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CASE 6180: OCC - PLUGGING CASE
ELVIS L. ROBERTS, THE TRAVELERS
INDemnITY COMPANY
WADE WELL NO. 1

Roberts)

Case NO.

6180

Application

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BEFORE THE
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
March 22, 1978

EXAMINER HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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The application of the Oil Conservation)
Commission on its own motion to permit)
Elvis L. Roberts, The Travelers Indemity)
Company and others to show cause as to)
the Wade Well No. 1, San Juan County,)
New Mexico.)

CASE
6180

BEFORE: Richard L. Stamets, Examiner.

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

For the New Mexico Oil	Lynn Teschendorf, Esq.
Conservation Commission:	Legal Counsel for the Commission
	State Land Office Building
	Santa Fe, New Mexico

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1 MR. STAMETS: Call the next case, Case 6180, in the
2 matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission
3 on its own motion to permit Elvis L. Roberts, the Travelers
4 Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear
5 and show cause why the Wade Well No. 1 located 850 feet from
6 the North line and 1750 feet from the East line of Section 21,
7 Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, New Mexico,
8 should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a
9 Commission-approved plugging program.

10 Call for appearances in this case?

11 MS. TESCHENDORF: Lynn Teschendorf and I have one
12 witness, Mr. Kendrick, who has been previously sworn and
13 qualified.

14 MR. STAMETS: The record will so show and are there
15 any other appearances in this case? You may proceed.

16
17 A. R. KENDRICK

18 was called as a witness by the Commission and having been
19 first duly sworn, testified upon his oath as follows, to-wit:

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21 DIRECT EXAMINATION

22 BY MS. TESCHENDORF:

23 Q Mr. Kendrick, are you familiar with the subject matter
24 of Case 6180?

25 A Yes.

1 Q Have you reviewed all the reports filed with the
2 Commission concerning the Wade No. 1?

3 A Yes, I have.

4 Q Will you please summarize the record?

5 A The well was drilled by Douglas Kenston as an
6 Burgson Estate Unit Well No. 1 in 1952.

7 The well file reflects that the well was plugged and
8 abandoned in 1953. In 1959, Elvis Roberts filed an intent
9 to re-enter the well and a subsequent report of re-entry
10 states that they did clean out the cement plugs to fifteen
11 hundred and eighty feet and logged the well and perforated
12 and treated the well in an attempt to complete the well as a
13 gas well and ended with the following remarks: "Operation
14 shut down waiting on orders."

15 I have a photograph of the well head and it is a
16 well head, not an abandonment marker. I would submit Exhibit
17 1 as the photograph and Exhibit 2 as a copy of the well file
18 that I have stated.

19 Q What date was the last form filed with the
20 Commission?

21 A March 27, 1959.

22 Q In your opinion would failure to plug this well
23 cause waste?

24 A Yes. This is in the same area as the McCoy and
25 Philips well and this well was drilled to a deeper formation

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1 and consequently has the Farmington zone open behind the
2 pipe and the Fruitland zone in the well bore, itself. So,
3 there is a possibility of water and gas or oil trading zones.

4 Q Is there a bond covering this well?

5 A Yes.

6 Q Are you prepared to recommend a plugging program
7 at this time or would you rather wait for the actual time of
8 the plugging?

9 A I prefer to work the plugging program with the
10 plugging contractor.

11 Q Do you have anything further to add to your
12 testimony?

13 A Just that this well should be made a useful well
14 or plugged and abandoned.

15 MS. TESCHENDORF: At this time I offer Exhibits 1
16 and 2. I have nothing further.

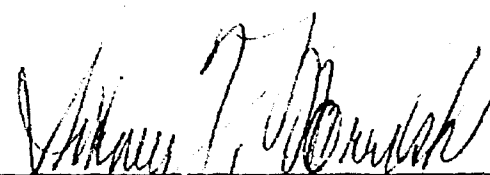
17 MR. STAMETS: These exhibits will be admitted
18 and is there anything further in this case? The witness
19 may be excused and the case will be taken under advisement.

20 (THEREUPON, the case was concluded.)
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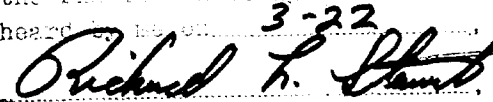
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do hereby certify that the foregoing and attached Transcript
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of the said proceedings to the best of my knowledge, skill and
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I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
a correct and true copy of the proceedings in
the case of No. 6180
heard on 3-22-1978

Richard L. Hunt, Examiner
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission



OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

P. O. BOX 2088 - SANTA FE

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DIRECTOR
JOE D. RAMEY

LAND COMMISSIONER
PHIL R. LUCERO
April 4, 1978

STATE GEOLOGIST
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Ms. Cathy Franklin
The Travelers Indemnity Co.
Two North Park East
Dallas, Texas 75231

Re: CASE NO. 6180
ORDER NO. R-5682

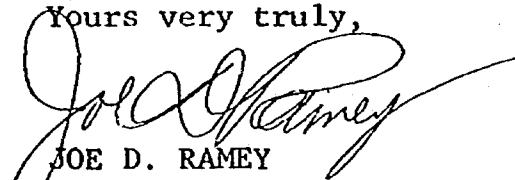
Applicant:

OCC (Elvis L. Roberts)

Dear Sir:

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

Yours very truly,


JOE D. RAMEY
Director

JDR/fd

Copy of order also sent to:

Hobbs OCC x
Artesia OCC x
Aztec OCC x

Other _____

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 6180
Order No. R-5682

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION ON ITS OWN MOTION
TO PERMIT ELVIS L. ROBERTS, THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY
COMPANY, AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES TO APPEAR
AND SHOW CAUSE WHY THE WADE WELL NO. 1 LOCATED 850
FEET FROM THE NORTH LINE AND 1750 FEET FROM THE EAST
LINE OF SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST,
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SHOULD NOT BE PLUGGED AND
ABANDONED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COMMISSION-APPROVED
PLUGGING PROGRAM.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on March 22, 1978,
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets.

NOW, on this 4th day of April, 1978, 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.

(2) That Elvis L. Roberts is the owner and operator of the
Wade Well No. 1, located 850 feet from the North line and 1750
feet from the East line of Section 21, Township 29 North, Range
11 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

(3) That The Travelers Indemnity Company is the surety on
the Oil Conservation Commission plugging bond on which Elvis L.
Roberts is principal.

(4) That the purpose of said bond is to assure the state
that the subject well will be properly plugged and abandoned when
not capable of commercial production.

(5) That in order to prevent waste and protect correlative
rights said Wade Well No. 1 should be plugged and abandoned in
accordance with a program approved by the Aztec District Office
of the Oil Conservation Division of the New Mexico Energy and
Minerals Department on or before June 15, 1978, or the well should
be returned to active drilling status or placed on production.

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Case No. 6180
Order No. R-5682

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

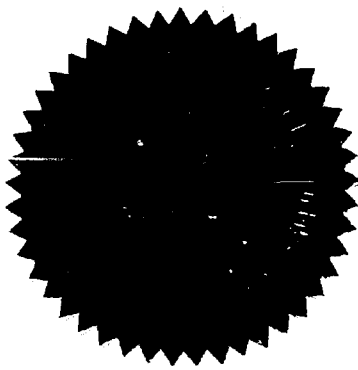
(1) That Elvis L. Roberts is hereby ordered to plug and abandon the Wade Well No. 1 located 850 feet from the North line and 1750 feet from the East line of Section 21, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico, or in the alternative, to return the well to active drilling status or place the well on production on or before June 15, 1978.

(2) That Elvis L. Roberts, prior to plugging and abandoning the above-described well, shall obtain from the Aztec office of the Division, a Division-approved program for said plugging and abandoning, and shall notify said Aztec office of the date and hour said work is to be commenced whereupon the Division may, at its option, witness such work.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION


Phil R. Lucero
PHIL R. LUCERO, Chairman

EMERY C. ARNOLD, Member

Joe D. Ramey
JOE D. RAMEY, Member & Secretary

S E A L

jr/

MINTS AND KENASTON

September 1952:

C-101, Intent to Drill

Plat

September 1953

C-103, Subsequent Report of Abandonment showing how the well
was plugged.

March 4, 1959

C-102, Intent to ReEnter in name of Elvis Roberts

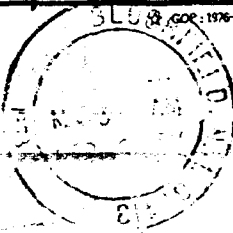
March 27, 1959

C-103, Subsequent Report of ReEntry

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2nd Notice 3-20
Return MAR 30 1978

NAME
1st Notice APR 3
2nd Notice APR 18
Return APR 18



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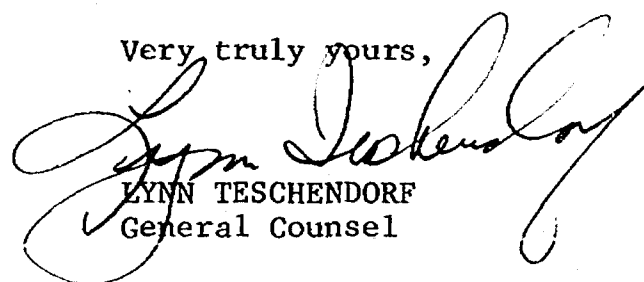
The Travelers Indemnity Company
Lubbock Service Center
22 Briercroft Office Park
Lubbock, Texas 79412

Re: Wade Well No. 1, located
in Unit B of Section 21,
Township 29 North, Range
11 West, San Juan County
Plugging Bond

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of the docket of the Examiner
Hearing to be held on Wednesday, March 22, 1978, at
9 o'clock a.m. in the Oil Conservation Commission Con-
ference Room, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New
Mexico. Case 6180 concerns the above captioned subject
matter.

Very truly yours,



LYNN TESCHENDORF
General Counsel

LT/fd
enc.

Dockets Nos. 12-78 and 13-78 are tentatively set for hearing on April 5 and 19, 1978. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - MARCH 22, 1978

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

The following cases will be heard before Richard L. Stamets, Examiner, or Daniel S. Nutter, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 6151: (Continued from February 22, 1978, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Vega Petroleum Corporation, American Employers' Insurance Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the North Caprock Queen Unit No. 1 Well No. 5Y located in Unit E of Section 8, Township 13 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 6152: (Continued from February 22, 1978, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Al Greer, American Employers' Insurance Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Thompson Well No. 1 located in Unit N of Section 10, Township 30 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 6179:

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit McCoy and Phillips and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the John Bergin Well No. 1 located 2515 feet from the North line and 1410 feet from the West line of Section 21, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 6180:

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Elvis L. Roberts, The Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Wade Well No. 1 located 850 feet from the North line and 1750 feet from the East line of Section 21, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 6137: (Continued from February 8, 1978, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Amoco Production Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its Nellis Federal Well No. 3 to be located 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 8, Township 19 South, Range 33 East, West Tonto-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, the N/2 of said Section 8 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 6172: (Continued from March 8, 1978, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Morris R. Antweil for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the E/2 of Section 22, Township 19 South, Range 25 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 6181:

Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for an unorthodox location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its Rio Pecos "GB" Well No. 2 to be located 1980 feet from the South line and 1100 feet from the West line of Section 20, Township 18 South, Range 27 East, Red Lake Field, Eddy County, New Mexico, to test the Wolfcamp and Pennsylvanian formations, the S/2 of said Section 20 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 6182:

Application of Union Oil Company of California for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for its Laguna Deep Unit Area comprising 2,558 acres, more or less, of State, Federal and fee lands in Townships 19 and 20 South, Range 33 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

CASE 6183:

Application of Mesa Petroleum Company for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for its North Scharb Unit Area comprising 1911 acres, more or less, of State and fee lands in Township 18 South, Range 33 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

Send future
Correspondence to:

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DOUGLAS KENASTON
BERGIN POOLED UNIT #1
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BEFORE EXAMINER STAMETS
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EXHIBIT NO. 1
CASE NO. 6180
Submitted by *DD*
Hearing Date 2-22-78

BEFORE EXAMINER STAMETS
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

EXHIBIT NO. 2 NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DRILL

CASE NO. 6180

See Rules 101 and 1104.

Submitted in the proposed plan are considered advisable, a copy of this notice showing such changes will be returned to the sender. Submit this notice in triplicate. One copy will be returned following approval.

Hearing Date 3-27-78

1500, Nov 1000

July 31, 1952

Place

Date

Notice hereby is given that it is our intention to commence the drilling of a well to be known as

Douglas Henderson Morgan State Pooled Well No. 1

in

of Sec. 21, T. 29, R. 11, N. M. P. M. 100-1000, San Juan County.

The well is 550 feet from (N.) line and 1750 feet from

(E.) line of the above section.

(Give location from section lines. Cross out wrong directions.)

Location is in State of New Mexico

If patented land the owner is Ralph Morgan Estate Pooled with

Address Ruth Morgan, Bloomfield, N.M., Douglas C. 100,

If government land the permittee is Inslow, Arizona and Roy M. Jackson,

Address Glenwood Springs, Colorado

Address Ralph Morgan Estate 60 acres (1/2 Sec. 21, T. 29, R. 11, N. M. P. M. 100-1000)

Address Ruth Morgan 20 acres (1/2 Sec. 21, T. 29, R. 11, N. M. P. M. 100-1000)

Address Inslow, Arizona and Roy M. Jackson 20 acres (1/2 Sec. 21, T. 29, R. 11, N. M. P. M. 100-1000)

We propose to drill well with drilling equipment as follows:

Rotary

The status of a bond for this well in conformance with Rule 101 of the General Rules and Regulations of the Commission is as follows: 10,000 Dollars Bond on file with the Commission

We propose to use the following strings of casing and to land or cement them as indicated:

Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight Per Foot	New or Second Hand	Depth	Landed or Cemented	Sacks Cement
10 3/4	8 5/8	32	Second Hand	100'	Cemented	50
8 3/4	5 1/2	15 1/2	" "	1600'	"	100

If changes in the above plans become advisable we will notify you before cementing or landing casing. We estimate that the first productive oil or gas sand should occur at a depth of about 1750 feet.

Additional information: I propose to drill a well to and through the pictured cliff and, cemented to 1750 feet. A minimum of 100 feet of 8 5/8" casing will be cemented to the surface. Approximately 1600 feet of 5 1/2" casing or more will also be run; drill the sand and if conditions are good to 90 feet or section will be shot with approximately 3 cts. of dynamite or less; then run 1 1/2" hyphen line to the bottom and cement the well.

Approved _____, 10

except as follows:

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Douglas Henderson

Company or Operator

By W. R. McIntosh

Position Manager

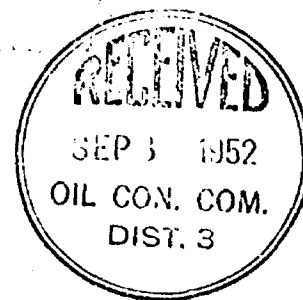
Send communications regarding well to:

Name W. R. McIntosh, Astoo, New Mexico

Address

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION.

By Al Thur
Title Oil and Gas Inspector Dist. #3.

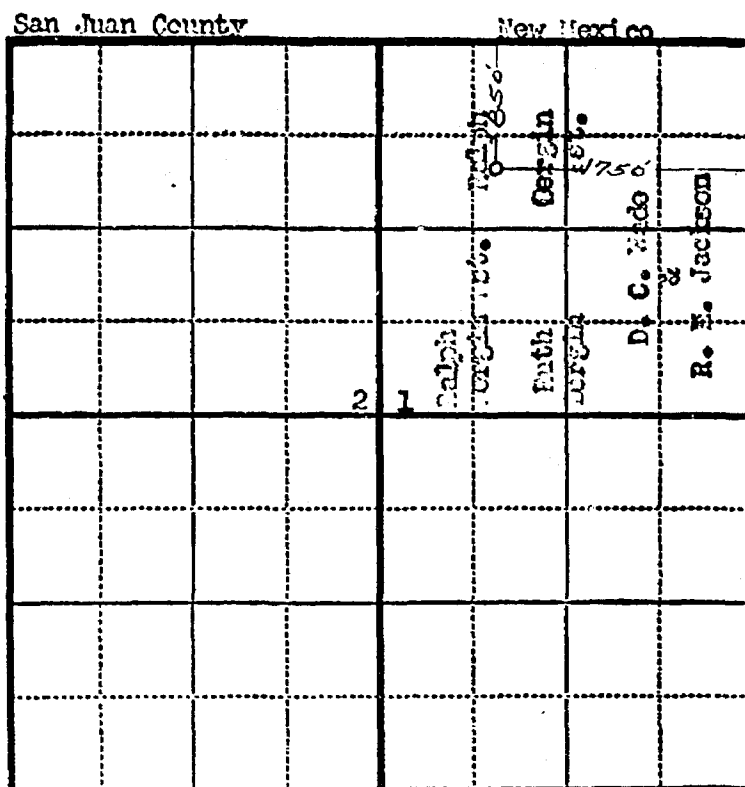


Company Douglas Kenaston

Lease _____ Well No. _____

Sec. 21 T. 29 N. R. 11 W. N.M.P.M.

Location 850' from the North line and 1750' from the East line.



Scale—4 inches equals 1 mile.

This is to certify that the above plat was prepared from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision and that the same are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Seal:

Registered Professional
Engineer and Land Surveyor.

Charles J. Finklea
N. Mex. Reg. No. 1302

Surveyed May 13, 1952

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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Santa Fe, New Mexico

MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS ON WELLS

Submit this report in TRIPLICATE to the District Office, Oil Conservation Commission, within 10 days after the work specified is completed. It should be signed and filed as a report on Beginning Drilling Operations, Results of test of casing shut-off, result of plugging of well, result of well repair, and other important operations, even though the work was witnessed by an agent of the Commission. See additional instructions in the Rules and Regulations of the Commission.

Indicate Nature of Report by Checking Below

REPORT ON BEGINNING DRILLING OPERATIONS		REPORT ON RESULT OF TEST OF CASING SHUT-OFF		REPORT ON REPAIRING WELL	
REPORT ON RESULT OF PLUGGING WELL	X	REPORT ON RECOMPLETION OPERATION		REPORT ON (Other)	

September 26, 1953

(Date)

Aledo, New Mexico

(Place)

Following is a report on the work done and the results obtained under the heading noted above at the

Minta-Kenniston

(Company or Operator)

Bergin Estate Pooled Unit

(Lease)

Haynes & V. T. Drilling Co.

(Contractor)

Well No. 1 in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Sec. 21

T. 29N., R. 11W., NMPM., Fulcher-Kutz Pool, San Juan County.

The Dates of this work were as follows: September 26, 1953

Notice of intention to do the work (was) ~~not~~ submitted on Form C-102 on September 18, 1953.

(Cross out incorrect words)

and approval of the proposed plan (was) ~~not~~ obtained.

DETAILED ACCOUNT OF WORK DONE AND RESULTS OBTAINED

Spotted cement plug of 50 sacks of neat cement on bottom yielding a fillup of 100 feet in 4 3/4 inch open hole and 5 1/2 inch casing. Remainder of hole filled with mud. Left marker at least 4 inches in diameter and extending at least 4 feet above ground.



Witnessed by F. D. Deason

(Name)

Haynes & V. T. Drilling Co.

(Company)

Supt.

(Title)

Approved:

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Orland Sigurd Henry C. Arnold

(Name)

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Name F. D. Deason

Position Supt

Representing Haynes & V. T. Drilling Co.

Address 1725 N. Grant, Odessa, Texas

(Title)

(Date)

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico

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MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES

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Submit this notice in TRIPLICATE to the District Office, Oil Conservation Commission, before the work specified is to begin. A copy will be returned to the sender on which will be given the approval, with any modifications considered advisable, or the rejection by the Commission or agent, of the plan submitted. The plan as approved should be followed, and work should not begin until approval is obtained. See additional instructions in the Rules and Regulations of the Commission.

Indicate Nature of Notice by Checking Below

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CHANGE PLANS		NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TEMPORARILY ABANDON WELL		NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DRILL DEEPER	
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO PLUG WELL		NOTICE OF INTENTION TO PLUG BACK		NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SET LINER	
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SQUEEZE		NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ACIDIZE		NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SHOOT (Nitro)	
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO GUN PERFORATE		NOTICE OF INTENTION (Other)		NOTICE OF INTENTION (Other)	

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

(Place)

(Date)

Gentlemen:

Following is a Notice of Intention to do certain work as described below at the.....

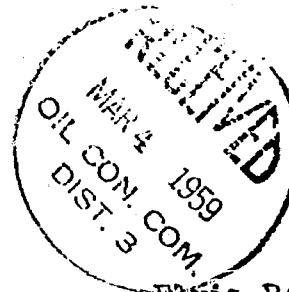
ELVIS ROBERTS Wade Well No. 1 in B
(Company or Operator)
NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Sec. 21, T. 29N, R. 11W, NMPM., Bloomfield Pool
(40-acre Subdivision)
San Juan County.

FULL DETAILS OF PROPOSED PLAN OF WORK
(FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS IN THE RULES AND REGULATIONS)

Clean out to 1500'.
Set bridge plug and spot 10' cement plug on bridge plug.
Perforate and fracture Fruitland
Run 1" tubing to approximately 1400'

Approved..... MAR 4 1959
Except as follows:.....

Approved
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
By Original Signed Emery C. Arnold
Title Supervisor Dist. # 3



Elvis Roberts
Company or Operator
By D. U. Price
Position Agent
Send Communications regarding well to:
Name D. U. Price
Address Box 237, Bloomfield, New Mexico

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS ON WELLS
(Submit to appropriate District Office as per Commission Rule 1106)

COMPANY ELVIS L. RODERTS Box 237, Bloomfield, New Mexico
(Address)

LEASE Wade WELL NO. 1 UNIT A S 21 T 29N R 11W

DATE WORK PERFORMED 3-24-59 POOL Aztec - Fruitland

This is a Report of: (Check appropriate block) ☐ Results of Test of Casing Shut-off
☐ Beginning Drilling Operations ☐ Remedial Work
☐ Plugging ☒ Other Cleanout & recomple
in Fr.

Detailed account of work done, nature and quantity of materials used and results obtained.

Drilled out cement to 1530'. Logged well. Perf. w/4 bullets per ft. -
1438 - 1450 & 1468 - 1476. Attempted to sand frac well. Frac sanded off.
Cleaned out to 1530'. Attempted to re frac well - frac sanded off.
Cleaned out to 1530'. Spotted 75 gal. 7% MCA acid. Frac well through
tbg. & packer at 1314' - frac w/ 16,300 gal. water. 10,000# 20-40 sd.
BD - 2500# - Max. 2875# - Ave. 2250#. I.R. 3.2 B/M - used 177 rubber balls.
Swab well back - well failed to flow. Operation shut down -
Waiting on orders.



FILL IN BELOW FOR REMEDIAL WORK REPORTS ONLY

Original Well Data:

DF Elev. TD PBD Prod. Int. Compl Date

Dockets Nos. 12-78 and 13-78 are tentatively set for hearing on April 5 and 19, 1978. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 22 days in advance of hearing date.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - MARCH 22, 1978

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

The following cases will be heard before Richard L. Stanets, Examiner, or Daniel S. Nutter, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 6151: (Continued from February 22, 1978, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Vega Petroleum Corporation, American Employers' Insurance Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the North Caprock Queen Unit No. 1 Well No. 5Y located in Unit E of Section 8, Township 13 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 6152: (Continued from February 22, 1978, Examiner Hearing)

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Al Greer, American Employers' Insurance Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Thompson Well No. 1 located in Unit N of Section 10, Township 30 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 6179: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit McCoy and Phillips and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the John Bergin Well No. 1 located 2515 feet from the North line and 1410 feet from the West line of Section 21, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 6180: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Elvis L. Roberts, The Travelers Indemnity Company, and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the Wade Well No. 1 located 850 feet from the North line and 1750 feet from the East line of Section 21, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program.

CASE 6137: (Continued from February 8, 1978, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Amoco Production Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its Nellis Federal Well No. 3 to be located 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 8, Township 19 South, Range 33 East, West Tonto-Pennsylvanian Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, the N/2 of said Section 8 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 6172: (Continued from March 8, 1978, Examiner Hearing)

Application of Morris R. Antweil for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Pennsylvanian formation underlying the E/2 of Section 22, Township 19 South, Range 25 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard location thereon. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision. Also to be considered will be the designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

CASE 6181: Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for an unorthodox location, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for the unorthodox location of its Rio Pecos "GB" Well No. 2 to be located 1980 feet from the South line and 1100 feet from the West line of Section 20, Township 18 South, Range 27 East, Red Lake Field, Eddy County, New Mexico, to test the Wolfcamp and Pennsylvanian formations, the S/2 of said Section 20 to be dedicated to the well.

CASE 6182: Application of Union Oil Company of California for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for its Laguna Deep Unit Area comprising 2,558 acres, more or less, of State, Federal and fee lands in Townships 19 and 20 South, Range 33 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

CASE 6183: Application of Mesa Petroleum Company for a unit agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval for its North Scharb Unit Area comprising 1911 acres, more or less, of State and fee lands in Township 18 South, Range 33 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

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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. 6180

Order No. R- 5682

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION ON ITS OWN MOTION TO PERMIT ELVIS L. ROBERTS, THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE WHY THE WADE WELL NO. 1 LOCATED 850 FEET FROM THE NORTH LINE AND 1750 FEET FROM THE EAST LINE OF SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, SHOULD NOT BE PLUGGED AND ABANDONED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COMMISSION-APPROVED PLUGGING PROGRAM.
ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on March 22, 19 78, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Richard L. Stamets

NOW, on this day of , 19 78, 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.

(2) That Elvis L. Roberts is the owner and operator of the Wade Well No. 1, 850 feet from the North line and 1750 feet from the East line located ~~in the~~ of Section 21, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico.

(3) That The Travelers Indemnity Company is the surety on the Oil Conservation Commission plugging bond on which Elvis L. Roberts is principal.

(4) That the purpose of said bond is to assure the state that the subject well ~~is~~ will be properly plugged and abandoned when not capable of commercial production.

(5) That in order to prevent waste and protect correlative rights said Wade Well No. 1 should be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a program approved by the Aztec District Office of the New Mexico Oil Division of the New Mexico Energy and Minerals Department on or before June 15, 19 78, or the well should be returned to active drilling status or placed on production.

Case No.

Order No. R-

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That Elvis L. Roberts and The Travelers Indemnity
Company ^{is} are hereby ordered to plug and abandon
the Wade Well No. 1 located 850 feet from the North line and
1750 feet from the East line
~~located in Unit~~ of Section 21, Township 29 North,
Range 11 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico,
or in the alternative, to return the well to active drilling
status or place the well on production on or before June 15
19 78.

(2) That Elvis L. Roberts and The Travelers Indemnity Company
_____, prior to plugging and abandoning the above-
described well, shall obtain from the Aztec office of the
Division, a Division-
~~Commission, a Commission-~~ approved program for said plugging and
abandoning, and shall notify said Aztec office of the
date and hour said work is to be commenced whereupon the ~~Commission~~ Division
may, at its option, witness such work.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the ~~Commission~~ ^{Division} may deem necessary.

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

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Oil Conservation Comm
Lucas Chairman
Cernald Member
Ramey Member and
Division Director

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

P. O. BOX 2088

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

March 13, 1978

CERTIFIED - RETURN
RECEIPT REQUESTED

Elvis L. Roberts
Box 237
Bloomfield, New Mexico

The Travelers Indemnity Company
Lubbock Service Center
22 Briercroft Office Park
Lubbock, Texas 79412

Re: Wade Well No. 1, located
in Unit B of Section 21,
Township 29 North, Range
11 West, San Juan County
Plugging Bond

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of the docket of the Examiner
Hearing to be held on Wednesday, March 22, 1978, at
9 o'clock a.m. in the Oil Conservation Commission Con-
ference Room, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New
Mexico. Case 6180 concerns the above captioned subject
matter.

Very truly yours,

LYNN TESCHENDORF
General Counsel

LT/fd
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Case
C180

Elvis L. Roberts &
Travelers Indemnity Co.

Wade # 1 well
850 FNL & 1750 FEL
21 - 29N - 11W
San Juan City

Insured
Office

Show Cause
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