARD AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES TO SHOW CAUSE WHY CERTAIN WELLS IN TOWNSHIP 20 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, NMPM, MCKINLEY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SHOULD NOT BE PLUGGED AND ABANDONED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COMMISSION-APPROVED PLUGGING PROGRAM.

CASE No. 3439
Order No. R-3173

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on January 4, 1967, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 9th day of January, 1967, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered 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.

(2) That the Attorney for the Commission stated at the hearing that the subject wells had been plugged prior to the hearing in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program and moved to dismiss the case.

(3) That Case No. 3439 should be dismissed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That Case No. 3439 is hereby dismissed.

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



esr/

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

David F. Cargo
DAVID F. CARGO, Chairman

Glyton B. Hays
GLYTON B. HAYS, Member

A. L. Porter, Jr.
A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 1, 1967

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

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Elvis A. Utz, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 3439: (This case continued from the October 11, 1966 examiner hearing
and will be dismissed).

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation
Commission on its own motion to permit Scanlon and Shepard and
all other interested parties to show cause why the following
Scanlon and Shepard wells in Township 20 North, Range 9 West,
McKinley County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned
in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program:
Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Lease: Wells Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, and
8, all in Unit P, No. 10 in Unit H, and No. 2 in Unit L, all in
Section 21; Well No. 6 in Unit L and Nos. 9 and 12 in Unit M
of Section 22 and Nos. 11 and 13 in Unit D of Section 27, Ray
Well No. 1 in Unit C, State Wells Nos. 1 and 2 in Unit A, and
State K-1887 No. 1 in Unit B, all in Section 28.

CASE 3440: (This case continued from the October 11, 1966, examiner
hearing and will be dismissed).

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Com-
mission on its own motion to permit Osborn & Weir, and all inter-
ested parties, to show cause why the following Osborn & Weir
wells in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley County, New
Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a
Commission-approved plugging program: Scanlon Well No. 17 in Unit P
of Section 21 and Nos. 14 and 18 in Unit M of Section 22, Scanlon
Ray Wells No. 5 in Unit A and No. 6 in Unit C of Section 28.

CASE 3441: (This case continued from the October 11, 1966, examiner hearing
and will be dismissed).

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation
Commission on its own motion to permit LaMar Trucking, Inc.,
and all interested parties, to show cause why their State Well
Well No. 1 located 495 feet from the North and West lines of
Section 28, Township 20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley County,
New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance
with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 3506: Application of Standard Oil Company of Texas for a unit agreement,
Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause,
seeks approval of the Maljamar-Grayburg Unit Area comprising
3,441 acres, more or less, of Federal, State and Fee lands in

Docket No. 1-67

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(Case 3506 continued)

Sections 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, and 15, Township
17 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

CASE 3507: Application of Standard Oil Company of Texas for a waterflood expansion, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to expand its Maljamar-Grayburg Waterflood Project in its proposed Maljamar-Grayburg Unit Area by the injection of water into the Grayburg formation through thirteen additional injection wells. Applicant also seeks administrative procedure for further expansion of said project at a later date.

CASE 3508: Application of Phillips Petroleum Company for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the approval of the Vacuum Abo Unit Area, comprising 3640 acres, more or less, of State and Fee lands in Townships 17 and 18 South, Range 35 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

CASE 3509: Application of Phillips Petroleum Company for a pressure maintenance project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to institute a pressure maintenance project in its Vacuum-Abo Unit by the injection of gas into the Abo Reef formation through two wells located in Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 35 East, and Section 4, Township 18 South, Range 35 East, Vacuum-Abo Reef Pool, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant further seeks the promulgation of special rules to govern operation of said pressure maintenance project.

CASE 3278 (Reopened)

In the matter of Case No. 3278 being reopened pursuant to the provisions of Order No. R-2944, which order established 80-acre spacing units for the Stateline-Ellenburger Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, for a period of eighteen months. All interested parties may appear and show cause why said pool should not be developed on 40-acre spacing units.

CASE 3277 (Reopened)

In the matter of Case No. 3277 being reopened to consider the necessity for the continuance of the special allowables assigned to wells in the Stateline-Ellenburger Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

- CASE 3510: Application of United States Smelting Refining and Mining Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for its Federal Well No. 2 at an unorthodox location 760 feet from the South line and 2080 feet from the West line of Section 11, Township 20 South, Range 34 East, Lea-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.
- CASE 3511: Application of Thomas A. Dugan for an unorthodox gas well location, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the Navajo Federal Well No. 1 completed in the Gallup formation at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the North and West lines of Section 26, Township 28 North, Range 15 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, said well to be dedicated to the NW/4 of said Section 26.
- CASE 3512: Application of Pubco Petroleum Corporation for force-pooling, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order force-pooling all mineral interests in the Basin-Dakota Gas Pool underlying the S/2 of Section 21, Township 26 North, Range 6 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, and allocating well costs including a risk factor for a well to be drilled on said spacing unit.
- CASE 3513: Application of Midwest Oil Corporation for special pool rules, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the promulgation of special pool rules for the Vada-Pennsylvanian Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, including a provision for 160-acre proration units.
- CASE 3514: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to consider suspending the scheduled cancellation of underproduction which accrued to certain wells in the Eumont Gas Pool during the first six months of 1966 and which was not made-up during the second six months period and was therefore subject to cancellation January 1, 1967. The underproduction being considered for suspension of cancellation accrued as a result of the sale of the connecting pipeline for said wells from an intra-state company to an inter-state company resulting in necessity for FPC approval of sales. The wells, which were shut-in and not produced during the period FPC approval was being obtained, are certain wells formerly connected to Southern Union Gas Company and owned by the following operators: De-Tex, Penrose, Tidewater, Fields, Atlantic, Skelly, Mark, Aristie, Aztec, and Great Western Drilling.

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 2088

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

LEGAL DIVISION

PHONE 827-2741

January 9, 1967

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Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company
Surety Claim Department
P. O. Box 927
Dallas, Texas

Re: Case No. 3439
Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company
\$10,000 Blanket Plugging Bond - Shepard
and Scanlon, Principal

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith a copy of Order No. R-3173
entered by the Commission in Case No. 3439.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. HATCH
Special Assistant
Attorney General

GMB/esr
Enclosure

cc: Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company
Surety Claim Department
c/o Schreiber Insurance Agency, Inc.
112 North Behrend Avenue
Farmington, New Mexico (With Enclosure)

Oil Conservation Commission
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, New Mexico

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December 22, 1966

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Scanlon and Shepard
1007 North Monterey Avenue
Farmington, New Mexico

Re: Case No. 3439

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith a docket of the January 4, 1967,
Examiner Hearing.

Case No. 3439 will be dismissed. The wells listed on the
docket have been plugged.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. HATCH
Special Assistant
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OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
P. O. BOX 2088
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

October 3, 1966

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Scanlon and Shepard
1007 North Monterey Avenue
Farmington, New Mexico

Re: Case No. 3439

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Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith a docket of the October 11,
1966, Examiner Hearing.

Very truly yours,

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GEORGE M. HATCH
Special Assistant
Attorney General

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission
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Aztec, New Mexico

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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Oil Conservation Commission



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MEMBER

1000 RIO BRAZOS RD.
AZTEC

October 6, 1966

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

[Handwritten signature]
Mr. George Hatch
Oil Conservation Commission
Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Case No. 3439
Scanlon & Shepard

Dear George:

Case No. 3439 refers to seventeen wells. One was not drilled and eight have been plugged.

The contractor's rig is in the area to plug the remaining eight wells.
(See enclosed letter)

I recommend that the case be continued indefinitely, provided that, the case may be dismissed when the plugging reports have been approved, or the case may be called if the plugging operations are discontinued.

Yours very truly,

A. R. Kendrick
A. R. Kendrick
Engineer, District #3

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Enclosure
cc: Scanlon & Shepard
Box 601
Farmington, New Mexico

SCANLON ENGINEERING CO.

P. O. BOX 601

PH. DA 5-3492

FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO

REGISTERED ENGINEERS & LAND SURVEYORS

October 5, 1966

N. M. Oil & Gas Commission
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, New Mexico

Att: Mr. Al Kendrick

Re: Case No. 3439

N. M. Oil & Gas Comm. 66 OCT 10 AM 8 10

Dear Sir:

Please be advised that we have hired a contractor to plug the wells in Sections 21, 22, 27 and 28, township 20N, R. 1E. The contractor is in the area with his rig and will plug these wells as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,
Scanlon & Shepard

R. J. Scanlon

By R. J. Scanlon



OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. ~~Box 2088~~ BOX 2088

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

August 26, 1966

Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company
Surety Claim Department
P. O. Box 927
Dallas, Texas

Re: Case No. 3439
Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company
\$10,000 Blanket Plugging Bond - Shepard
and Scanlon, Principal

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to our letter of July 29, 1966,
concerning the subject matter.

I am enclosing herewith a docket of the September 7,
1966, Examiner Hearing.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. HATCH
Special Assistant
Attorney General

GMI/esr
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112 North Behrend Avenue
Farmington, New Mexico (With Enclosure)

Oil Conservation Commission
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, New Mexico

DATE MAILED

Date 8-26-66

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. ~~BOX 2086~~ BOX 2086
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

August 26, 1966

Scanlon and Shepard
1007 North Monterey Avenue
Farmington, New Mexico

DOCKET MAILED

Date 8-26-66

Re: Case No. 3439

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith a copy of the docket of the
September 7, 1966, Examiner Hearing.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. HATCH
Special Assistant
Attorney General

GMH/esr
Enclosure

cc: Oil Conservation Commission
1009 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, New Mexico

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Docket No. 22-66

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - SEPTEMBER 7, 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 3439: (Continued from the August 3, 1966 Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Scanlon and Shepard and all other interested parties to show cause why the following Scanlon and Shepard wells in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program: Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Lease: Wells Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, and 8, all in Unit P, No. 10 in Unit H, and No. 2 in Unit L, all in Section 21; Well No. 6 in Unit L and Nos. 9 and 12 in Unit M of Section 22 and Nos. 11 and 13 in Unit D of Section 27. Ray Well No. 1 in Unit, C, State Wells Nos. 1 and 2 in Unit A, and State K-1883 No. 1 in Unit B, all in Section 28.

CASE 3440: (Continued from the August 3, 1966 Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Osborn & Weir, and all interested parties, to show cause why the following Osborn & Weir wells in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program: Scanlon Well No. 17 in Unit P of Section 21 and Nos. 14 and 18 in Unit M of Section 22; Scanlon Ray Wells No. 5 in Unit A and No. 6 in Unit C of Section 28.

CASE 3441: (Continued from the August 3, 1966 Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit LaMar Trucking, Inc., and all interested parties, to show cause why their State Well No. 1 located 495 feet from the North and West lines of Section 28, Township 20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 3449: Application of Ray Smith Drilling Company for a unit agreement, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of its Shugart 18-Queen Unit Area comprising 264 acres, more or less, of Federal land in Township 18 South, Ranges 30 and 31 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.

CASE 3450: Application of Ray Smith Drilling Company for a waterflood project, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to institute a waterflood project on its Shugart 18-Queen Unit Area by the injection of water into three wells located in Section 13, Township 18 South, Range 30 East, and Section 18, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, Shugart Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

September 7, 1966 Examiner Hearing

CASE 3451: Application of Ernest A. Hanson for a dual completion, acreage rededication and an administrative procedure for multiple completions, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause seeks authority to complete his Max Gutman Well No. 1 located in Unit M of Section 19, Township 22 South, Range 38 East, Lea County, New Mexico, as an oil-oil dual completion (conventional) for the production of oil from the Blinebry Oil Pool and from an undesignated Granite Wash Pool through parallel strings of tubing. Applicant further seeks rededication to the Blinebry Oil Pool of the SW/4 SW/4 of Section 19, Township 22 South, Range 38 East, for the subject well; this acreage is presently dedicated as a part of a 160-acre standard proration unit in the Blinebry Gas Pool to Gulf Oil Corporation's Max Gutman Well No. 1 located in Unit N of said Section 19. Applicant further seeks the establishment of an administrative procedure for the dedication and rededication of acreage from oil to gas, or from gas to oil, and for the dual completion in any combination as to the San Andres, Paddock, Blinebry Oil, Tubb Oil, Drinkard and Granite Wash formations in the area of the subject well.

CASE 3452: Application of Union Oil Company of California for an unorthodox location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an exception to Commission Rule 104 to permit the completion in the Pennsylvanian formation of its Red Hills Unit Well No. 2 located at an unorthodox Pennsylvanian location 990 feet from the North line and 1650 feet from the East line of Section 5, Township 26 South, Range 33 East, Red Hills Pennsylvanian Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico. Said well is presently projected and drilling to the Wolfcamp formation by authority of Commission Order No. R-3073.

CASE 3453: Application of Samedan Oil Corporation for a dual completion, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause seeks approval of the dual completion (conventional) of its J. H. Moore "B" Well No. 1 located in Unit E of Section 25, Township 11 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico, to produce oil from the Moore Pennsylvanian and Moore Devonian Pools through parallel strings of tubing.

CASE 3454: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for pool consolidation and extension, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause seeks the consolidation of Four Mile-San Andres Pool and the Penasco-San Andres Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico, into one pool, and for vertical extension of said pool to include both the San Andres and the Yeso formations.

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Albuquerque, New Mexico,
August 4, 1966

Oil Conservation Commission,
Capitol Building,
Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Gentlemen:

On the hearing to show cause why certain wells in North McKinley County should not be plugged and abandoned, Case No. 3439, it is requested to continue the hearing until September, due to the illness of R.J.Scanlon who will take care of this matter for Shepherd & Scanlon.

Very truly yours,

Shepherd & Scanlon,

BY: *Guy Shepard*

Case 3439

July 29, 1966

Received a telephone call from
Mrs. Guff Shepard.

Mr. Shepard requested a
continuance until the first examine
hearing in Sept. He felt that the
wells would be plugged by then.
He was told that a continuance
would be granted.

George M. Hatcher

Letter sent to the Surety Co. advising
of the continuance.

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
P. O. BOX 2398
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

LEGAL DIVISION
PHONE 827-2741

July 29, 1966

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Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company
Surety Claim Department
P. O. Box 927
Dallas, Texas

Re: Case No. 3439
Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company
\$10,000 Blanket Plugging Bond - Shepard
and Scanlon, Principal

Gentlemen:

At the request of an interested party, Case No. 3439
scheduled to be heard August 3, 1966, will be continued
until the first Examiner Hearing in September, 1966.

We will forward a copy of the docket to you prior to
the hearing.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. HATCH
Special Assistant
Attorney General

GMH/esr

cc: Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company
Surety Claim Department
c/o Schreiber Insurance Agency, Inc.
112 North Behrend Avenue
Farmington, New Mexico

Oil Conservation Commission
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, New Mexico

No. 635760

RECEIPT FOR CERTIFIED MAIL—20¢

SENT TO Scanlon and Shepard		POSTMARK OR DATE 7-25-66
STREET AND NO. P. O. Box 601		
CITY, STATE, AND ZIP CODE Farmington, New Mexico		
<small>If you want a return receipt, check which</small> <input type="checkbox"/> <small>10¢ shows to whom and when delivered</small> <input type="checkbox"/> <small>35¢ shows to whom, when, and address where delivered</small> <small>If you want delivery only to addressee, check here</small> <input type="checkbox"/> <small>50¢ fee</small>		
FEES ADDITIONAL TO 20¢ FEE		

POD Form 3800 July 1963 **NO INSURANCE COVERAGE PROVIDED— (See other side)**
NOT FOR INTERNATIONAL MAIL
LETTER 7-25-66, DOCKET, CASE 3439

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SANTA FE

STATE GEOLOGIST
A. L. PORTER, JR.
SECRETARY - DIRECTOR
LEGAL DIVISION
PHONE 827-2741

July 25, 1966

CERTIFIED - RETURN
RECEIPT REQUESTED

Scanlon and Shepard
P. O. Box 601
Farmington, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing a copy of the docket of the Examiner Hearing that will be held on Wednesday, August 3, 1966, at 9 a.m., in the Oil Conservation Commission Conference Room, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico. Case No. 3439 concerns your Scanlon and Shepard wells in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, NMPM, McKinley County, New Mexico, as follows: Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Lease: Wells Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, and 8, all in Unit P, No. 10 in Unit H, and No. 2 in Unit L, all in Section 21; Well No. 6 in Unit L and Nos. 9 and 12 in Unit M of Section 22 and Nos. 11 and 13 in Unit D of Section 27. Ray Well No. 1 in Unit C, State Wells Nos. 1 and 2 in Unit A, and State K-1883 No. 1 in Unit B, all in Section 28.

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cc: Oil Conservation Commission
1000 Rio Brazos Road
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DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 3, 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 3437: Application of Anadarko Production Company for a waterflood expansion, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to expand its Pearsall Queen Sand Unit waterflood project by the injection of water into the Queen formation through one well to be drilled at an unorthodox location 25 feet North of the South line and 25 feet West of the East line of the SE/4 NW/4 of Section 4, Township 18 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

CASE 3438: Application of Rice Engineering & Operating, Inc. for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the San Andres formation through the open hole interval from 4500 feet to approximately 5100 feet in its EME SWD Well No. L-21 located 1520 feet from the South line and 440 feet from the West line of Section 21, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, Eunice-Monument Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

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OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

LEGAL DIVISION

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July 25, 1966

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Scanlon and Shepard
P. O. Box 501
Farmington, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing a copy of the docket of the Examiner Hearing that will be held on Wednesday, August 3, 1966, at 9 a.m., in the Oil Conservation Commission Conference Room, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico. Case No. 3439 concerns your Scanlon and Shepard wells in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, NMPM, McKinley County, New Mexico, as follows: Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Lease: Wells Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, and 8, all in Unit P, No. 10 in Unit H, and No. 2 in Unit L, all in Section 21; Well No. 6 in Unit L and Nos. 9 and 12 in Unit M of Section 22 and Nos. 11 and 13 in Unit D of Section 27. Ray Well No. 1 in Unit C, State Wells Nos. 1 and 2 in Unit A, and State K-1883 No. 1 in Unit B, all in Section 28.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. HATCH
Special Assistant
Attorney General

GMH/ear
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1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, New Mexico

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PHONE 827-2741

July 25, 1966

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Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company
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Re: Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company \$10,000 Blanket Plugging Bond - Shepard and Scanlon, Principal, Scanlon and Shepard wells in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, NMPM, McKinley County, New Mexico, as follows: Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Lease: Wells Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, and 8, all in Unit P, No. 10 in Unit H, and No. 2 in Unit L, all in Section 21; Well No. 6 in Unit L and Nos. 9 and 12 in Unit M of Section 22 and Nos. 11 and 13 in Unit D of Section 27. Ray Well No. 1 in Unit C, State Wells Nos. 1 and 2 in Unit A, and State K-1883 No. 1 in Unit B, all in Section 28.

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing a copy of the docket of the Examiner Hearing that will be held on Wednesday, August 3, 1966, at 9 a.m., in the Oil Conservation Commission Conference Room, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico. Case No. 3439 concerns the Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company \$10,000 Blanket Plugging Bond on file with the Commission.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. MATCH
Special Assistant
Attorney General

GME/esr

cc: Scanlon and Shepard
P. O. Box 601
Farmington, New Mexico

Oil Conservation Commission
1000 Rio Brazos Road
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A. L. PORTER, JR.
SECRETARY - DIRECTOR

Mr. A. L. Porter
Oil Conservation Commission
Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Case 3439

Re: Plugging and abandonment of wells
operated by Shepard and Scanlon in
T20N, R9W, in and near the Chaco Wash
Mesaverde Oil Pool, McKinley County

Dear Mr. Porter:

A letter dated June 3, 1966 requested abandonment of the above referenced wells.

I inspected the wells in early May and again on July 1, 1966. There had been no apparent change.

Please schedule a case to allow the operator to appear and show why the wells should not be properly plugged and abandoned.

Yours very truly,

A. R. Kendrick

A. R. Kendrick
Engineer, District 13

ARK:ls

cc: Shepard and Scanlon
P.O. Box 601
Farmington, New Mexico

Hartford Accident & Indemnity Co.
P.O. Box 997
Dallas 21, Texas

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Case 3439

June 3, 1966

Mr. R. J. Scanlon
Shepard and Scanlon
P.O. Box 601
Farmington, New Mexico

Re: Abandonment and Plugging of Wells

Dear Mr. Scanlon:

Rules 201 and 202 of our Rules and Regulations set out the procedure for plugging and abandoning wells.

The attached list indicates wells operated by Shepard and Scanlon which have not been properly plugged and abandoned. The list also has some remarks based on our records. We have been advised by phone that some of the wells have been plugged, but we have not received any Forms C-103 as a subsequent report of plugging operations.

The above mentioned rules require: 1. A notice of intention to plug and abandon, 2. A subsequent notice of abandonment, and 3. Form C-105, Well Completion and Recompletion Report and Well Log. ~~The attached tabulation shows the status of each well.~~

We desire to witness the plugging operation of each well. Please advise this office in writing the date and time that plugging operations will begin for each well.

A case will be called before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission to allow the operator to show why any listed well which has not been properly plugged and abandoned by July 1, 1966 should not be plugged and abandoned. Those holes which were not cased shall be cleaned out so that cement can be placed properly in the hole. If there are any questions, please contact us.

Yours very truly

ARK:ks
Attachment
cc w/attachment:
Hartford Accident & Indemnity Co.
P.O. Box 927, Dallas 21, Texas

A. R. Kendrick
Engineer, District #3

Oil Conservation Commission
Santa Fe, New Mexico

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SHEPARD & SCANLON
Status of Wells

3439

Santa Fe Pacific Railroad #1
330 FSL, 990 FEL 21-20N-9W
Total depth 545. Hole not cased. Form C-105 not filed

Santa Fe Pacific Railroad #2
1650 FSL, 330 FWL 21-20N-9W
Total depth 550. Not cased.

*Santa Fe Railroad #3
330 FSL; 330 FEL 21-20N-9W
Total depth 320.

*Santa Fe Railroad Company #4
660 FSL 330 FEL 21-20N-9W
Total depth 330.

Santa Fe R.R. Company #5
990 FSL 330 FEL 21-20N-9W
Total depth 360

Santa Fe R. R. Company #6
1650 FSL, 990 FWL 22-20N-9W
C-103 filed June 21, 1963 indicates "This well not drilled"
Well drilled - not cased.

*Santa Fe R.R. Company #7
165 FSL, 660 FEL 21-20N-9W
Total depth 333.

*Santa Fe R.R. Company #8
495 FSL, 660 FEL 21-20N-9W
Total depth 325.

*Santa Fe Railroad Co. #9
165 FSL, 165 FWL 22-20N-9W
Total depth 343. Form C-105 not filed.

Santa Fe Railroad Co. #10
2310 FNL, 990 FEL 21-20N-9W
Total depth 343. Form C-105 not filed. Hole not cased.

*Santa Fe Railroad Co. #11
165 M FNL, 165 FWL 27-20N-9W
Total depth 348.

*Santa Fe Railroad Co. #12
495 FSL, 165 FWL 22-20N-9W
Total depth 360.

Santa Fe Railroad Co. #13
165 FNL, 495 FWL 27-20N-9W
Total depth 370, 5 1/2" casing @ 318.

State of New Mexico #1
165 M FNL, 495 FEL 28-20N-9W
No other report.

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Case 3439

State of New Mexico #2
165 FNL, 165 FEL 28-20N-9W
Total depth 350, 5½" casing @ 324.

K-1883 #1 (State Lease Number)
165 FNL, 2475 FEL 28-20N-9W
No other report. Hole drilled, not cased.

Ray #1
330 FNL, 2310 FWL 28-20N-9W
Total depth 910. 5½" casing @ 542. Form C-105 not filed.

* denotes the well as being one which we were told was plugged.

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BEFORE THE
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
October 11, 1966
EXAMINER HEARING

(Continued from the September 7, 1966
Examiner Hearing)

IN THE MATTER OF:

The Hearing called by the Oil Conservation
Commission on its own motion to permit Scanlon
and Shepard and all other interested parties
to show cause why the following Scanlon and
Shepard wells in Township 20 North, Range 9
West, McKinley County, New Mexico, should not
be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a
Commission-approved plugging program:

CASE NUMBER
3439

and

The Hearing called by the Oil Conservation
Commission on its own motion to permit Osborn
and Weir, and all interested parties to show
cause why the following Osborn and Weir wells
in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley
County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and
abandoned in accordance with a Commission-
approved plugging program:

CASE NUMBER
3440

and

The Hearing called by the Oil Conservation
Commission on its own motion to permit LaMar
Trucking, Inc., and all interested parties,
to show cause why their State Well No. 1
located 495 feet from the North and West lines
of Section 28, Township 20 North, Range 9
West, McKinley County, New Mexico, should not
be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a
Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE NUMBER
3441

(Consolidated)

BEFORE:

DANIEL S. NUTTER, Examiner

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MR. NUTTER: The Hearing will come to order. The first case this morning, we'll call Cases 3439, 3440 and 3441, which are called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own Motion to permit Scanlon and Shepard, Osborn and Weir and LaMar Trucking, Inc., to show cause why certain wells in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with the Commission-approved plugging program.

MR. HATCH: Mr. Examiner, I had letters from Mr. A. L. Kendrick of the Aztec Office in which he said the plugging operations are taking place on all three of these cases and that he expects the oil wells to be plugged in a short period of time and he recommends that these cases be continued until the first Examiner Hearing in January.

MR. NUTTER: Some wells have been plugged?

MR. HATCH: Some wells have been plugged. Plugging operations are continuing at this time in all three cases.

MR. NUTTER: We will continue Cases 3439, 3440, 3441 on to the first Examiner Hearing in January.

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Ada Dearnley
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

June 19, 1967

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
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James H. Palmer
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission

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BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
September 7, 1966

In the matter of the hearing called
by the Oil Conservation Commission
on its own motion to permit Scanlon
and Shepard and all other interested
parties to show cause why the
following Scanlon and Shepard wells
in Township 20 North, Range 9 West,
McKinley County, New Mexico, should
not be plugged and abandoned in
accordance with a Commission approved
plugging program:

CASE NUMBER
3439

BEFORE:

DANIEL S. NUTTER, Examiner

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

DAN NUTTER: The Hearing will come to order, please. The first case this morning will be 3439, which is called in the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Scanlon and Shepard and all other interested parties to show cause why the following Scanlon and Shepard wells in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

Mr. Hatch, do you have a case to present here this morning?

MR. HATCH: George Hatch, appearing on behalf of the Commission staff. I would like to call one witness, Mr. Kendrick, please.

(Witness sworn.)

A. R. KENDRICK

called as a witness, having been first duly sworn, was examined and testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MR. HATCH:

Q Will you please state your name and position for the record?

A A. R. Kendrick, engineer for the Oil Conservation Commission.

Q As part of your official duty, do you supervise the plugging of wells within your district and make recommendations to the Commission in regard to the same?

A Yes.

Q Are you familiar with the subject matter of this Case 3439?

A Yes, sir.

Q That's a Scanlon and Shepard case. Do you have any recommendations to make concerning this case?

A I was advised yesterday by Mr. Scanlon and Mr. Shepard that if we continue this case until the first Examiner Hearing in October, they will have accomplished the plugging of the wells in this case.

Q I think that would be October 11th, 1966. It is your recommendation that 3439 be continued?

A Until that time, yes, sir.

MR. NUTTER: Case 3439 will be continued to the Examiner Hearing at this same place at 9:00 A.M. on October 11th, 1966.

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Ada Dearnley
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

June 19, 1967

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a complete record of the proceedings in the Examiner's hearing of Case No. 5439 heard by me on 8/7, 1967.

[Signature], Examiner
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission

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BEFORE THE
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
August 3, 1966

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF: In the matter of the Hearings)
called by the Oil Conservation Commission)
on it's own motion to permit certain parties)
and all other interested parties to show)
cause why certain wells should not be)
plugged.)

Case No. 3439
3440 &
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BEFORE: DANIEL S. NUTTER, Examiner

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MR. NITTEB: Call Cases 3439, 3440 and 3441.

MR. HATCH: Cases 3439, 3440 and 3441 are all in the matter of the Hearings called by the Oil Conservation Commission on it's own motion to permit certain parties and all other interested parties to show cause why certain wells should not be plugged.

We have had communication from Mr. Shepherd concerning Case 3439, and he has advised that one of the parties is in the hospital and unable to attend and has asked for this case to be continued until the first Examiner Hearing in September.

We have had communication from an attorney representing the parties in Case 3440 asking for continuance because the attorney was unable to appear at this time without great inconvenience, and also advising that he thinks that these wells will be plugged very shortly and asked for a continuance until the first Examiner Hearing in September.

In Case 3441, we have had communication from Mr. Al Kendrick advising that he has had communication advising that probably that subject well is soon to be plugged and requesting that the case be continued until the first Examiner Hearing in September.

I would like to move that all of these cases be continued until that time.

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MR. NUTTER: Thank you, Mr. Hatch. Cases 3439, 3440 and 3441 will be continued to an Examiner Hearing to be held at this same place at 9:00 A.M. September 7th, 1966.

With that, we will adjourn the Hearing.

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Witness my Hand and Seal this 9th day of August, 1966.

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

June 19, 1967.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct record of the proceedings in the hearing held at the above place on 8/3/66. 3439, 3440, 3441 heard by me on 8/3/66. 3441
Examiner
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission

BEFORE THE
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
January 4, 1967

IN THE MATTER OF:

In the matter of the hearing called by the
Oil Conservation Commission on its own
motion to permit Scanlon and Shepard and all
other interested parties to show cause why
the following Scanlon and Shepard wells
in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley
County, New Mexico, should not be plugged
and abandoned in accordance with a
Commission-approved plugging program.

Case No. 3439

IN THE MATTER OF:

In the matter of the hearing called by the
Oil Conservation Commission on its own
motion to permit Osborn & Weir and all
interested parties to show cause why the
following Osborn & Weir wells in Township
20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley County,
New Mexico, should not be plugged and
abandoned in accordance with a Commission-
approved plugging program.

Case No. 3440

IN THE MATTER OF:

In the matter of the hearing called by the
Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion
to permit LaMar Trucking Inc., and all
interested parties to show cause why their
State Well No. 1 located 495 feet from the
North and West lines of Section 22, Township
20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley County
New Mexico should not be plugged and
abandoned in accordance with a Commission-
approved plugging program.

Case No. 3441

MR. NUTTER: The hearing will come to order, please.

We will call first, Case 3439, 3440, and 3441, each of which

is a case called on the motion of the Oil Conservation

Commission, "to permit Scanlon and Shepard, ~~and Osborn & Weir and Radner~~ *Trucking*

~~interested parties to show cause why the following Scanlon~~

certain

~~and Shepard wells in Township 20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley~~

~~County, New Mexico,~~ should not be plugged and abandoned in

accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program."

MR. HATCH: If the Examiner please, George Hatch appearing on behalf of the Commission. I received communication from Mr. Al Kendrick and Emery Arnold of District Three advising that all of these wells in all three cases have been plugged and abandoned in accordance with Commission rules and regulations and requesting that the three cases, Case 3439, 3440, and 3441 be dismissed.

MR. NUTTER: You move to do that?

MR. HATCH: Yes, I do.

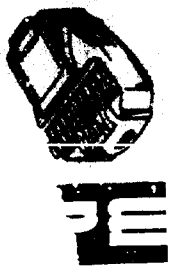
MR. NUTTER: Case 3439, 3440, and 3441, will be dismissed.

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I, KAY EMBREE, Court Reporter, do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached transcript of proceedings before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Examiner at Santa Fe, New Mexico, is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

Kay Embree
Court Reporter

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

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Attorney

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EXAMINER HEARINGSANTA FE, NEW MEXICOREGISTERHEARING DATE JANUARY 4, 1967 TIME: 9 A.M.

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Harold J. Jorgensen	U.S. Since they left Alhambra	Alhambra, Texas
Sam Jorgensen	U.S. Since they left Alhambra	Alhambra, Texas
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