



MARGARET GUMP NO. 1 WELL.

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*Gump*  
.....District, Wetzel County, W. Va.  
By South Penn Oil Co.

Record not given in detail. 1.6 mi. S.E. of *Thirion (?)*

"In Margaret Gump No. 1, where the Pittsburgh Coal was struck at 760 feet, some oil was found in a sand at 1109 feet, 344 feet below the Pittsburgh Coal, which is possibly in the upper Dunkard horizon."

This is probably the Moundsville Sand.....RCT

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Smithfield region.  
Completed in 1897.

	Top.	Bottom.
Pittsburgh Coal	760	- 765
Dunkard Sand (Saltsburg) (oil, 1109')	1094	- 1109
Total depth		1120

"The drillers have called this sand the Dunkard, although its top is only 334 feet below the Pittsburgh Coal, while the Little Dunkard Sand (Upper Mahoning) of that region lies 100 feet lower, or 400 to 430 feet below the Pittsburgh Coal, and the Big Dunkard Sand (lower Mahoning) comes 500 feet below the Pittsburgh Coal, as may be seen by the several previous records. Hence, this oil sand on the Margaret Gump farm is not one of the Dunkard Sands at all, since they are the Upper (Buffalo) and Lower Mahoning beds, the principal oil horizon being in the Upper one at 440 feet below the Pittsburgh Coal. The sand in question comes at the horizon of the Saltsburg Sandstone and is identical with that which holds the very light gravity ( $6\frac{1}{2}$ ) oil near Moundsville, Marshall County, at 300 feet below the Pittsburgh Coal, and, hence, is improperly called Dunkard, although it may be identical with the First Cow Run Sand in Ohio, and many other places in West Virginia."

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*1.6 mi. N.E. of Durbin (?)*

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Pittsburgh Coal	760	765
Bunkard Sand (oil, 1109')	1094	1109
Total depth		1120