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MR. UTZ: The hearing will come to order, please.	
First, I would like to call for any dismissals that we may have.	
MR. CAMPBELL: Mr. Examiner, Jack M. Campbell, Campbell	
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of this matter down at hearing. The application as amended is now within the rule on administrative procedures for addition of water injection wells, and I understand is now being processed by the Commission on the basis of an administrative order. I, therefore, would like to move that Case 1869 be dismissed.

MR. UTZ: Is there objection to counsel's motion? If not, Case 1869 will be dismissed. Are there others? STATE OF NEW MEXICO) : SS COUNTY OF BERNALILLO)

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have affixed my hand and notarial seal this 12th day of February. 1960.

Notary Public-Court Reporter

My commission expires:

June 19, 1963.

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DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING JANUARY 27, 1960

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION - 9 a.m., MABRY HALL, STATE CAPITOL, SANTA FE

The following cases will be heard before Elvis A. Utz, Examiner, or A. L. Porter, Jr., Secretary-Director:

- <u>CASE 1866:</u> Application of British-American Oil Producing Company for approval of a unit agreement. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order approving its West Bisti-Lower Gallup Sand Unit Agreement, which Unit is to comprise 14,331 acres, more or less, in Townships 25 and 26 North, Ranges 13 and 14 West, San Juan County, New Mexico.
- CASE 1867: Application of British-American Oil Producing Company for a pressure maintenance project in the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool and promulgation of special rules in connection therewith. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing a pressure maintenance project in the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico, by the injection of water into the Lower Gallup formation through 17 wells. Applicant further proposes that special rules be adopted governing said project including the transfer of allowables from injection and shut-in wells to producing wells in the project and for establishment of an administrative procedure to convert additional wells to injection.
- CASE 1868: Application of Hamilton Dome Oil Company, Ltd. for permission to commingle the production from three separate pools. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing it to commingle the production from the Justis-Drinkard Pool, the Justis-Fusselman Pool and an undesignated Tubb pool from wells on a lease consisting of the S/2 SE/4 of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico.
- CASE 1869: Application of Newmont Oil Company for approval to convert five additional wells in the Loco Hills Pool to water injection. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing it to convert to water injection five additional wells in its water flood project in the Loco Hills Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico. Said wells are the Brigham Well No. 1-A, Yates Well No. 4, Yates A Well No. 10, Yates A Well No. 12, and Coppedge Well No. 2, located respectively in the SE/4 SE/4 of Section 31, Township 17 South, Range 30 East, NE/4 SW/4 of Section 6, SW/4 SW/4 of Section 6, NE/4 NE/4 of Section 6, and NW/4 NW/4 of Section 5, all in Township 18 South, Range 30 East.

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- <u>CASE 1870</u>: Application of Newmont Oil Company for permission to install four separate automatic custody transfer systems. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing it to install a separate automatic custody transfer system on each of four leases in applicant's water flood project in the Loco Hills Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- <u>CASE 1871</u>: Application of Union Oil Company of California for approval of a unit agreement. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order approving its North Anderson Ranch Unit Agreement, which Unit is to comprise 360 acres, more or less, consisting of portions of Sections 32 and 33, Township 15 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico.
- CASE 1872: Application of Gulf Oil Corporation for authority to commingle the production from four separate leases and for approval of an automatic custody transfer system to handle said commingled production. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks permission to commingle the production from the following four separate leases and to install an automatic custody transfer system to handle the Pearl-Queen Pool production from all wells located thereon:

Lea-State "AP"lease, E/2 of Section 30; Lea-State "AQ"lease, N/2 of Section 32; Lea-State "BG"lease, N/2 of Section 33; Lea-State "IH"lease, W/2 SW/4 and W/2 SE/4 of Section 29,

all in Township 19 South, Range 35 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

- CASE 1873: Application of The Atlantic Refining Company for an oil-oil dual completion. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing the dual completion of its Langlie Federal "A" Well No. 1, located in Unit H, Section 14, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico, in such a manner as to permit the production of oil from the Justis-Blinebry Pool and the production of oil from an undesignated Tubb pool through parallel strings of tubing.
- <u>CASE 1874:</u> Application of Val R. Reese & Associates, Inc., for a dual completion. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order authorizing the dual completion of its Lybrook Well No. 1-19, located in Unit C, Section 19, Townsnip 24 North, Range 6 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, in such a manner