

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
IN AND FOR THE STATE OF UTAH

IN THE MATTER OF EXTENDING THE ORDER IN) FINDINGS OF FACT
CAUSE NO. 131-2 TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL ACREAGE) AND ORDER
IN THE BLUEBELL AREA, DUCHESNE COUNTY, UTAH) CAUSE NO. 131-3

Pursuant to the Order issued on March 3, 1969, this cause came on for hearing before the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation, Department of Natural Resources of the State of Utah at 11:30 A.M., on Wednesday, April 16, 1969, in the auditorium of the Division of Fish and Game, 1596 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah. The following Board Members were present:

Delbert M. Draper, Jr., Esq., Chairman, Presiding
Charles R. Henderson
Guy N. Cardon
Robert R. Norman
Wallace D. Yardley

Also present and representing the Board:

Cleon B. Feight, Director - Division of Oil and Gas
Conservation
Paul W. Burchell, Chief Engineer, Division of Oil and Gas
Conservation

Appearances were made as follows:

For Chevron Oil Company: William M. Balkovatz, Esq.
Denver, Colorado
A. E. Singleton
Denver, Colorado
T. R. Ashmore
Denver, Colorado
For Flying Diamond Land & Minerals Corp.: Gary Sprouse.
Vernal, Utah
For Ute Indian Tribe: Stephen Boyden, Esq.
Salt Lake City, Utah
For Ute Distribution Corp.: George C. Morris, Esq.
Salt Lake City, Utah
For Himself: John Chasel
Roosevelt, Utah
For U. S. Geological Survey: Rodney A. Smith, Dist. Eng.
Salt Lake City, Utah
For the Attorney General, State of Utah: Sheridan McGarry, Esq.
Salt Lake City, Utah

NOW THEREFORE, the Board, having heard the testimony of the witness and having considered the evidence and being advised in the premises, now makes and enters the following:

FINDINGS

1. Due and regular notice of the time, place and purpose of the hearing was given to all interested parties in the form and manner and within the time required by law and the rules and regulations of the Board.

2. The Board has jurisdiction over the matter covered by said Application and over all parties interested therein and has jurisdiction to make and promulgate the Order hereinafter set forth.

3. That one well on a 320-acre tract will efficiently and economically drain the recoverable oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the hereinafter defined interval of the Lower Green River Formation underlying the hereinafter described lands.

4. In order to prevent waste of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons, to avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells, and to protect correlative rights, 320-acre drilling units should be established for the development and production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from that interval of the Green River Formation underlying the hereinafter described lands, defined as that interval below the stratigraphic equivalent of 9600 feet depth in the Induction Log of the Carter #2 Bluebell well located in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 3, Township 1 South, Range 2 West, U.S.M. (which is equivalent to the depth 9530 feet of the Dual Induction Log run March 15, 1968, in the Chevron #1 Blanchard Well located in the NW 1/4 SE 1/4 of said Section 3) down to the top of the Wasatch Formation defined as depth 11,140 feet of the Dual Induction Log run November 9, 1967, in the Chevron #1 Boren Well located in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 11, Township 1 South, Range 2 West, U.S.M.

5. That in addition to the area defined in its Order of November 20, 1968, the following lands in Duchesne County contain accumulation of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons in the aforesaid interval of the Green River Formation and that such accumulation constitute a common source of supply in the Green River Formation as referred to in the said previous Order, said land being described as follows; to wit:

Township 1 North, Range 1 West, USM
Sec. 32: All Sec. 33: All

Township 1 North, Range 2 West, USM
Sec. 31: All

Township 1 South, Range 1 West, USM
Sec. 4: All Sec. 16: All
Sec. 5: All Sec. 17: All
Sec. 8: All Sec. 20: All
Sec. 9: All Sec. 21: All

Township 1 South, Range 2 West, USM
Sec. 6: All Sec. 18: All
Sec. 7: All Sec. 19: All

6. That the spacing for the Bluebell area should be extended so as to include the lands heretofore described.

7. That the Order issued in Cause No. 131-2 on November 20, 1968, should be made applicable to the said lands.

8. That the Humble Oil Company, Well No. 1 Wesley Bastian, located in the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 8, Township 1 South, Range 1 West, USM, and the Humble Oil Company, Well No. 1 Bluebell, located in the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 6, Township 1 South, Range 2 West, USM should be designated as the drilling unit wells for the E 1/2 of Section 8 and the E 1/2 of Section 6, respectively, and that no other well be permitted to produce from said interval defined in paragraph 4 above, in the 320-acre drilling unit comprising the E 1/2 of said sections, provided of course, that said wells can be successfully completed therein.

ORDER

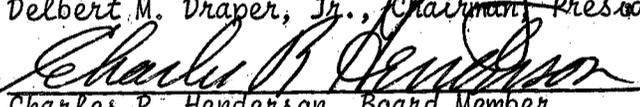
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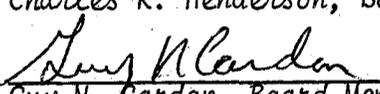
1. That the Order issued in Cause No. 131-2 on November 20, 1968, shall be and is extended to include the lands particularly described in paragraph No. 5 of the foregoing Findings.

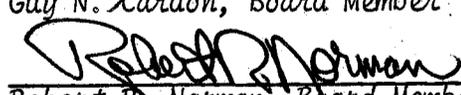
2. That the Humble Oil Company, Well No. 1 Wesley Bastian located in the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 8, Township 1 South, Range 1 West, USM, and the Humble Oil Company, Well No. 1 Bluebell located in the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 6, Township 1 South, Range 2 West, USM, are hereby designated as the drilling unit wells for the E 1/2 of Section 8 and the E 1/2 of Section 6, respectively, and that no other well will be permitted to produce from said interval defined in paragraph 4 above, in the 320-acre drilling unit comprising the E 1/2 of said sections, provided of course, that said wells can be successfully completed therein.

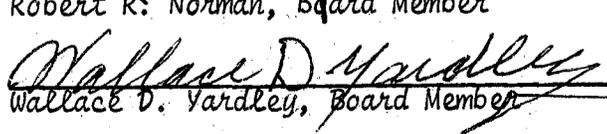
DATED this 16th day of April, 1969.


Delbert M. Draper, Jr., Chairman, Presiding


Charles R. Henderson, Board Member


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IN THE MATTER OF EXTENDING THE ORDER IN CAUSE
NO. 131-2, TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL ACREAGE IN THE
BLUEBELL AREA, DUCHESNE COUNTY, UTAH.

O R D E R
CAUSE NO. 131-3

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COMES NOW THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION, and upon its own motion, orders that a hearing be held for the purpose of determining whether or not the Order in Cause No. 131-2 (which is adopted by reference hereto and attached as exhibit "A") be extended to cover the following described acreage:

Township 1 North, Range 1 West, U.S.M.
Sec. 32: All Sec. 33: All

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Township 1 South, Range 2 West, U.S.M.
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and such other adjacent and contiguous acreage as the Board deems advisable.

The Board is informed and believes and therefore alleges that a hearing should be held because it appears that:

1. Available geological and engineering data obtained from wells in the general area and from other sources indicate that the common accumulation of oil in the Lower Green River Formation underlying the acreage covered by the Order in Cause No. 131-2 also appears to underly the acreage above mentioned.
2. From present knowledge and information, it appears that said accumulation of oil can be efficiently and economically drained by a single well for each 320 acres.
3. From present knowledge and information it also appears that the shape and size of the drilling units established by the Order in Cause No. 131-2 will avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells and protect correlative rights.

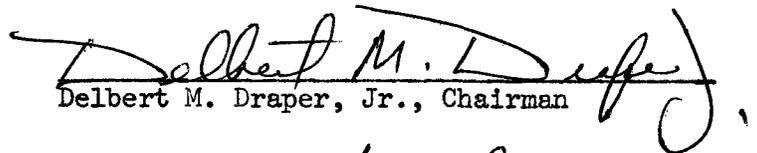
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That a hearing be set at the earliest practicable date.
2. That notice thereof be duly given as required by the

pertinent laws and regulations to all persons entitled
to such notice.

DATED this 3rd day of March, 1969.

STATE OF UTAH
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION


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