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OIL AND GAS DEVELOPMENT OF TRI-STATE

Latest Reports of Operations in West Virginia, Pennsylvania and Ohio.

Development work in every section of the eastern fields is again beginning to hum and at the present rate of increase in field work all records will be shattered. While there is an increase in production in a good many fields, the amount is not sufficient to cause an immediate increase in new production to an extent that can exceed the demand for high grade crude. According to late reports, conditions in the Mid-Continent fields are not so encouraging for keeping production and consumption on a parity. To cause a radical change in the eastern fields operators must have better success in their efforts for new producing territory than has been realized up to the present time. No new pools of appreciable dimensions have been revealed since the first of the year. During the interim many test wells have been completed and the result is light pumps or dry holes.

Dry Hole East of Dorseyville.
The development of a fifth sand pool east of Dorseyville field, in Indiana township, Allegheny county, was regarded as the most promising for new producing territory and production. Several months ago, when the good fifth sand well was completed on the Esther Evans lot, it looked favorable for a pool, and the completion of other tests was awaited with no little interest. The first of the tests started soon after the Evans lot well came in has just been drilled through the fifth sand and is a duster. It is Walley and Company's test on the J. P. Role farm, located about 4,000 feet west of a little south of the Evans lot well. This well coming in dry gives the anticipated west extension a black eye.

Another important test in the same locality is due to get the sand tomorrow. It is Elmer Laughner and Company's well on the Samuel Googner farm and is located a short distance north of the Evans lot producer. About two miles southeast of the light pool, in O'Hara township, the Squaw Run Oil Company drilled its test on the Josephine Sleigh farm through the thirty-foot sand and found it barren and are drilling to the fifth sand. In the fifth sand territory, in Indiana township, Walley Company are drilling at 1,000 feet on the George Seibert farm. Three miles southwest of the Dorseyville field Schlager and Freid are down 1,500 feet at a test on the George Meister farm and the South Penn Oil Company, Midland division is drilling on Lowry's run, Ross township. Stier and Company have started to drill their well on the George Wise farm to the lower sands. Marshall and Company have pulled the casing at their test on the E. Spear farm. It was looking and they will put the casing back and expect to have a light producer. At West View McClary and Company are testing in the 100-foot sand on the Koop farm.

West Virginia.
Lincoln county, W. Va., is keeping up its record for completing new wells and starting new work. On Sugar Tree fork, Union district, the Big Creek Development Company completed No. 7 on the Eliza Curves farm and has a twelve-barrel pumper. In the same locality, on the same stream

the Ohio Fuel Oil Company has started to drill No. 8 on the Neri Kenney farm.
Drilling to the lower sand and shooting is still a feature in the old Squaw sand field in Elk district, Kanawha county. The South Penn Oil Company drilled No. 1 on the Benjamin Slack farm and gave it a shot and it is a light pumper in the lower sand. In the same locality the Ohio Fuel Oil Company gave its No. 1 on the E. B. Slack farm the same treatment and with the same result.

Light Wells in Roane County.
On Henry Fork, Smithfield district, Roane county, the South Penn Oil Company drilled No. 19 on the M. J. Spodgrass farm through the Big Injun sand. It is located 600 feet northwest of production on the Tallman farm and is a light pumper. On Ashley Camp run, Geary district, the same company's No. 5 on the A. B. Caldwell farm is a light pumper in the same formation. On Charles Fork of Spring Creek, Spencer district, the South Penn Oil Company has started to drill a test on the J. D. Carpenter farm.

In Sardis district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company drilled No. 3 on the J. W. Davis farm through the Gordon sand and it is a light pumper. In West Union district, Doddridge county, the Carter Oil Company's No. 3 on the E. L. Chalfant farm is through the Big Injun sand and showing for a 20-barrel producer.

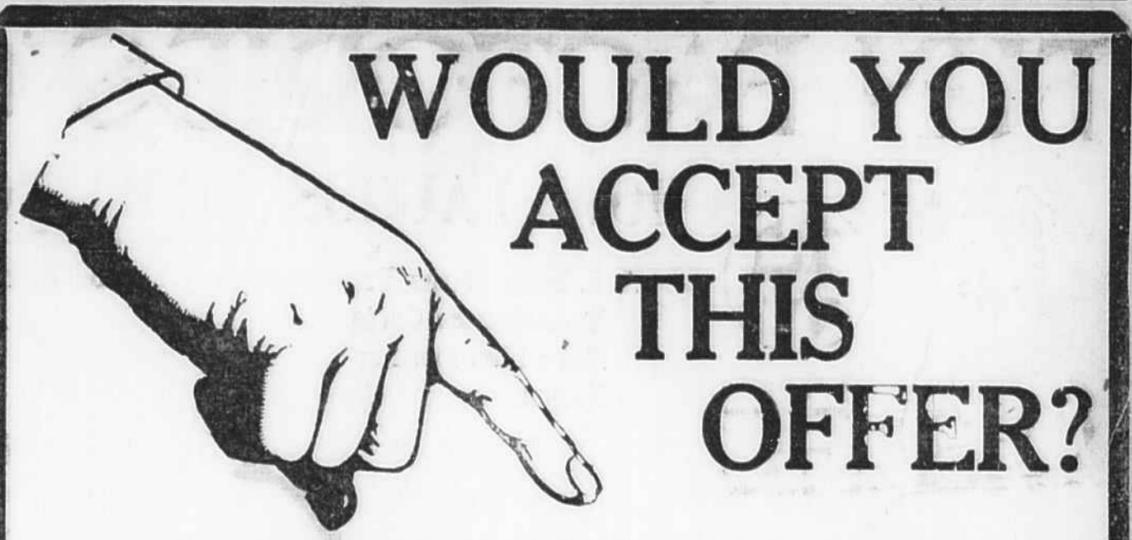
Southeastern Ohio.
Light pumps are the offering of the shallow sand districts in Southeastern Ohio. In the Newport district, Newport township, Washington county, Berry and Company drilled two tests on the Mary Goodman farm through the first Cow Run sand and both are very light pumps. In the same district the Crescent Producing Company's No. 16 on the Charles Plumer farm is a duster in the Goose Run sand. The same company drilled No. 31 on the Plumer heirs' farm through the Mitchell sand, and it produced thirty barrels the first twenty-four hours.

Producing Properties Change Hands.
In the McDonald field, Hoon and other Butler parties have purchased Robb and Briggs' wells and one from the Simpson Oil Company for a consideration of \$12,000. There are five producing wells on the properties, having a gross production of about six barrels a day. The new owners made the purchase with a view to installing a casing head gasoline plant on the property. This work is now under way, and it is understood that the Buttricks have options on other properties in the immediate vicinity.

The gas derived from the wells in rich in gasoline and the properties acquired were taken over as much for the yield of that product as the oil production.

The Oil Markets.
The prices paid for oil of various grades by the purchasing agents are:

Pennsylvania	\$2.60
Mercer black	2.10
New Castle	2.10
Corning	2.10
Cabell	2.12
North Lima	1.73
South Lima	1.73
Wooster	2.00
Indiana	1.58
Princeton	1.82
Somerset	1.95
Ragland	.90
Illinois	1.82
Kansas and Oklahoma	1.52
Plymouth	1.52
Heraldton	.80
Coriscana, light	1.51
Coriscana, heavy	.80
Electra	1.55
Henrietta	1.55
Thrall	1.55
Moran	1.55
Strawn	1.55
Caddo, crude	1.00
Fidelity & Guaranty Co.	1.00
De Soto	1.05
Crichton	1.05
Caddo, 35 degrees	1.25
Caddo, 32 degrees	1.20
Caddo, 38 degrees	1.45
Canada	2.18



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Some More About the 78c Sale which will be Thursday, June 22 AND CONTINUES ALL DAY FRIDAY

This will be a clean-up sale, and articles offered are from our regular stock. Some we have too much of, others just a few sizes and we want to clean out the line. The regular price of these goods run from

\$1.00 to \$1.50

Ladies' House Dresses
Middies, slightly soiled and mused.
Ladies' Shirtwaists, value to \$1.00.
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Ladies' Muslin and Crepe Gowns
Ladies' Hand Bags.

CORSETS

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Ladies' Fine Sateen Underskirts.
Ladies' Princess Slips
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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

Lawson L. Lear, James M. White, trading as Lear & White
Fleming H. Holden, Harry W. Sheets, Trustee Clarksburg Trust Company, a corporation, The Lowndes Savings Bank & Trust Company, a corporation, Trustee West Virginia Bank, a corporation, and Elk Creek Development Company, a corporation.
In pursuance of an order of reference entered in the above styled cause in the Circuit Court of Harrison County, West Virginia, on the 1st day of June, 1916, the same was referred to the undersigned commissioner who is directed to take, state and report an account showing:
(1) All of the real estate owned by the defendant, Fleming H. Holden, in said bill and proceedings described, where situate, and the description and quantity thereof.
(2) All of the liens on said real estate, by whom held and their respective amounts and priorities.
(3) Whether the rents and profits of said real estate will be sufficient in five years to pay off and discharge the said liens thereon, and the costs of this suit.
(4) All such other matters as any party in interest may require, if pertinent, and such other matters as the Commissioner himself may deem pertinent, whether required or not.
The above named parties and all others interested will take notice that the undersigned commissioner will on the 20TH DAY OF JULY, 1916, proceed to execute said order of reference at his office, 323-324 Goff Building, Clarksburg, West Virginia.
Given under my hand this 12th day of June, 1916.
LAFAYETTE C. CRILE, Commissioner.
Chas. C. Scott, Solicitor.

NOTICE TO LIEN HOLDERS.

To all persons holding liens by judgment or otherwise on the real estate, or any part thereof, of Fleming H. Holden:
In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Harrison County, made in a cause therein pending to subject the real estate of the said Fleming H. Holden to the satisfaction of the liens thereon, you are hereby required to present all claims held by you and each of you by the said Fleming H. Holden, which are liens on his real estate, or any part of it, for a judgment to me, at my office, 323-324 Goff Building, Clarksburg, West Virginia, on or before the 20th day of July, 1916.
Given under my hand this, the 12th day of June, 1916.
LAFAYETTE C. CRILE, Commissioner.

According to a consular report from Amsterdam, the national wealth of Holland has increased since the war began by 160 per cent.

NOTICE TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS.

L. Dale Westfall, vs. IN CHANCERY IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HARRISON COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA.
Clarence V. Westfall and United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co.
To Clarence V. Westfall and United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co.:
You will take notice that the deposition of L. Dale Westfall and sundry witnesses will be taken at the law office of Harvey W. Harmer on Court Street in the City of Clarksburg, Harrison County, West Virginia, on the 17th day of July, 1916, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m. and six o'clock p. m. to be read in evidence on the hearing of the above entitled cause in behalf of the said L. Dale Westfall.
If from any cause the taking of the same shall not be commenced, or being commenced, shall not be completed on that day the taking of the same will be adjourned from time to time until they are completed.
Yours, etc.,
L. DALE WESTFALL.
HARVEY W. HARMER, Counsel.

SALE OF VALUABLE SCHOOL HOUSE AND FOUR LOTS.

Pursuant to an order of the Board of Education of Coal district, Harrison County, West Virginia, made and entered on the 1st day of May, 1916, the said Board of Education will on
SATURDAY, JUNE 24TH, 1916, at or about one o'clock P. M. at the front door of the court house of Harrison county, West Virginia, sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, situate in the District of Coal of said Harrison County, in what is known as Summit Park Addition to the City of Clarksburg, being designated as Lots Nos. 58, 59, 60 and 61, as laid down upon the plat of said addition, which four lots have a total frontage of 160 feet and a depth of 280 feet, with a large school building situate upon the same; and being the same lots conveyed to said Board of Education by J. R. Plant and wife by deed dated August 25th, 1911, and by Lucy McAndrew and others by deed dated January 22nd, 1913. Said first deed is duly recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Harrison County, West Virginia, in Deed Book No. 180, page 284 and said second deed is duly recorded in said office in Deed Book No. 238, page 304 to which deeds reference is here made. Said lots will be offered separately

and then as a whole, and will be sold in whichever way they will bring the highest price.

Said school building will be sold with the lots, but the stove, blackboards, desks, and other furniture in said building, are hereby reserved and will not be sold.
TERMS OF SALE: One-third cash in hand on day of sale, or as much more as the purchaser may elect to pay in cash, and for the residue, if any, the purchaser will be required to execute his negotiable notes payable to the order of said Board of Education, in two equal payments due and payable in six and twelve months, respectively, from said June 24th, with interest from said date, and with such personal security as may be required by said Board of Education, and a Vendor's lien will also be retained as further security for the payment of the unpaid purchase money.
Board of Education of Coal District, Harrison County, West Virginia, of said Mary E. Houghton, President.
L. WAYMAN OGDEN, Secretary.
J. O. T. TIDLER, Counsel for said Board.

NOTICE.

To Mary E. Houghton, infant child of Thomas Houghton, deceased, John Rees, the executor of the last will and testament of said Thomas Houghton, Margaret Houghton, sister of said Mary E. Houghton, and all other persons, whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to Chapter 84 of the Code of West Virginia, J. Margaret Hunt, guardian of said Mary E. Houghton, residents of the County of Floyd, and State of Indiana, where the said Margaret Hunt was duly appointed as guardian of said Mary E. Houghton, will make application to the Circuit Court of Harrison County, West Virginia, on the twenty-ninth day of June, 1916, for the entry of an order authorizing me as guardian aforesaid, to transfer from the said State of West Virginia, to the said State of Indiana, certain money given and bequeathed to said Mary E. Houghton by said last will and testament, and located in the said County of Harrison, and State of West Virginia, and now in the hands of said John Rees, Jr., the executor of said last will and testament appointed and qualified as such in said County of Harrison, and State of West Virginia, the amount of said fund being about eighteen hundred dollars.
MARGARET HUNT, Guardian of Mary E. Houghton, for the

County of Floyd and State of Indiana.

By Counsel,
J. PHILLIP CLIFFORD, Counsel.
MASTER'S NOTICE.
In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of West Virginia.
Benjamin N. Ford vs. Templeton Coal Company, et al. In Equity.
In pursuance of an order entered in the above styled cause in the District Court of the United States, for the Northern District of West Virginia, at Clarksburg, West Virginia, the above entitled cause was referred to the undersigned master of this Court, at Clarksburg, in said District, who is ordered and directed by said Court to ascertain and report to said Court, in the manner provided by law and the rules of this Court:
1. The property and assets of Templeton Coal Company, and the nature thereof, both at the time of the institution of this suit and at the time of the making of such report, and the value of such property and assets at said times.
2. The liens upon, and the rights and interests of others in the property and assets of said Templeton Coal Company, the respective debts secured thereby and the priority of such liens, and the nature of such rights and interests as of the time of the institution of the suit.
3. The debts of said Templeton Coal Company at the time of the institution of the suit.
4. Whether said receiver should be removed by the court, and in this connection ascertain and report upon the issues involved in the petition for the removal of said receiver by Lumberport Steam Coal Company, the answer thereto, and the pleadings thereon.
5. The accounts of said receiver, showing among other things, receipts and disbursements.
6. All issues involved in this cause.
7. In what sum of money, if any, the plaintiff is indebted, or what sum of money, if any, the plaintiff should be decreed to pay, to Lumberport Steam Coal Company because of any loss suffered by it by reason of the receivership.
8. Any matter pertinent to this cause or any issue therein, which may be required by any party to the cause.
The above named parties and all others interested will take notice that the under-

signed master will on the 28TH DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1916,

proceed to execute the above order of reference at his office, 323-324 Goff Building, Clarksburg, West Virginia.
Given under my hand this 12th day of June, A. D. 1916.
LAFAYETTE C. CRILE, Master U. S. Dist. C., N. D. of W. Va.
Chas. B. Johnson, Solicitor.
Nelson B. Gramer, Solicitor.
B. M. Ambler, Solicitor.

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

W. O. Carter vs. Stella G. Taylor et al The Willison-Dennis Company. In Chancery.
In pursuance of an order of reference made in the above styled cause on the 27th day of May, 1916, in the Circuit Court of Harrison County, West Virginia, the same was referred to the undersigned commissioner to take, state and report an account showing:
First, all the real estate owned by the judgment debtor, Stella G. Taylor, where situate, its description and the quantity thereof.
Second, the liens upon said real estate, by whom held, their respective amounts and priorities.
Third, whether said real estate will in five years rent for a sufficient sum to pay off and discharge said liens and the costs of this suit.
Fourth, such other matters as any party in interest may require, the same being pertinent, or such other matters as said commissioner himself may deem pertinent whether so required or not.
The above named parties and all others interested will take notice that the undersigned commissioner will on the 12TH DAY OF JULY, 1916, proceed to execute said order of reference at his office, 323-324 Goff Building, Clarksburg, West Virginia.
Given under my hand this, the 12th day of June, 1916.
LAFAYETTE C. CRILE, Commissioner.
Howard L. Robinson, Solicitor.
Two medicinal preparations are being made from hog brains by a Danish company.