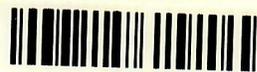


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TO: A. J. Jersin

FROM: William R. Smith

SUBJECT: Check of Abandoned Wells - June 7, 1960

Oil Capital of Colorado - #1 Bowen - NW SE, 10-1N-70W, Boulder County

Met Mr. W. H. Jueking (Bowen's son-in-law), who had hauled most of the debris away. Casing is plugged and extends, plus or minus, two feet above ground. Pits are not filled in, and surface needs to be leveled. Referred to Doug for action.

Texaco, Inc. - #1 Don Crouch Estate - SW SE, 19-3N-69W, Boulder County

There is a 10" Series 600 casinghead on the well and tubing is racked thereby. This well will be checked again at a later date.

Colorado Hydrocarbons Company #2 Yelak - SE SE, 20-4N-69W, Larimer County

The casing is extending above the ground about a foot in this well, and is open. Location is in good condition. The well has been checked before. We will again contact the company to determine their future plans.

Harold H. Menzel - #1 Yelak - SW SW, 21-4N-69W, Larimer County

This well is in exactly the same situation as the one above, except that water is oozing from the casing. It will be handled in the same manner as above.

Front Range Oil and Uranium Co. - #1 Roy Dean - NE SW, 4-7N-69W, Larimer County

On inspecting the well, I found a 4" casing protruding approximately 6" above the ground with reducers and a plug in the end. Pits are open, and the location has considerable debris on it. The well is located on the crest of a small hill just back of a new subdivision. Mrs. Dean was contacted, and she referred me to Mr. Ralph Cojt, an attorney in Fort Collins. Mr. Cojt informed me that they were satisfied with the work of Front Range, and anticipated using the well as a water well and had filed a report with the State Engineer's office. I checked the State Engineer's office, and there was none submitted prior to April; however, they did not know whether one had been submitted since April.