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DEVONIAN OIL COMPANY
Box 1379
TULSA, OKLAHOMA

December 21, 1935

Mr. Frank Vesely,
State Capitol Building,
Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Vesely:

We wired you this morning under the name of Devonian Oil Company, signed by Mr. A. W. Leonard, our general manager, and this letter is written and I am enclosing copy of our wire to explain our position.

It seems that Humble are running 3,600 barrels in a four inch line, going east out of the Eunice pool to their main north and south trunk system, and that the maximum capacity of said line at the pressure they can maintain with their present equipment is only 4,000 barrels. In the way of explanation, they state that pipe line tariffs have been reduced to a point where they make no profit and therefore, seem hesitant to increase their investment in materials necessary in order to increase their line capacity.

We think that through you and Mr. Staley they will, in all probability, connect to and run oil from our property described as lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Section 5-21S-36E, Lea County; and as it is a State lease, we of course assume you have a direct interest in the matter.

In past dealings with your office we have received most courteous consideration, and we trust that in asking this favor we have not made an unreasonable request.

With the compliments of the season to you and our other good friends connected with the good State of New Mexico, we are

Yours very truly,

(Signed) GEO. D. FOSTER.

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