



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

NOTICE OF PROPOSED LOCATION OF OIL AND GAS WELL

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

COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER	Adkins Drilling Co.
ADDRESS	NAME OF WELL OPERATOR 3303 Monel Park, Huntington, W. Va.
COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER	COMPLETE ADDRESS April 28, 1960
ADDRESS	PROPOSED LOCATION Butler District
Chas. W. Massey OWNER OF MINERAL RIGHTS	Wayne County
Pritchard, W. Va. ADDRESS	Well No. 1 38° 15' E 900.0'
	Chas. W. Massey Farm 30 5/8 acres

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 Sept. 23, 1959 of _____, made by Chas. W. Massey, to Commonwealth Gas Co., and recorded on the 3 day of Oct. 1959, in the office of the County Clerk for said County in XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX Oil & Gas Lease Records #50, Page #343.

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.

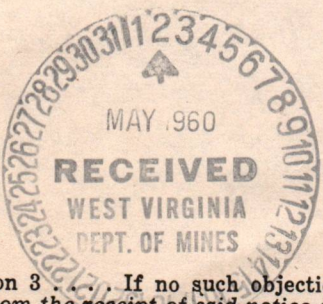
The above named coal operators or coal owners (if any) are notified that any objections they may desire to make to such proposed location, or which they are required to make by Section 3 of said Code, if the drilling of a well at said proposed location will cause a dangerous condition in or about their 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,

Ohlen Adkins
Adkins Drilling Co. WELL OPERATOR
3303 Monel Park,
Huntington, W. Va.
CITY OR TOWN
STATE



Address of Well Operator }

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*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.

WAY-1284

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PERMIT NUMBER



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

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To The Department of Mines
Charleston, W. Va.

NAME OF WELL OPERATOR Addams Drilling Co. 3303 Monel Park, Huntington, W. Va.	COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER
COMPLETE ADDRESS April 28, 1933	ADDRESS
PROPOSED LOCATION Butler Wayne County	COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER
District	ADDRESS Oscar W. Massey Trichmond, W. Va.
Well No. 1	OWNER OR MINERAL RIGHTS
Owner, W. Massey	

The undersigned well operator is entitled to drill upon the above named farm or tract of land for oil and gas, having for this purpose, (or as the case may be) under grant or lease dated Sept. 23, 1932 to _____ made by _____ and recorded on the _____ day of _____, 1933 in the office of the County Clerk for said County in _____, West Virginia.

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 Mineral 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 that 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 boundary 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 8 of said Code, 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.

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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 addresses _____ day before _____ on the same day with the mailing or delivery of this copy to the Department of Mines at Charleston, West Virginia.

Very truly yours,

Oscar W. Massey
Addams Drilling Co.
3303 Monel Park
Huntington, W. Va.
CITY OR TOWN

Address of Well Operator

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*Section 8. 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 reserving the right of such plat that no objections have been made by the coal operators to the location, or found contrary by the department, and that the same is approved and the well operator authorized to proceed to drill at said location.



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES
CHARLESTON

August 8, 1960

CRAWFORD L. WILSON
DIRECTOR

A-10
File
Way-1284
Drilling

Mr. Ohlen Adkins
Adkins Drilling Company
3303 Monel Park
Huntington, West Virginia

Dear Mr. Adkins:

Please send us two copies of the well record for Well No. 1 on Charles W. Massey Farm, Butler District, Wayne County, Permit WAY-1284.

Forms OG-10 are enclosed and we will appreciate the information within the next ten days.

Very truly yours,

CRAWFORD L. WILSON
Director
DEPARTMENT OF MINES

M. E. Gussile
Assistant Director
OIL AND GAS DIVISION



MG/m
enclosures - OG-10 Forms
cc Mr. James W. Pack, Inspector

P.S.

*We didn't drill on the Charles
W. Massey Farm,*

Sincerely, *Ohlen Adkins*

08/25/2023



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES
CHARLESTON

August 8, 1939

CRAWFORD L. WILSON
DIRECTOR

Handwritten note:
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Mr. Charles Adams
National Drilling Company
1000 Bond Street
Washington, West Virginia
Dear Mr. Adams:

I have received two copies of
the well report for well No. 1 on Grants
in Lincoln County, Lincoln District, Wayne County,
West Virginia.

Form 60-10 are enclosed and
will appreciate the information which they
will contain.

Very truly yours,

CRAWFORD L. WILSON
Director
DEPARTMENT OF MINES

Handwritten: OIL AND GAS DIVISION

Enclosures - 60-10 forms
of Mr. James W. Cook, Charleston

Large handwritten note at bottom of page:
The above well is on the Grants
in Lincoln County, Lincoln District,
Wayne County, West Virginia.

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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES
CHARLESTON

LEONARD J. TIMMS
DIRECTOR

October 26, 1961

Mr. Kenneth E. Butcher
RFD #1
Barboursville, West Virginia

Dear Mr. Butcher:

We received a report today that Ohlen Adkins operating as Adkins Drilling Company completed Well No. 1 on Charles W. Massy Farm, Butler District, Wayne County, making 198,000 cubic feet of gas per day with a rock pressure of 765# in 48 hours.

On August 10, 1960, we cancelled the Permit WAY-1284, but told them they could renew it if they decided to drill at a later date.

I will appreciate your investigation on this well to find out if the report we have is correct. A copy of the location map is enclosed.

Very truly yours,

M. E. Gippitt
Assistant Director
OIL & GAS DIVISION

JAZ-7966

MG/mc

Enclosure

P.S. Get the well record if well was drilled. Thank you.



08/25/2023

Barbersville W. Va.
10-28-61

M. C. Griffith

Dear Mrs. Griffith;

I have contacted Mr. Adkins,
Way-1284 has not been drilled.

They ~~are~~ ^{are} not planning an drilling
said location. It would be safe
to cancel said location permanently.

Yours Truly
A. E. Butcher

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August 10, 1960

Mr. Ohlen Adkins
Adkins Drilling Company
3303 Monel Park
Huntington, West Virginia

Dear Mr. Adkins:

We are in receipt of your note on the bottom of our letter of August 8 stating that you did not drill Well No. 1 on Charles W. Massey Farm, Butler District, Wayne County, Permit WAY-1284.

We have cancelled the permit in order to clear this file. If at a later date you decide to drill the well, a letter advising us, will enable us to reinstate the permit.

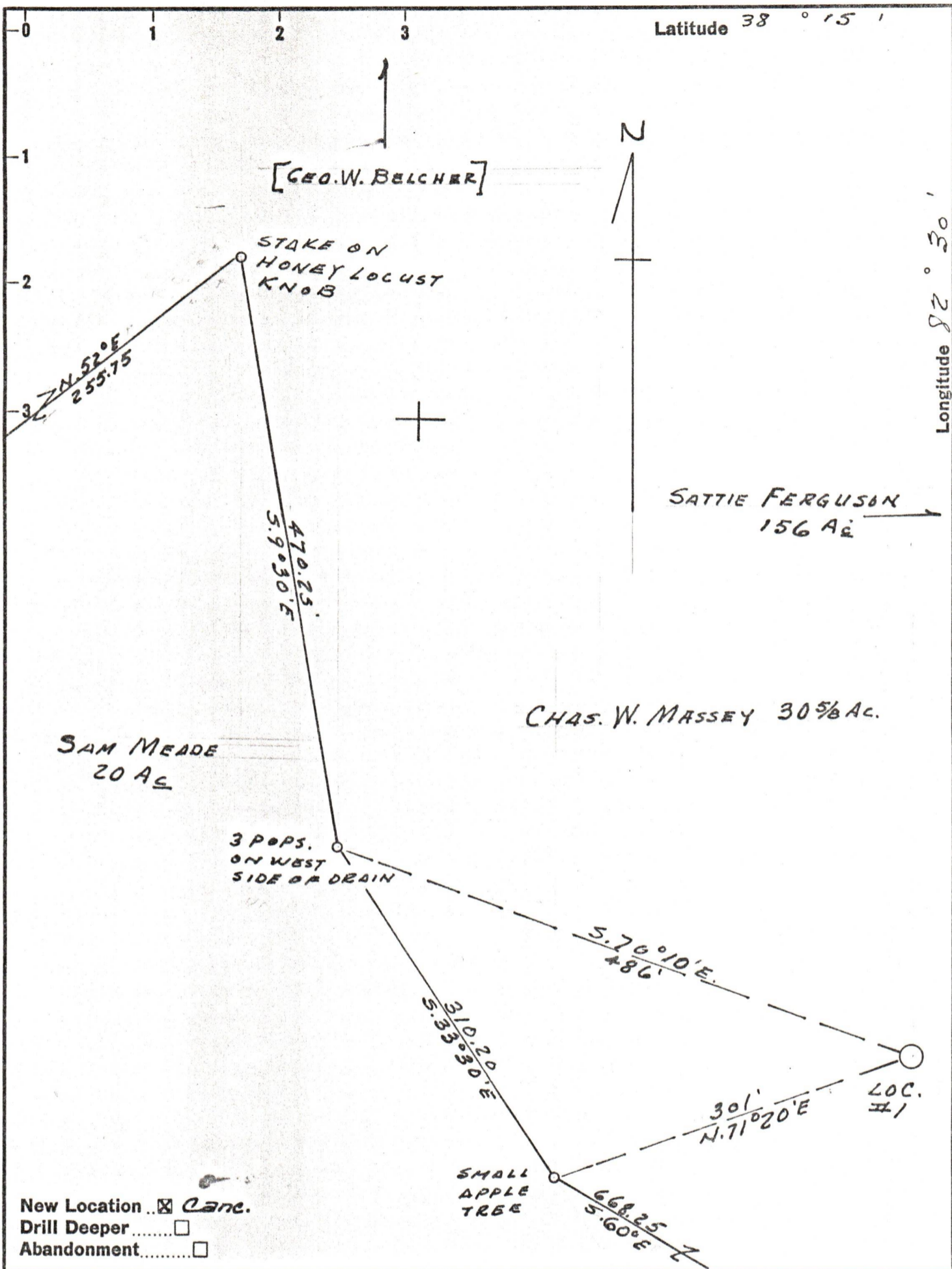
Very truly yours,

CRAWFORD L. WILSON
Director
DEPARTMENT OF MINES

Assistant Director
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

MG/m
cc Mr. James W. Pack, Inspector
Oil and Gas Wells
Hamlin, West Virginia

08/25/2023



Company ADKINS DRILLING CO.
 Address 3303 MONEL PARK, HUNTINGTON, W.VA
 Farm CHAS. W. MASSEY
 Tract _____ Acres 30 5/8 Lease No. _____
 Well (Farm) No. 1 Serial No. _____
 Elevation (Spirit Level) 900.0
 Quadrangle LOUISA
 County WAYNE District BUTLER
 Engineer L. E. Harrison
 Engineer's Registration No. 779
 File No. _____ Drawing No. _____
 Date 28 APRIL 1960 Scale 1" = 100'

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

WELL LOCATION MAP
 FILE NO. WAY-1099 08/25/2023
 Cancelled

+ 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.

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