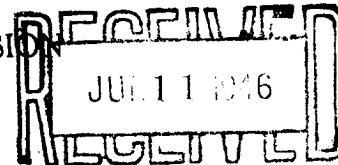


NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Santa Fe, New Mexico

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DRILL



HOBBS OFFICE

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.

Jal., N. M.

3 June 46

PLACE

DATE

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.....

Western Gas Co.

Bates

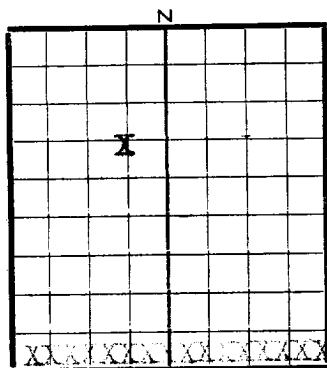
Well No. 3

in SE 1/4, NW 1/4

COMPANY OR OPERATOR

LEASE

of Sec. 18, T. 24 S, R. 37 E, N. M. P. M., Langleie-Mattix, Lea County.



AREA 640 ACRES
LOCATE WELL CORRECTLY

The well is 1980 feet (N.) (S.) of the N line and 1980 feet (E.) (W.) of the W line of Sec. 18-24S-37E

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

If state land the oil and gas lease is No. Assignment No.

If patented land the owner is C. T. Bates

Box 946, ADA, Okla

Address

If government land the permittee is

Address

The lessee is

Address

We propose to drill well with drilling equipment as follows: Rotary - 3600'

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 Bond - Western Gas Co.

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
11"	8-5/8"	32#	New	1250'	Demented	250
7-7/8"	6"	17#	"	3450'	"	250

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 3475 feet.

Additional information:

Approved..... JUN 11 1946, 19.....
Except as follows:

Sincerely yours,

Western Gas Co.

COMPANY OR OPERATOR

By

R. H. McRay
Production Foreman

Send communications regarding well to

Name Western Gas Co.

Address Box 1384, Jal. N. M.

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION,
By Roy Yarbrough
Title Oil Gas Inspector