

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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AZTEC, NEW MEXICO

*Case File
2417*

September 15, 1961

Scanlon & Shepard
Box 601
Farmington, New Mexico

Attn: Mr. R. J. Scanlon

Dear Sir:

We have received Notice of Intention to Drill for your #4 Santa Fe well located in Unit P, Section 21-20N-9W. This is to advise that all operations under the Scanlon & Shepard bond are suspended and a notice of intention to drill will not be approved until such time as you have complied with the rules and regulations regarding past operations under your bond.

Our records indicate that three previous notices had been filed for wells in Section 21. These were the #1, #2, and #3 Santa Fe wells. Miscellaneous notices were filed on the #1 and #2 wells indicating that drilling operations had been performed; however nothing has been filed indicating whether or not the wells were successfully completed or whether it is your intention to plug and abandon them according to Oil Commission rules and regulations. Well Record Form (G-105) has also not been filed on any of the three above-named wells.

As soon as the above matters have been resolved and our files are complete we will consider approval of your notice of intention to drill. In the meantime any drilling operations conducted upon the new location will be in violation of the Oil Conservation Commission rules and regulations and appropriate action will be taken.

Yours very truly

EA:ks

Emery C. Arnold
Supervisor, District #3

cc: Oil Conservation Commission
Santa Fe, New Mexico