

NOTICE OF PROPOSED LOCATION OF OIL AND GAS WELL
(REQUIRED BY SECTION 2, CHAPTER 22, CODE 1931)
WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES
OIL AND GAS SECTION

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

M. P. WELLS

COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

NEW MARTINSVILLE, WEST VA.

ADDRESS

M. P. WELLS

COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

NEW MARTINSVILLE, WEST VA.

ADDRESS

M. P. WELLS

OWNER OF MINERAL RIGHTS

NEW MARTINSVILLE, WEST VA.

ADDRESS

S. J. BRENDDEL

NAME OF WELL OPERATOR

565 Union Trust Bldg, Pittsburgh Pa.

COMPLETE ADDRESS

FEBRUARY

1939

PROPOSED LOCATION

PROCTOR

District

WETZEL

County

Well No.

1

39° 42'

80° 43'

67 acres

M. P. WELLS

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

JUNE 20TH, 1938

M. P. WELLS AND WIFE

S. J. BRENDDEL

and recorded on the 12TH day

of JULY

1938

in the office of the County Clerk for said County in

Book 32A, page 439

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,

S. J. Brendel by J. Van Kirk

WELL OPERATOR

565 Union Trust Bldg

STREET

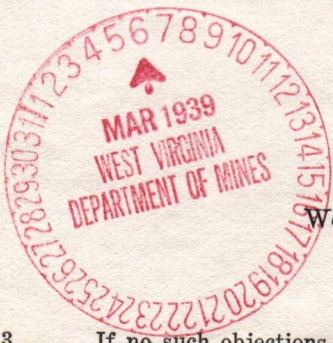
PITTSBURGH

CITY OR TOWN

PENNSYLVANIA

STATE

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Address of Well Operator

*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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NOTICE OF PROPOSED LOCATION OF OIL AND GAS WELL
 (PREPARED BY SECTION 2, CHAPTER 22, CODE 1941)
 WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES
 OIL AND GAS SECTION

To The Department of Mines
 Charleston, W. Va.

S. J. STANLEY

M. F. WELLS

NAME OF WELL OPERATOR

COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

LOCALITY ADDRESS

ADDRESS

PROPOSED LOCATION

COAL OPERATOR OR COAL OWNER

PROPOSER

ADDRESS

PROPOSER

M. F. WELLS

WELLS

OWNER OF MINERAL RIGHTS

NEW MARGIE VILLAGE, WEST VA.

M. F. WELLS

ADDRESS

The undersigned well operator is entitled to drill upon the above named farm or tract or land for oil and gas having the title thereto (or as the case may be) under grant or lease, date _____

JUNE 20TH, 1923, made by _____

S. J. STANLEY, and recorded on the _____

The above map 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 on land marks.

The undersigned well operator is informed and believes there are no coal operators or owners of coal beneath said farm or tract 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, respecting the coal operators or coal owners (if any) above named as aforesaid.

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 2 of said Code, if the drilling of a well at said proposed location will create 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 a copy of this notice by said Department. Said coal operators or owners 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 a definite and as far as possible the proposed location on which such objections are based and indicate the distance and distance the proposed location should be moved to remove 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 addresses _____ days before _____ and the same day with the return of this copy to the Department of Mines at Charleston, West Virginia.

Very truly yours,

WELL OPERATOR

STREET

PINE BLUFF

CITY OR TOWN

WEST VIRGINIA

STATE

Address
 of
 Well Operator

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Section 2. . . . 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 title of such plat, that no objections have been made by the coal operators to the location, or found therein 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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New Martinsville, West Va.
March 7th 1939.

Department of Mines,
Marie E. Griffith, Secretary,
Oil & Gas Division,
Charleston, West Va.

Dear Madam-

This is to acknowledge receipt of your favor of
December 6th., advising me concerning location of S. J.
Brendel Well No. 1, on my lands situate in Proctor District,
Wetzel County, West Va.

I am fully informed as to this proposed location, and
it meets with my approval and no objections will be made or
filed. All of the coal, oil, gas and other minerals within
and under this property is owned in fee by me.

Yours very truly,

M. P. Wells

File Wet- 221



New Martinsville, West Va.
March 7th 1939.

Department of Mines,
Marie F. Griffith, Secretary,
Oil & Gas Division,
Charleston, West Va.

Dear Madam-

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and under this property is owned in fee by me.
Yours very truly,



Handwritten signature and red ink scribbles.

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March 10, 1939

Mr. S. J. Brendel
568 Union Trust Building
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Dear Sir:

Permit Wet-221 to drill Well No. 1 on the
M. P. Wells Farm, Proctor District, Wetzel County,
is enclosed.

Duplicate permit shall be posted on the rig.

When the well is completed, please file complete
record on the enclosed forms OG-10.

Very truly yours,

Secretary
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

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42'
Lat39d-40'
Long80d-43'

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March 27, 1939

J. M. Cochran, County Surveyor
R. F. D. #2, Box #61-A
New Martinsville, West Virginia

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of two tracings of well locations; one made for I. H. Beren, Marietta, Ohio, and the other for S. J. Brendel Company, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and note that you do not understand the requirements in regard to latitude and longitude and the "cross".

The actual latitude and longitude of the well location should not be given on the border lines of the tracing, but the nearest five-minute latitudinal and longitudinal lines are to be given on the border lines and the cross should be placed with reference to these five-minute lines in accordance with the note on the bottom of the tracing.

In other words, the upper right-hand right-angle where the latitude and longitude is shown, is to be placed on the United States topo sheet on the nearest five-minute latitudinal and longitudinal lines to the well location, and the cross should be so placed in relationship to the latitude and longitude, as to show the actual well location.

Please make corrections and return as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

Secretary
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

MG/ar

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OFFICE OF
J. M. COCHRAN
COUNTY SURVEYOR, WETZEL COUNTY
PORTERS FALLS, W. VA.

March 30th 1939

Department of Mines,

Charleston, West Virginia;

Am herewith incloseing the traceings of well locations, sent me on the 27th: of the S. J. Brendel Company of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: and I. H. Beren, of Marietta, Ohio for corrections in regard to Land Quadrant and map markings; and appreciate very much that you did so, as it is my desire to get this work out in a satisfactorally manner to all concerned.

I believe I have made the corrections so that they will meet with your approval, but if not sent them back and I will endeavor to do so.

Trusting that every thing will prove satisfactorally to all concerned,

I am Yours very truly

J. M. Cochran

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File with 221

April 1, 1939

J. M. Cochran, County Surveyor
Porters Falls, West Virginia

Dear Sir:

I am sorry to be compelled to return your tracings again as the data does not yet correspond with the topo sheet. Location on the Ernest Bell Farm, which is shown on the tracing as being in Battelle District, Monongalia County, and latitude 39d-40', longitude 80d-20', does not correspond with the position of the cross. In other words, when the latitude and longitude as shown on your tracing, is placed in that position on the Mannington Quadrangle sheet, your cross falls into latitude 39d-40' and longitude 80d-25', and is in Mannington District, Marion County, instead of Battelle District, Monongalia County.

Please read again the third paragraph in my letter of March 27th.

Your other tracing of the M. P. Wells Farm, with the corrected latitude and longitude now given, does not fall into the Littleton Quadrangle.

Very truly yours,

Secretary
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

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OFFICE OF
J. M. COCHRAN
COUNTY SURVEYOR, WETZEL COUNTY
PORTERS FALLS. W. VA.

April 5th; 1939,

Department of Mines,

Charleston, West Virginia;

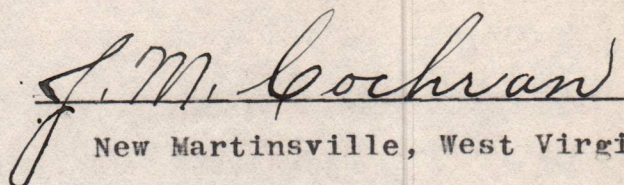
Marie E. Griffith, Secretary.

Herewith inclosed I am sending the Well Location Drawings, of I. H. Beren, of Marietta, Ohio, and S. J. Brendel Company, of Pittsburg, Pa; which I have corrected, and believe that you will find them alright this time, and appreciate very much your co-operation and assistance in helping me to get this streightened out.

To assist you in checking up on this, will say that the well on the M. P. Wells farm is located just East of Whetstone Creek, in Proctor District, Wetzel County, and about one and one half miles East of the Antioch School, and about 1-1/2 miles South from Saint Joseph in Marshall County, Littleton Quadrangle.

The Ernest Bell, farm or the well being abanded is located about five miles almost due East from Hundred, Wetzel County, and about 3/4 of a mile North West from Wadestown, in Battelle, District Monongalia County, Mannington Quadrangle.

Trusting that every thing will prove satisfactorally (but if not please return to me for correction) Very truly yours



New Martinsville, West Virginia:

R. F. D. 2 Box 61 A.

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OFFICE OF
J. M. COCHRAN
COUNTY SURVEYOR, WATZEL COUNTY
PORTERS FALLS, W. VA.

April 25th 1939

Department of Mines,

Charleston, West Virginia

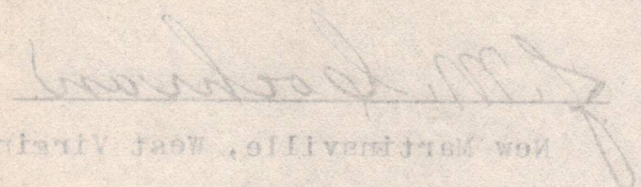
Marie E. Griffith, Secretary

Herewith enclosed I am sending the Well Location Drawings, of I. H. Beron, of Harbetta, Ohio, and S. J. Brendel Company, of Pittsburgh, Pa; which I have corrected, and believe that you will find them alright this time, and appreciate very much your co-operation and assistance in helping me to get this straightened out.

To assist you in checking up on this, will say that the well on the V. P. Wells farm is located just East of Whetstone Creek, in Proctor District, Wetzell County, and about one and one half miles East of the Antioch School, and about 1-1/2 miles South from Saint Joseph in Marshall County, Littleton Quadrangle.

The Ernest Bell farm on the well shown attached is located about five miles almost due East from Hundred, Wetzell County, and about 3/4 of a mile North West from Wadestown, in Battle, District Monongalia County, Mannington Quadrangle.

Trusting that every thing will prove satisfactorily (but if not please return to me for correction) very truly yours



J. M. Cochran
New Martinsville, West Virginia
R. F. D. 2 Box 81 A.

SAMUEL J. BRENDEL
OIL AND GAS PROPERTIES
UNION TRUST BUILDING
PITTSBURGH, PENNA.

October 12, 1939

Marie E. Griffith, Secretary
Oil & Gas Division
Department of Mines
Charleston, West Virginia

Dear Madam:

Your letter of October 7, requests a record of the well drilled by S. J. Brendel on the M. P. Wells Farm in Proctor District, Wetzel County, West Virginia, covering which your office issued Permit #WET-221 under date of March 16, 1939.

Subsequent to receipt of the Permit the drilling of the well's tract was indefinitely postponed. When Mr. Brendel decides to proceed with the drilling of such a well, we will then apply to your office for the necessary permit required by the laws of your State.

Very truly yours,

C. M. Whitehead

CMW:IA

Opened by mistake -- sorry

Conservation Commission



09/22/2023

SAMUEL J. BRENDEN

ATTORNEY AT LAW

UNION TRUST BUILDING

PITTSBURGH, PENNA.

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INVESTIGATION DIVISION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

SAMUEL J. BRENDEL
OIL AND GAS PROPERTIES
UNION TRUST BUILDING
PITTSBURGH, PENNA.

August 8, 1940

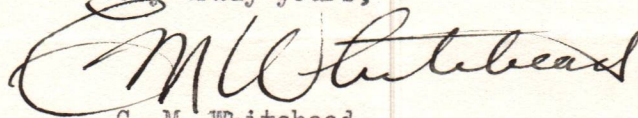
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Marie E. Griffith, Secretary
Oil and Gas Division
Department of Mines
Charleston, West Virginia

Dear Madam:

The well record of No. 2 Well drilled by S. J. Brendel on the M. P. Wells Tract in Proctor District, Wetzel County, West Virginia, is enclosed herewith. This information ^{is} ~~was~~ furnished in compliance with the request contained in your letter at the time Permit #WET-236 was issued by your office. Our No. 1 location on this Tract was not drilled and the rig was moved to the location covered by the enclosed well record.

Very truly yours,



C. M. Whitehead

Encl.
CMW:IA

09/22/2023

