

O CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

July 8, 1943

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The Santa Fe New Mexican  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

The Artesia Advocate  
Artesia, New Mexico

The Hobbs Daily News Sun  
Hobbs, New Mexico

Re: Case No. 44, Notice for Publication

Gentlemen:

Please publish the enclosed notice once, immediately. Please proof read the notice carefully and send a copy of the paper carrying such notice.

UPON COMPLETION OF THE PUBLICATION, PLEASE SEND PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT.

For payment please submit statement in duplicate accompanied by voucher executed in duplicate. The vouchers must be signed by a notary in the space provided on the back of the voucher. The necessary voucher blanks are enclosed.

Very truly yours,

John H. Kelly  
Director

By

Chief Clerk & Legal Advisor

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Oil Conservation Commission, by law invested with jurisdiction as the oil and gas regulatory body of the State of New Mexico, hereby gives notice of the following hearing to be held at Santa Fe, New Mexico:

Case No. 44

In the matter of the application of the American Employers' Insurance Company for an order under which the transferee of any oil or gas well or of the operation of any such oil or gas well shall be responsible for the plugging of any such well and for that purpose shall submit a new plugging bond or produce the consent of the surety on the original plugging bond that the latter's liability shall continue. This case is set for 10 A.M., August 3, 1943.

Any person having any interest in the subject of said hearing is entitled to be heard.

Given under the seal of said Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on July 8, 1943.

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

BY (Sd.) JOHN M. KELLY  
SECRETARY

(SEAL)

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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 THE  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 44

ORDER NO. 552

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE  
AMERICAN EMPLOYERS' INSURANCE COMPANY  
FOR AN ORDER UNDER WHICH THE TRANSFEREE  
OF ANY OIL OR GAS WELL OR OF THE OPERATION  
OF ANY SUCH OIL OR GAS WELL SHALL BE  
RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PLUGGING OF ANY SUCH WELL  
AND FOR THAT PURPOSE SHALL SUBMIT A NEW PLUGGING  
BOND OR PRODUCE THE CONSENT OF THE SURETY ON THE  
ORIGINAL PLUGGING BOND THAT THE LATTER'S LIABILITY  
SHALL CONTINUE.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at ten o'clock A.M., August 3, 1943,  
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of the State  
of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission".

NOW, on this 17th day of August, 1943, the Commission having  
before it for consideration the testimony adduced at the hearing of said  
case and being fully advised in the premises;

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

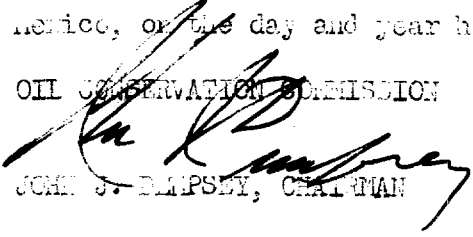
SECTION 1. That the transferee of any oil or gas well or of the  
operation of any such well or any subsequent operator of such well shall be  
responsible for the plugging of any such well and for that purpose shall  
submit a new plugging bond or produce the written consent of the surety on  
the original or prior plugging bond that the latter's responsibility shall  
continue. Non-compliance with the provisions hereof shall be grounds for  
the closing down any such well and stopping production therefrom. This  
order shall apply to transfers of any such wells made prior to the effective  
date of this order as well as thereafter. The original or prior plugging  
bond shall not be released as to the plugging responsibility of any such well  
until such transferee or other subsequent operator of such well shall submit  
to the Commission an acceptable plugging bond to cover such well.

SECTION 2. The order herein shall supersede any previous order  
insofar as it is in conflict.

SECTION 3. That this order shall be effective on the date of its  
execution.

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

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

  
JOHN J. DINSLEY, CHAIRMAN

H. R. RODGERS, MEMBER

  
JOHN M. KELLY, SECRETARY

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# PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO }  
County of Eddy } ss.

A. L. BERT, being duly sworn deposes and says that he is the editor of THE ARTESIA ADVOCATE, a newspaper published in Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, that the notice of publication in the matter of the application of the American Employers' Insurance Company. Case No. 44

a copy of which is hereto attached was first published in said newspaper in its issue dated July 15, 1943

and was published in the weekly issue of said newspaper, and not in any supplement, thereafter for the full period of one consecutive weeks, the last publication thereof being in the issue dated July 15, 1943.

A. L. Bert

Subscribed and sworn to before me on

7-16-43

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Notary Public

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OIL CONSERVATION  
COMMISSION,

BY (SGD) JOHN M. KELLY,

Secretary.

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**AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION**

State of New Mexico, }  
County of Lea }

*Thomas L. Summers*  
Publisher

Of the Hobbs Daily News-Sun, a daily newspaper published at Hobbs, New Mexico, do solemnly swear that the clipping attached hereto was published once a week in the regular and entire issue of said paper, and not in a supplement thereof for a

period of \_\_\_\_\_

*One issue* weeks.

beginning with the issue dated \_\_\_\_\_

*July 12*, 19*43*

and ending with the issue dated \_\_\_\_\_

*Thomas L. Summers* 19*43*  
Publisher.

Sworn and subscribed to before me

this *12th* day of \_\_\_\_\_

*Blanche Younger*, 19*43*  
Notary Public

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

*June 25*, 19*46*  
(Seal)

This newspaper is duly qualified to publish legal notices or advertisements within the meaning of Section 3, Chapter 167, Laws of 1937, and payment of fees for said publication has been made.

(July 12)  
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**OIL CONSERVATION**  
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Oil Conservation Commission

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Secretary.

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OIL CONSERVATION  
COMMISSION,

By (sgd.) JOHN M. KELLY,  
(SEAL) Secretary.  
Pub. July 10, 1943.

## Affidavit of Publication

State of New Mexico, }  
County of State Fe } ss.

I, A. N. Morgan, being first duly sworn, declare and say that I am the (~~Business Manager~~) (Editor) of the Santa Fe New Mexican, a daily newspaper, published in the English Language, and having a general circulation in the City and County of Santa Fe, State of New Mexico, and being a newspaper duly qualified to publish legal notices and advertisements under the provisions of Chapter 167 of the Session Laws of 1937; that the publication, a copy which is hereto attached, was published in said paper ~~once each week~~ for one time ~~on the same day and on the same day in each week in~~ the regular issue of the paper during the time of publication, and that the notice was published in the newspaper proper, and not in any supplement, ~~once each week~~ for one time ~~on the same day and on the same day in each week in~~ publication being on the 10th day of July, 1943 ~~and on the same day in each week in~~ ~~on the same day and on the same day in each week in~~; that payment for said advertisement has been (duly made), or (assessed as court costs); that the undersigned has personal knowledge of the matters and things set forth in this affidavit.

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.....lines, .....times, \$.....  
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Received payment,

By.....

A. N. Morgan  
Editor ~~Manager~~

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 13th  
day of July, A.D., 1943  
Anna K. Ormsbee  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

June 11, 1945