

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 OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

.....  
L. P. Bickel  
NAME OF WELL OPERATOR

.....  
ADDRESS

.....  
Parkersburg, West Virginia  
COMPLETE ADDRESS

.....  
COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

.....  
September 20, 1934  
PROPOSED LOCATION

.....  
ADDRESS

.....  
Murphy District

.....  
COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

.....  
Ritchie County

.....  
ADDRESS

.....  
Well No. 3

.....  
Ben W. & Leland S. Morris Farm  
Parkersburg, W. Va.

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 June 17, 1930

....., made by Ben W. & Leland S. Morris, to

L. P. Bickel, and recorded on the 29th day

of March, 1932, in the office of the County Clerk for said County in

Book 62, page 437

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,

.....  
L. P. Bickel  
WELL OPERATOR  
Francis A. Bickel - atty

Address  
of  
Well Operator }

.....  
1517--19th  
STREET

.....  
Parkersburg  
CITY OR TOWN

.....  
West Virginia  
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.

SEP 21 1934



WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES

OIL AND GAS DIVISION

PRELIMINARY DATA SHEET NO. 1

File No. 37 Well No. 3

L. P. Bickel Company, of Parkersburg, W. Va.

on the Ben W. & Leland Morris Farm

containing 162 acres. Location Leather Bark Creek

Murphy District, in Ritchie County, West Virginia

The surface of the above tract is owned in fee by Ben W. & Leland Morris

of Parkersburg, West Va. address, and the mineral rights are owned by

Ben W. & Leland Morris of Parkersburg, W. Va.

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

No. Rit-265 issued by the West Virginia Department of Mines, Oil and Gas Division

September 21, 1934

Elevation of surface at top of well, Spirit Barometric.

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

16 feet 13" size. Wood conductor.

160 feet 10" size, csg. 460 feet 8 1/2" sized csg.

1892 feet size, csg. feet sized csg.

feet size, csg. feet sized csg.

packer of size, set at

packer of size, set at

, in casing perforated at feet to feet.

, in casing perforated at feet to feet.

Coal was encountered at feet; thickness inches, and at

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

Liners were used as follows: (Give details)

February 16, 1935 Date.

Approved L. P. Bickel, Owner.

By (TITLE)

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L. P. Bickel Company

COMPLETION DATA SHEET

Parkersburg, W. Va. Address

No. 2

FORMATION RECORD

Well No. 3 MORRIS RIT-265

Name	Color	Character	Oil, Gas or Water	Top	Bottom	Thickness	Total Depth	Remarks
Rock	Red			400'	420'			
Sand				415'	445'			
Slate				445'	510'			
Rock	Red			510'	562'			
Lime								
Shell				562'	567'			
Rock	Red			567'	630'			
Lime								
Shell				630'	640'			
Coal				640'	644'			
Lime								
Shell				644'	665'			
Rock	Red			665'	715'			
Slate	White			715'	750'			
Little								
Dunkard				750'	775'			
Slate	White			775'	790'			
Rock	Red			790'	800'			
Sand				800'	875'			
Slate	Black			857'	905'			
Big								
Dunkard				932'	942'			
Slate				942'	1115'			
Sand				1115'	1210'			
Gas			Gas	1120'	1123'			
Slate	Black			1210'	1266'			
Sand				1266'	1340'			
Slate	Black			1340'	1406'			
Sand				1406'	1455'			
Gas				1455'	1462'			
			Oil Show	1462'	1467'			
Slate				1472'				
Salt								
Sand				1520'	1580'			
Break				1580'	1586'			
Maxon				1586'	1615'			
Break				1615'	1644'			
Little								
Lime				1654'	1685'			
Pencil								
Cave				1685'	1690'			
Big Lime				1700'				

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shot Well was not shot at.....feet; well was shot at.....feet.

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

producing Well was hole. dry

February 16, 1935 Date

Approved L. P. Bickel 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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L. P. Bickel ..... Company  
 1515 Nineteenth Street  
 Parkersburg, West Va. .... Address

COMPLETION DATA SHEET  
 No. 2  
 FORMATION RECORD

Well No. 3, "Morris"

Name	Color	Character	Oil, Gas or Water	Top	Bottom	Thickness	Total Depth	Remarks
Rock	Red			400'	420'			
Sand				415'	445'			
Slate				445'	510'			
Rock	Red			510'	562'			
Lime Shell				562'	567'			
Rock	Red			567'	630'			
Lime Shell				630'	640'			
Little								
Coal				640'	644'			
Lime Shell				644'	665'			
Rock	Red			665'	715'			
Slate	White			715'	750'			
Little								
Dunkard				750'	775'			
Slate	White			775'	790'			
Rock				790'	800'			
Sand				800'	875'			
Slate	Black			875'	905'			
Big								
Dunkard				932'	942'			
Slate				942'	1115'			
Sand				1115'	1210'			
			Gas Show	1120'	1123'			
Slate	Black			1210'	1266'			
Sand				1266'	1340'			
Slate	Black			1340'	1406'			
Slate	Black			1406'	1472'			
			Gas Show	1455'	1462'			
			Oil Show	1462'	1467'			
Slate				1472'	1520'			
Salt Sand				1520'	1580'			
Break				1580'	1586'			
Maxon				1586'	1615'			
Break				1615'	1654'			
Little								
Lime				1654'	1682'			
Pencil								
Cave				1682'	1687'			
Big Lime				1687'	1741'			
Keener				1741'	1760'			
Injun				1760'	1833'			
			Gas	1806'	1823'			
			Oil Show	1823'	1833'			
							1841 1/2'	

shot  
 Well was ~~not~~ shot at 1805 1/2' - 1831' feet; well was shot at ..... feet.

No Salt  
 Fresh water at ..... salt  
 feet; fresh water at ..... feet.

producing  
 Well was ..... hole.  
 dry

February 25, 1935  
 Date

Approved .....  
 L. P. Bickel  
 Owner

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COMPLETION DATA SHEET  
No. 2  
FORMATION RECORD

Well No. 3 "Morris"  
Address Parkersburg, West Va.  
Company F. P. Bickel  
1815 Nineteenth Street

Remarks	Total Depth	Thickness	Bottom	Top	Oil Gas or Water	Character	Color	Name
			430'	400'			Red	Rock
			445'	415'				Sand
			510'	445'				Slate
			525'	510'			Red	Rock
			557'	525'				Lime Shell
			630'	557'			Red	Rock
			640'	630'				Lime Shell
								Little
			644'	640'				Coal
			655'	644'				Lime Shell
			715'	655'			Red	Rock
			750'	715'			White	Slate
								Little
			775'	750'				Turnard
			790'	775'			White	Slate
			800'	790'				Rock
			875'	800'				Sand
			905'	875'			Black	Slate
								Big
			945'	925'				Turnard
			1115'	945'				Slate
			1210'	1115'				Sand
			1125'	1120'	Gas Show			
			1225'	1210'			Black	Slate
			1240'	1225'				Sand
			1405'	1240'			Black	Slate
			1425'	1405'			Black	Slate
			1455'	1425'	Gas Show			
			1485'	1455'	Oil Show			
			1487'	1485'				Slate
			1520'	1487'				Salt Sand
			1530'	1520'				Break
			1585'	1530'				Maxon
			1515'	1585'				Break
			1554'	1515'				Little
								Lime
			1685'	1554'				Yencil
								Cave
			1687'	1685'				Big Lime
			1741'	1687'				Kemper
			1760'	1741'				Turn
			1835'	1760'				
			1825'	1835'	Gas			
			1835'	1825'	Oil Show			

18415'

Well was first shot at 1805' - 1831' feet; well was shot at 18415' feet.  
 First water at 1831' feet; fresh water at 18415' feet.  
 Well was productive hole OX  
 February 25, 1935  
 Approved: F. P. Bickel  
 Date

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