

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
November 14, 1957

IN THE MATTER OF:

CASE NO. 1339

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

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IN THE MATTER OF:

- (a) Extend the Blanco Mesaverde Pool to include:

Township 31 North, Range 12 West
All of Section 19

Township 31 North, Range 13 West
All of Section 24
N/2 of Section 25

- (b) Extend the Aztec-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

Township 29 North, Range 8 West
W/2 of Section 30
W/2 of Section 31

Township 29 North, Range 9 West
All of Section 25
All of Section 30

- (c) Extend the Canyon Largo-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

Township 25 North, Range 6 West
S/2 and NW/4 of Section 16
All of Section 17
E/2 of Section 18

- (d) Extend the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

Township 24 North, Range 4 West
N/2 of Section 8
N/2 of Section 9

Township 25 North, Range 3 West
S/2 of Section 19

Township 25 North, Range 4 West
S/2 Section 24

Township 27 North, Range 6 West

All of Section 21
 3/2 of Section 22
 S/2 of Section 23
 SW/4 of Section 24
 W/2 of Section 25
 All of Sections 26 and 27
 N/2 of Section 28
 N/2 of Section 34

Township 27 North, Range 7 West

NW/4 Section 14
 N/2 Section 15
 N/2 Section 16

Township 28 North, Range 8 West

E/2 of Section 34

- (e) Extend the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

Township 25 North, Range 3 West

S/2 of Section 10
 E/2 of Section 11

Township 26 North, Range 3 West

W/2 of Section 20

- (f) Extend the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool to include:

Township 25 North, Range 12 West

SW/4 Section 3

- (g) Extend the Verde-Gallup Oil Pool to include:

Township 30 North, Range 15 West

NE/4 Section 6

Township 31 North, Range 14 West

SE/4 of Section 7

Township 31 North, Range 15 West

SW/4 of Section 23
 NW/4 of Section 24
 NW/4 of Section 33

BEFORE:

Honorable Edwin L. Mechem
Mr. A. L. Porter
Mr. Murray Morgan

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MR. PORTER: We will take up case No. 1339.

(Witness sworn.)

ELVIS A. UTZ

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

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY: MR. COOLEY:

Q State your name and position, please.

A Elvis A. Utz, engineer with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission.

Q Mr. Utz, in your official capacity as gas engineer for the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission, have you had an opportunity to study conditions in oil and gas pools in Northwestern New Mexico?

A Yes, sir, I have.

Q Mr. Utz, are you aware that there were certain errors in Paragraph B and D in the advertisement of this case in the Farmington paper?

A Yes, I am.

Q Do you know whether these errors in advertisement were

corrected and readvertised more than ten days prior to the hearing of this case?

A It is my understanding that they were.

Q Mr. Utz, do you have any recommendations concerning the extension of the Blanco Mesaverde Pool?

A Yes, I recommend that the Blanco Mesaverde gas pool be extended as advertised on the basis of two wells completed in this pool.

Q Do you have any recommendations concerning the extension of the Aztec-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A I recommend that the Aztec-Pictured Cliffs gas pool be extended as advertised on the basis of four wells completed in this pool.

Q And what are your recommendations concerning the Canyon Largo-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A I recommend that the Canyon Largo-Pictured Cliffs gas pool be extended as advertised on the basis of three wells completed in this pool.

Q Do you have any recommendations concerning the extension of the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A Yes, I recommend that the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs gas pool be extended as advertised on the basis of eleven wells completed in this pool.

Q Do you have any recommendations concerning the extension

of the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A I also recommend that the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs gas pool be extended as advertised on the basis of three wells completed in this pool.

Q And what are your recommendations concerning the extension of the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool?

A I recommend that the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool be extended as advertised on the basis of one well completed in this pool.

Q Do you have any recommendations concerning the extension of the Verde-Gallup Oil Pool?

A I recommend that the Verde-Gallup Oil Pool be extended as advertised on the basis of four wells completed in this pool.

Q Do you have any further recommendations in this case?

A No, I do not. I have an exhibit I would like to enter which is designated as Exhibit No. 1 in Case 1339 which states the recommendations for extension and the wells on which they are based.

Q Was this exhibit prepared by you or under your supervision?

A Yes.

MR. COOLEY: I move the admission of Exhibit 1 in Case 1339.

MR. PORTER: Without objection, it will be admitted.
Does anyone else have a question of the witness? If not, the

witness may be excused, and we will take the case under advisement,
and we will recess until tomorrow at 8:30.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
) ss
COUNTY OF BERNALILLO

I, J. A. Trujillo, Court Reporter, do hereby certify that
the foregoing and attached Transcript of Proceedings before the
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission was reported by me in
Stenotype and reduced to typewritten transcript by me, and the
same is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge,
skill and ability.

Witness my Hand and Seal this 5th day of December, 1957,
In the City of Albuquerque, County of Bernalillo, State of New
Mexico.

J. A. Trujillo
J. A. TRUJILLO

My Commission Expires:

October 5, 1960

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