

NOTICE OF PROPOSED LOCATION OF OIL AND GAS WELL
(REQUIRED BY SECTION 2, CHAPTER 86, ACTS 1929)
WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES
OIL AND GAS SECTION

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

COAL SOLD to
COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

STATE of W. Va.
ADDRESS

Taxes for
COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

ADDRESS

OWNER OF MINERAL RIGHTS

ADDRESS

G. F. Eagon
NAME OF WELL OPERATOR

main st.
New Martinsville W. Va.
COMPLETE ADDRESS

June 28 1937

PROPOSED LOCATION

Proctor District

Metzler County

Well No. One 39° 34' 80° 41' 40 2/3 ac

F. J. & L. V. West 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 Feb 3 - 1936, made by F. J. & L. V. West, to J. M. L. Smith, and recorded on the not recorded day of _____, in the office of the County Clerk for said County in

Book _____, page _____.

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,

G. F. Eagon
WELL OPERATOR

310 main st
STREET

New Martinsville
CITY OR TOWN

West, Va.
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.

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July 10, 1937

Mr. G. F. Eagon
310 Main Street
New Martinsville, W. Va.

Dear Sir:

Permit Wet-162 to drill Well No. 1 on
the F. T. and L. V. West Farm, Proctor District, Wetzel
County, is enclosed.

Duplicate permits are issued. One shall
be posted on the rig.

Very truly yours,

Secretary
OIL AND GAS DIVISION.

MG:g
encl

copy to Inspector Courtney.
Lat 39d-39'
Long 80d-41'

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July 28, 1937

Mr. D. B. Gourley
141 Oak Street
Charlottesville, West Virginia

Dear Mr. Gourley:

Enclosed is a copy of my letter to
Mr. B. F. Ragan concerning your previous report
that the well was started too soon.

In his reply he stated to me also that
he had a right to drill as long as he did not penetrate
coal. However, the particular territory in which he
is drilling is coal territory and of course his argument
does not "hold water."

Very truly yours,

Secretary
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

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Formation	Color	Hard or Soft	Top	Bottom	Oil, Gas or Water	Depth Found	Remarks
Big Dunkard Sand			1430	1470			
Slate			1470	1520			
1st Salt Sand			1520	1565			
Slate			1565	1570			
2nd Salt Sand			1570	1680			
Slate			1680	1685			
Sand			1685	1735			
Slate			1735	1770			
Sand			1770	1800			
Slate			1800	1845			
Sand			1845	1870			
Slate			1870	1915			
Maxon Sand			1915	2000			
Big Lime			2000	2068			
Big Injun Sand			2068	2290			
Slate			2290	2500			
Berea Grit			2500	2525			
Lime Shells			2525	2745			
Pink Rock			2745	2750			
Slate			2750	2875			
Gordon Stray			2875	2885	Oil Show	2878	
Slate			2885	2893			
Gordon Sand			2893	2901	Oil	2995-2901	
Broken Sand			2901	2906			
Slate			2906	2915			
Total Depth					<u>2915</u>		

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Date....., 19.....

APPROVED....., Owner

By.....
(Title)

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New Martinsville

WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

WELL RECORD

Permit No. Wet-162

Oil or Gas Well Oil
(Kind)

Company G. F. Eagon
 Address Main Street, New Martinsville, W. Va.
 Farm F. T. & L. V. West Acres 40-2/3
 Location (waters) Rush Run
 Well No. 1 Elev. 904.
 District Proctor County Wetzel
 The surface of tract is owned in fee by _____
 Address _____
 Mineral rights are owned by _____
 Address _____
 Drilling commenced 6/9/37
 Drilling completed 9/3/37
 Date shot _____ Depth of shot _____
 Open Flow /10ths Water in _____ Inch
 /10ths Merc. in _____ Inch
 Volume _____ Cu. Ft.
 Rock Pressure _____ lbs. _____ hrs.
 Oil _____ bbls., 1st 24 hrs.
 Fresh water _____ feet _____ feet
 Salt water 1520' -- 1940' feet _____ feet

Casing and Tubing	Used in Drilling	Left in Well	Packers
Size			Kind of Packer
16			
13			
10	150'	150'	Size of
8 1/4	1350'	351'	
6 5/8	1780'	--	Depth set
5 3/16	2015'	2015'	
3			Perf. top
2			Perf. bottom
Liners Used			Perf. top
			Perf. bottom

CASING CEMENTED _____ SIZE _____ No. FT. _____ Date _____
 COAL WAS ENCOUNTERED AT 510 FEET 24 INCHES
750 FEET 48 INCHES 840 FEET 84 INCHES
 _____ FEET _____ INCHES _____ FEET _____ INCHES

Formation	Color	Hard or Soft	Top	Bottom	Oil Gas or Water	Depth Found	Remarks
Soil			0	2			
Gravel			2	20			
Sand			20	40			
Red Rock			40	68			
Sand			68	90			
Shale & Shells			90	190			
Lime			190	230			
Red Rock			230	290			
Slate & Shells			290	390			
Lime			390	510			
Native Coal			510	512			
Lime			512	557			
Sand			557	577			
Shale			577	650			
Lime			650	750			
Mapletown Coal			750	754			
Lime			754	830			
Slate			830	840			
Pittsburgh Coal			840	847			
Lime			847	915			
Slate			915	935			
Red Rock			935	943			
Slate			943	965			
Red Rock			965	975			
Lime			975	985			
Red Rock			985	1000			
Sand			1000	1015			
Ime			1015	1020			
Slate			1020	1045			
Red Rock			1045	1055			
Slate			1055	1080			
Red Rock			1080	1100			
Slate			1100	1120			
Red Rock			1120	1160			
Slate			1160	1200			
Red Rock			1200	1310			
Little Dunkard Sand			1310	1340			
Slate Black			1340	1430			

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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

Wet-162

INSPECTOR'S WELL REPORT

Permit No. no permit (Permit Wet 162 of July 10)

Oil or Gas Well.....
(KIND)

Company	Casing and Tubing	Used in Drilling	Left in Well	Packers
Geo Eagan	Size			Kind of Packer.....
New Martinsville W.Va.	16.....			Size of.....
EV West	13.....			Depth set.....
Well No. 1	10.....			Perf. top.....
District <u>Proctor</u> County <u>West</u>	8 1/4.....			Perf. bottom.....
Drilling commenced <u>about June 15th</u>	6 5/8.....			Perf. top.....
Drilling completed..... Total Depth <u>600'</u>	5 3/16.....			Perf. bottom.....
Date shot..... Depth of shot.....	3.....			Perf. top.....
Initial Open Flow...../10ths Water in.....Inch	2.....			Perf. bottom.....
Open Flow after tubing...../10ths Merc. in.....Inch	Liners Used.....			Perf. top.....
Volume.....Cu. Ft.				Perf. bottom.....
Rock Pressure.....lbs.....hrs.	CASING CEMENTED.....	SIZE.....	No. FT.....	Date.....
Oil.....bbls., 1st 24 hrs.	COAL WAS ENCOUNTERED AT.....	FEET.....	INCHES.....	
Fresh water.....feet.....feet	FEET.....	INCHES.....	
Salt water.....feet.....feet	FEET.....	INCHES.....	

I did not go to well

Drillers' Names.....

Well Abandoned and Plugged....., 19.....

REMARKS: claim to have ordered permit but started drilling too soon. (Permit received July 10)

July 8 1937
DATE

D. H. Courtney
DISTRICT LEVEL INSPECTOR



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
 DEPARTMENT OF MINES
 OIL AND GAS DIVISION

INSPECTOR'S WELL REPORT

Oil or Gas Well No. _____
 County _____

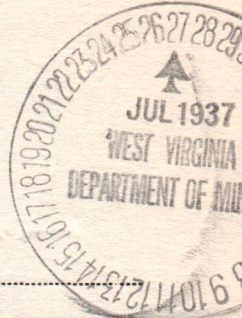
Liquor	Loss in Well	Loss in Running	Loss and Tabling	Remarks

COAL WAS ENCOUNTERED AT _____ FEET. _____ INCHES
 FRESH WATER _____ FEET. _____ INCHES
 HOT WATER _____ FEET. _____ INCHES

REMARKS: _____

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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES
OIL AND GAS DIVISION



INSPECTOR'S WELL REPORT

Permit No. WV 162

Oil or Gas Well
(KIND)

Company <u>Geo Eagon</u>	Casing and Tubing	Used in Drilling	Left in Well	Packers
Address <u>New Martinsville W Va</u>	Size			
Farm <u>LV + SF West</u>	16			Kind of Packer
Well No. <u>1</u>	13			
District _____ County <u>Wetzel</u>	10	<u>150</u>		Size of
Drilling commenced <u>June</u>	8 1/4	<u>1340</u>		Depth set
Drilling completed _____ Total Depth <u>1340</u>	6%			
Date shot _____ Depth of shot _____	5 3/16			Perf. top
Initial Open Flow _____ /10ths Water in _____ Inch	3			Perf. bottom
Open Flow after tubing _____ /10ths Merc. in _____ Inch	2			Perf. top
Volume _____ Cu. Ft.	Liners Used			Perf. bottom
Rock Pressure _____ lbs. _____ hrs.	CASING CEMENTED _____ SIZE _____ No. FT. _____ Date			
Oil _____ bbls., 1st 24 hrs.	COAL WAS ENCOUNTERED AT <u>750</u> FEET <u>48</u> INCHES			
Fresh water _____ feet _____ feet	<u>840</u> FEET <u>84</u> INCHES FEET INCHES			
Salt water _____ feet _____ feet	FEET INCHES FEET INCHES			

Drillers' Names A.W. Steepleton
G.F. Eagon

Well Abandoned and Plugged _____, 19 _____

REMARKS: Drilling Big Duckard.
Had not run 8 1/4" casing

July 22 1937
DATE

J. H. ...
DISTRICT WELL INSPECTOR

started drilling too soon, claims that he may do so

he does not drill thru coal

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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

INSPECTOR'S WELL REPORT

Oil or Gas Well
(Name)

Company

Address

Town

Well No.

District

District commenced

District completed

Date shut

Point of flow

Open flow after tubing

Volume

Rock pressure

Oil

Fresh water

Salt water

Driller's Name

Well Abandoned and Plugged

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REMARKS

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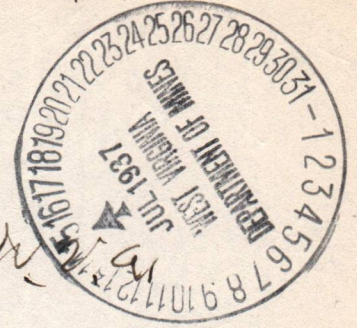
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New Martinsville W. Va.

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Department of Mines

Carleston W. Va.



Ms. Marie E. Griffith

Dear Madam

Just Received your letter of the 13th will say I began work on this well on June 3rd. Started drilling on the 9th I do not have to have any Permit to drill water wells so have a perfect Right to start any well with out any permit so long as I do not drill it into the coal or any known oil or Gas bearing sand. This was not done so why the Stowk. any way The Magic Oil Co had a Permit to drill this well around 3 years ago so I was informed by two of the directors of that Co. they

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100 Washington St. Boston, Mass.
Sept. 14 - 97

Dear Mother,
I have just received your letter
of the 10th and I am very glad to
hear from you. I am well and
hope this will find you the same.
I am still in the hospital and
am not yet able to do much
work.

I have a special report to
write but will wait until I
go home and then I will
write you the good news. I
am not leaving home, this was
not what I wanted. I am
very glad to hear that you
are well and hope you will
continue to be so. I am
still in the hospital and
am not yet able to do much
work.

^{E-5}
Built the rig and that is as far
as they got I am drilling the well
with the rig on the same spot it
was built by them. thought best
to have it plated and get a new
permit to try and keep with in
or up to the law.

I am yours truly.

G. F. Eagan

310 main st

New Martinsville W. Va

P.S. Permit may have been
in DOMAN name. But was

called Magic Oil Co, I had
plenty grief getting the title
cleared on this property Mr.

E. H. Galt an attorney. has done

the work for me and only for him
being very ill. at this time could
get all from him. Regarding Permit
and every other Business of this Co. as
pertains to this property G. F. E.

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Faint, illegible handwriting at the top of the page, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side.

Mr. [Name] [Address]
[Illegible text]

09/22/2023

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July 28, 1937

Mr. D. G. Courtney
161 Oaks Street
Clarksburg, West Virginia

Dear Mr. Courtney:

Enclosed is a copy of my letter to
Mr. G. F. Eagon concerning your previous report
that the well was started too soon.

In his reply he stated to me also that
he had a right to drill as long as he did not penetrate
coal. However, the particular territory in which he
is drilling, is coal territory and of course his argument
does not "hold water".

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