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WAYLIN OIL COMPANY

1019 SEVENTH AVENUE
HUNTINGTON 9, WEST VIRGINIA

September 12, 1955

Mr. C. N. Hall
Oil & Gas Division
Department of Mines
Charleston, West Virginia

Dear Mr. Hall:

I don't want to prolong our correspondence but I feel that an explanation should be made to put us back in your good graces. While it is true that the permit for WAY-947 was issued on November 8th drilling was not started until March 30th. The drilling was done for the most part daylight and our records indicate that it was drilled into the first pay in the Lime the latter part of July. The well was rather wild and flowed for several days and then quit and when we went back to complete drilling the Lime we found the well full of oil and had to shut down until we got a safety head to prevent the danger of fire. Drilling was then continued to the depth we had previously decided to drill the well. You will see from this that there has not been too much delay in sending the completion report.

From your own experience you know that Lime wells are very erratic and we did not know whether there was merely a pocket in the Lime and that the well would be continued to the Shale or not, and we are quite sure that it is not customary procedure to get a second permit to drill a well after it has been shut down for testing.

We appreciate your indulgence and if we have failed in our obligation as to filing notices with you it was due purely to ignorance on our part.

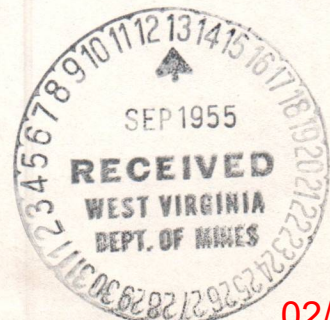
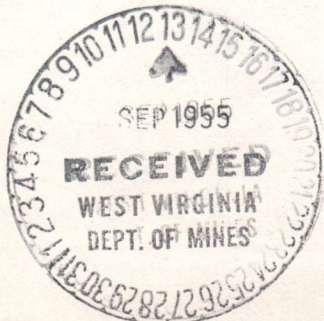
Yours very truly,

WAYLIN OIL COMPANY

David Fox
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*See other
correspondence
way-984*

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1010 SEVENTH AVENUE

HUNTINGTON 2, WEST VIRGINIA

September 15, 1955

Mr. C. W. Hall
Oil & Gas Division
Department of Mines
Charleston, West Virginia

Dear Mr. Hall:

I don't want to prolong our correspondence but I feel that an explanation should be made to put us back in your good graces. While it is true that the permit for W-1-Q-1 was issued on November 18th drilling was not started until March 30th. The drilling was done for the most part daylight and our records indicate that it was drilled into the first pay in the same the latter part of July. The well was rather wild and flowed for several days and then quit and when we went back to complete drilling the same we found the well full of oil and had to shut down until we got a safety head to prevent the danger of fire. Drilling was then continued to the depth we had previously decided to drill the well. You will see from this that there has not been too much delay in sending the completion report.

From your own experience you know that lame wells are very erratic and we did not know whether there was merely a pocket in the lame and that the well would be continued to the shale or not, and we are quite sure that it is not customary procedure to get a second permit to drill a well after it has been shut down for testing.

We appreciate your indulgence and if we have failed in our obligation as to filling notices with you it was due purely to ignorance on our part.

Yours very truly,

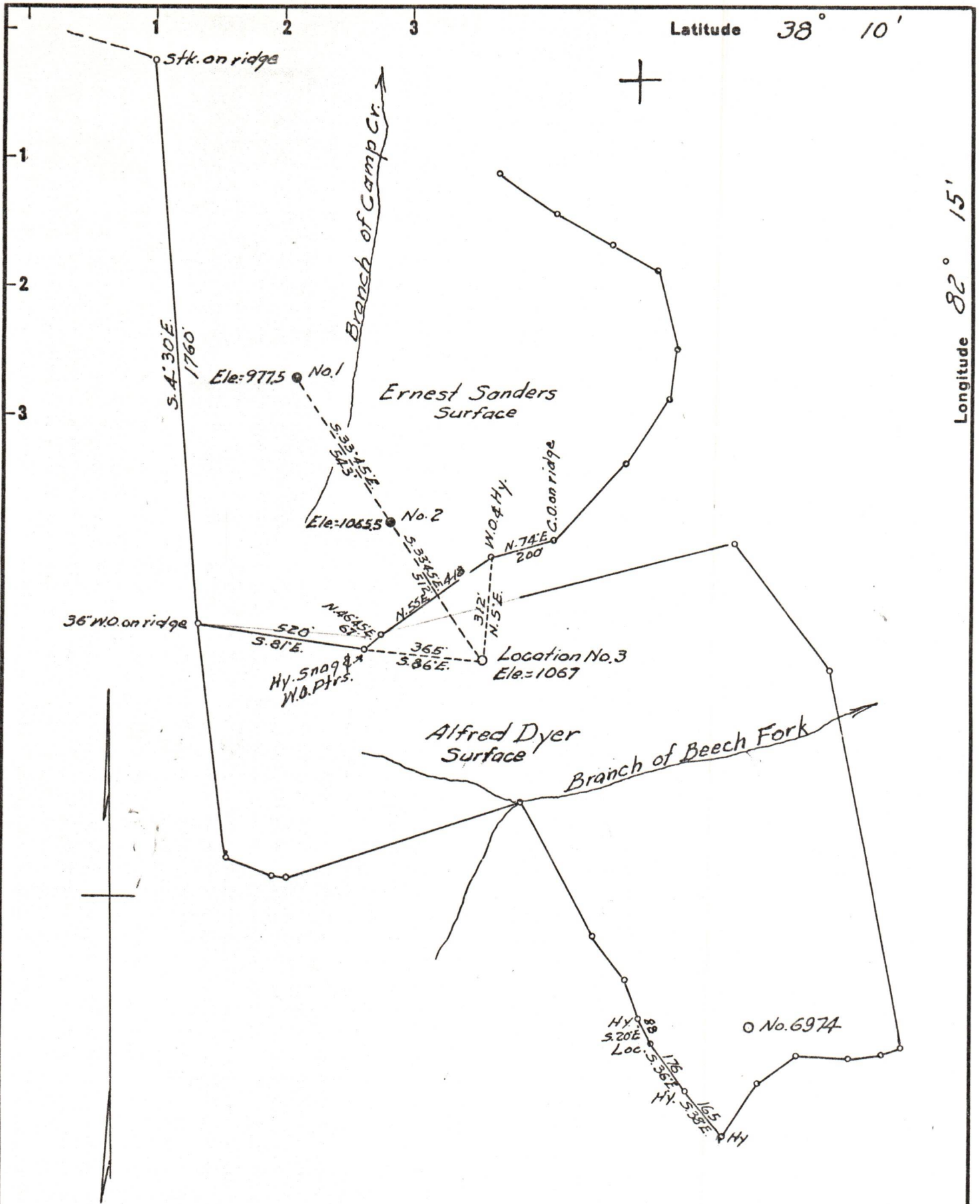
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New Location
 Drill Deeper
 Abandonment

Company WAYLIN OIL CO.
 Address 1019 - SEVENTH AVENUE HUNTINGTON, W. VA.
 Farm U. F. G. CO. MINERAL TR. No. 1
 Tract _____ Acres 16,748.52 Lease No. _____
 Well (Farm) No. 1 Serial No. 3
 Elevation (Spirit Level) 1067.0
 Quadrangle WAYNE
 County WAYNE District STONEWALL
 Engineer G. C. Cowing
 Engineer's Registration No. A 309
 File No. _____ Drawing No. _____
 Date 10-20-54 Scale 1"=400'

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
 DEPARTMENT OF MINES
 OIL AND GAS DIVISION
 CHARLESTON

WELL LOCATION MAP

FILE NO. WAY-947

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+ Denotes location of well on United States Topographic Maps, scale 1 to 62,500, latitude and longitude lines being represented by border lines as shown.

- Denotes one inch spaces on border line of original tracing.