

NOTICE OF PROPOSED LOCATION OF OIL AND GAS WELL

(REQUIRED BY SECTION 2, CHAPTER 36, ACTS 1925)

WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES

OIL AND GAS SECTION

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MINES,
Charleston, W. Va.

M.G. Drake
COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

Clam S. Morris
NAME OF WELL OPERATOR

Thursday W. Va.
ADDRESS

Smithville W. Va.
COMPLETE ADDRESS

COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

3-25 1935
PROPOSED LOCATION

ADDRESS

Murphy District

COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

Ritchie County

ADDRESS

Well No. 1

M.G. Drake Farm

GENTLEMEN :

The undersigned well operator is entitled to drill upon the above named farm or tract of land for oil and gas, having fee title thereto, (or as the case may be) under grant or lease dated.....

July 6 1932, made by M.G. Drake & wife, to

Clam S. Morris, and recorded on the 23 day

of Nov. 1932, in the office of the County Clerk for said County in

Book 60, page 187.

The enclosed plat was prepared by a competent engineer and shows the proposed location of a well to be drilled for oil and gas by the undersigned well operator on the farm and in the Magisterial District and County above named, determined by survey and courses and distances from two permanent points, or land marks.

The undersigned well operator is informed and believes there are no coal operators operating beds of coal beneath said farm or tract of land on which said well is located, or within 500 feet of the boundaries of the same, who have mapped their workings and filed their maps as required by law, excepting the coal operators or coal owners (if any) above named as addressees.

The above named coal operators or coal owners (if any) are notified that any objections they may desire to make to such proposed location, or which they are required to make by Section 3 of said Act, if the drilling of a well at said proposed location will cause a dangerous condition in or about their respective coal mines, must be received by, or filed with the Department of Mines within ten* days from the receipt of a copy of this notice and accompanying plat by said Department. Said coal operators are further notified that forms for use in making such objections will be furnished to them by the Department of Mines promptly on request and that all such objections must set forth as definitely as is reasonably possible the ground or grounds on which such objections are based and indicate the direction and distance the proposed location should be moved to overcome same.

(The next paragraph is to be completed only in Department's copy.)

Copies of this notice and the enclosed plat were mailed by registered mail, or delivered to the above named coal operators or coal owners at their above shown respective address.....day.... before, or on the same day with the mailing or delivery of this copy to the Department of Mines at Charleston, West Virginia.

Very truly yours,

Clam S. Morris
WELL OPERATOR

Address of Well Operator }

Smithville W. Va.
STREET
CITY OR TOWN

STATE

*Section 3 If no such objections be filed, or be found by the department of mines, within said period of ten days from the receipt of said notice and plat by the department of mines, to said proposed location, the department shall forthwith issue to the well operator a drilling permit reciting the filing of such plat, that no objections have been made by the coal operators to the location, or found thereto by the department, and that the same is approved and the well operator authorized to proceed to drill at said location.

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WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES

OIL AND GAS DIVISION

PRELIMINARY DATA SHEET NO. 1

File No. _____

Well No. 1

M. G. Drake Gas Company of Smithville, W. Va.

on the M. G. Drake Farm

containing 10 acres. Location Murphy

District, in Ritchie County, West Virginia

The surface of the above tract is owned in fee by M. G. Drake

of Sat Thursday, W. Va. address, and the mineral rights are owned by

M. G. Drake of _____

The oil and gas privileges are held under lease by the above named company, and this well is drilled under permit

No. RIT 327 issued by the West Virginia Department of Mines, Oil and Gas Division

March 5, 1935.

Elevation of surface at top of well, 980 Spirit Barometric.

The number of feet of the different sized casings used in the well.

15 feet - 15' 13 inch size. Wood conductor.

914 feet 5 3/16 size, csg. _____ feet _____ sized csg.

_____ feet _____ size, csg. _____ feet _____ sized csg.

_____ feet _____ size, csg. _____ feet _____ sized csg.

_____ packer of 5 3/16 size, set at 1738

_____ packer of _____ size, set at _____

_____, in casing perforated at 1740 feet to 1743 feet.

_____, in casing perforated at 1852 feet to 1855 feet.

Coal was encountered at None feet, thick ness _____ inches, and at _____

feet; thickness _____ inches; and at _____ feet; thickness _____ inches.

Liners were used as follows: (Give details) _____

June 17, 1935

Date.

Approved M. G. Drake Gas Company, Owner.

By Clare S. Morris Atty in fact.
(TITLE)

JUN 15 1935

WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES

OIL AND GAS DIVISION

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Company of

on the

District in

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and the mineral rights are owned by

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Location of surface at top of well,

The number of feet of the different strata casing used in the well.

--- 12 1/2 inch --- size Wood casing

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Date June 15, 1933

Approved

By

1933

M. G. Drake Gas Company

Smithville, W. Va. Address

COMPLETION DATA SHEET

No. 2

FORMATION RECORD

Well No. 1 RIT-327

Name	Color	Character	Oil, Gas or Water	Top	Bottom	Thickness	Total Depth	Remarks
Big Dunkard	grey	hard		990	1005	15		
1st Salt	"	Med.		1350	1397	47		
2nd Salt	"	"		1563	1627	66		
3rd "	"	"	Gas	1730	1766	36		
Maxton	"	"	"	1774	1857	83		
Little Lime	"	hard		1862	1872	10		
Big "	"	"		1890	1955	45		
Injun	"	"	"	1955	2021	66		
							2036	

shot
Well was not shot at 2007- 2022 feet; well was shot at _____ feet.

Salt
Fresh water at _____ salt
feet; fresh water at _____ feet.

producing
Well was _____ hole.
dry

June 17, 1935
Date

Approved M. G. Drake Gas Company
Owner

NOTE: All bottom formations must be noted as indicated above and all key-rocks and oil and gas sands must be recorded under their proper geological names in the district as well as any local names commonly used in the district for such strata.

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