

**DUPLICATE**

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Santa Fe, New Mexico

**Notice of Intention to Drill**

JUL 23 1945

Notice must be given to the Oil Conservation Commission or its proper agent and approval obtained before drilling begins. If changes 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. See additional instructions in Rules and Regulations of the Commission.

Artesia, New Mexico

July 9th, 1945

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION,  
Santa Fe, New Mexico.  
Gentlemen:

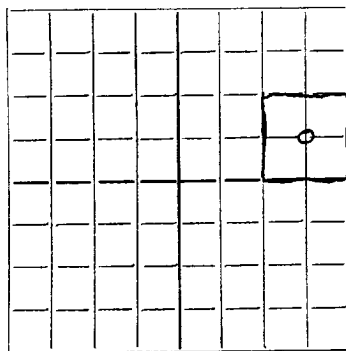
You are hereby notified that it is our intention to commence the drilling of a well to be known as

V. S. WELCH

Well No. 1

Center SE 1/4

of Sec. 31, T. 20 S., R. 33 E., N. M. P. M., State Lea County



AREA 640 ACRES  
LOCATE WELL CORRECTLY

The well is 1980 feet (N.) (S.) of the line and 660 feet (E.) (W.) of the line of Sec. 31, 20, 33

(Give location from section or other legal subdivision lines. Cross out wrong directions.)

If state land the oil and gas lease is No. B-9575, Assignment No.

If patented land the owner is

Address

If government land the permittee is

Address

The lessee is W. N. Welch Estate

Address Artesia, New Mexico

We propose to drill well with drilling equipment as follows:  
Cable Tools

The status of a bond for this well in conformance with Rule 39 of the General Rules and Regulations of the Commission is as follows: Blanket

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
12 1/2	10"	40#	S.H.	650	Landed	
10	8"	32#	S.H.	1300	Cemented	25
8	7"	20#	New	3000	Cemented	50

If changes in the above plan 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 3100 feet.

Additional information:

Approved JUL 23 1945, 19  
except as follows:

"APPROVAL CONDITIONED UPON  
COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS  
OF OPC-WPB."

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION,

By

Title

Sincerely yours,

*W. N. Welch*

Trustee for

Company or Operator

By W. N. WELCH ESTATE

Position

Send communication regarding well to

Name

Address