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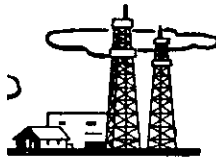


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INTRODUCTION

This is the Fifth Annual Review of drilling and producing operations in Montana oil fields. A review for the year 1959 was not published; however, most of the drilling and producing statistics for the year 1959 are included within the review. It is the Commission's intention to continue this publication on an annual basis.

A comparison of previously published reserve data has been omitted because much of the basic data has been revised. The primary recovery factor for many fields has been revised downward to conform more closely with actual production trends. The initiation of secondary recovery operations will eventually result in a higher ultimate recovery from many fields. Therefore, the 255 million barrels of remaining primary reserves does not reflect the additional recovery that can be expected by secondary recovery operations. It is planned that subsequent annual reviews will tabulate both primary and secondary reserves. Secondary recovery reserves will not be added until secondary recovery is in actual operation.

Annual production for the year 1960 was approximately 30.2 million barrels. This again established another all time high. It is believed that new field discoveries, field extensions, and initiation of new secondary recovery projects has more than offset production. Several very interesting secondary recovery projects are now in the pilot stage of operation and several others are at an advanced stage of planning. It is believed that total State recoverable reserves will be increased substantially during the next few years as a result of secondary recovery operations.

The exploration outlook for 1961 appears very promising at the present time. The discovery of production from the Devonian formation at Tule Creek in Roosevelt County has created new interest in northeastern Montana. Exploration activity in Sheridan County, adjacent to the newly discovered Dwyer Field is expected to continue throughout the year. Completion of the new pipeline into northern Montana should provide a stimulus for increased exploration activity in that area for several years to come. Central Montana should continue to be fairly active during 1961, and recent interest in the Northern Powder River Basin may increase.

The basic information contained in this report has been obtained from information contained in the Commission files. It is planned to enlarge and modify the report year by year using the best available data.

SUMMARY

| | 1955 | 1956 | 1957 | 1958 | 1959 | 1960 |
|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Production, Northern Montana—Bbls. | 5,214,926 | 5,083,953 | 5,632,616 | 4,348,256 | 4,307,739 | 4,332,218 |
| South Central—Bbls. | 1,896,630 | 2,585,437 | 2,867,658 | 3,590,554 | 4,514,034 | 3,087,871 |
| Central—Bbls. | 2,160,479 | 2,610,047 | 2,301,145 | 3,201,003 | 4,515,489 | 5,780,420 |
| Williston Basin—Bbls. | 6,382,391 | 11,480,124 | 16,320,543 | 16,816,816 | 16,497,964 | 17,039,406 |
| TOTAL | 15,654,426 | 21,759,561 | 27,121,962 | 27,956,629 | 29,857,226 | 30,239,915 |
| No. of Producing Wells, Northern Montana | 2,950 | 2,969 | 3,130 | 3,120 | 3,067 | 2,811 |
| South Central | 94 | 96 | 103 | 102 | 100 | 96 |
| Central | 176 | 213 | 214 | 248 | 266 | 303 |
| Williston Basin | 194 | 306 | 376 | 446 | 455 | 497 |
| TOTAL | 3,414 | 3,584 | 3,823 | 3,916 | 3,888 | 3,707 |
| Average Daily Production/Well—BOPD, Northern Montana | 4.8 | 4.7 | 4.9 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 4.2 |
| South Central | 55.3 | 73.5 | 76.3 | 96.4 | 123.7 | 88.1 |
| Central | 33.6 | 33.4 | 29.5 | 35.4 | 46.5 | 52.3 |
| Williston Basin | 90.1 | 102.5 | 118.9 | 103.3 | 99.3 | 93.9 |
| STATE AVERAGE | 12.6 | 16.5 | 19.4 | 19.6 | 21.1 | 22.3 |
| Development Wells Drilled, Oil Wells | 158 | 229 | 182 | 159 | 156 | 114 |
| Gas Wells | 21 | 6 | 17 | 7 | 12 | 4 |
| Dry Holes | 69 | 75 | 57 | 46 | 71 | 58 |
| TOTAL | 248 | 310 | 256 | 212 | 239 | 176 |
| Exploratory Wells Drilled, Oil Wells | 11 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 7 | 14 |
| Gas Wells | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 3 |
| Dry Holes | 145 | 171 | 162 | 109 | 101 | 150 |
| TOTAL | 160 | 183 | 176 | 123 | 114 | 167 |
| TOTAL WELLS DRILLED | 408 | 493 | 432 | 335 | 353 | 343 |
| TOTAL FOOTAGE DRILLED | 1,873,835 | 2,465,821 | 2,108,462 | 1,700,404 | 1,627,574 | 1,655,172 |
| AVERAGE DEPTH ALL WELLS | 4,590 | 5,000 | 4,880 | 5,106 | 4,611 | 6,811 |

OIL AND GAS DISCOVERIES IN 1959

| County | Field | Operator—Well Name and Location | Total Depth Ft. | Producing Formation | Initial Production Oil (B/D) | Initial Production Gas (MCF) |
|----------|------------|---|-----------------|---------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chouteau | Unnamed | Northern Nat., Federal 1-C, 8-25N-17E | 1,957 | Eagle | .... | 2,520 |
| Glacier | Unnamed | Kullberg Drlg., Tribal 3S-1, 36-36N-7W | 3,665 | Sun River | 70 | ..... |
| Teton | Unnamed | Cardinal Petr., Campbell 1, 4-27N-5W | 2,496 | Sun River | 15 | ..... |
| Toole | Unnamed | Cardinal Petr., Turan Morris 1, 13-36N-3E | 2,817 | Bow Island | .... | 1,200 |
| Toole | Gold Butte | Cardinal Petr., Gordon Christian 1, 13-35N-2E | 2,780 | Swift | .... | 7,900 |

OIL AND GAS DISCOVERIES IN 1960

| | | | | | | |
|-------------|------------|--|--------|----------------|-------|-------|
| Custer | Unnamed | Thos. F. Wheatley, Mont. Fed. 1, 34-2N-45E | 2,892 | Shannon | ..... | 1,300 |
| Musselshell | Keg Coulee | American Climax, DeJaegher 1, 31-11N-31E | 4,635 | Tyler "A" | 177 | ..... |
| Roosevelt | Tule Creek | Murphy Corp., E. O. Sletvold 1, 18-30N-48E | 8,478 | Nisku | 476 | ..... |
| Rosebud | Hibbard | Sinclair, V. E. Kesterson 1, 34-10N-33E | 5,240 | Amsden | 240 | ..... |
| Sheridan | Dwyer | Mobil, Aloys Muller F-44-20-P, 20-32N-59E | 12,033 | Mission Canyon | 51 | ..... |
| Stillwater | Mackay | Northern Natural, Mackay 1-A, 14-6S-17E | 4,116 | Greybull | 103 | ..... |
| Stillwater | Rapelje | Shoreline, C. F. Kirchner 1, 4-2N-20E | 4,064 | Eagle | ..... | 840 |
| Toole | Unnamed | Big West Oil, State 1, 36-33N-4W | 2,241 | Sawtooth | ..... | 650 |

MONTANA
GAS PRODUCTION DATA

| Field | County | Producing Formation | 1959 Production MCF | 1960 Production MCF |
|-------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Bears Den | Liberty | Kootenai | 61,299 | 72,429 |
| Big Coulee | Golden Valley | Lakota-Morrison | 851,730 | 889,161 |
| Bowdoin | Phillips & Valley | Colorado | 3,618,401 | 5,075,532 |
| Bowes | Blaine | Eagle | 897,011 | 1,432,364 |
| Box Elder | Blaine & Hill | Eagle | 0 | 67,852 |
| Cabin Creek | Fallon | Siluro-Ordovician | 970,766 | 1,094,251 |
| Cedar Creek | Fallon & Wibaux | Judith River & Eagle | 5,058,820 | 4,572,964 |
| Clarks Fork | Carbon | Lakota & Dakota | 821,135 | 640,677 |
| Cut Bank & Reagan | Glacier & Toole | Kootenai | 10,167,463 | 11,231,488 |
| Devon | Toole | Colorado | 87,216 | 97,801 |
| Dry Creek | Carbon | Cretaceous | 1,488,715 | 1,700,909 |
| Elk Basin | Carbon | Tensleep | 814,540 | 762,145 |
| Flat Coulee | Liberty | Kootenai | 232,192 | 100,210 |
| Golden Dome | Carbon | Greybull | 33,439 | 13,534 |
| Grandview | Liberty | | 278,904 | 361,794 |
| Hardin | Big Horn | Frontier | 41,819 | 45,289 |
| Keith Block | Liberty | Sawtooth-Madison | 1,249,426 | 1,391,779 |
| Kevin-Sunburst | Toole | Kootenai | 1,034,964 | 1,169,557 |
| Pine | Dawson, Prairie, Fallon, Wibaux | Siluro-Ordovician | 933,266 | 1,022,681 |
| Plevna | Fallon | Judith River | 211,657 | 201,676 |
| Utopia | Liberty | Sawtooth-Ellis | 1,231,099 | 543,487 |
| Whitlash | Liberty | Colorado | 887,554 | 1,180,833 |
| Miscellaneous | | | 778,844 | 1,017,537 |
| TOTAL all Fields | | | 31,740,260 | 34,685,950 |

REFINING

| | Year 1960 Total Bbls. |
|--|--------------------------|
| Big West Oil Company..... | 775,189 |
| Continental Oil Company..... | 4,150,810 |
| Diamond Asphalt Company..... | 217,754 |
| Farmers Union Central Exchange, Inc..... | 6,793,872 |
| Humble Oil & Refining Company..... | 9,808,467 |
| Jet Fuel Refinery..... | 116,453 |
| Phillips Petroleum Company..... | 1,297,563 |
| Texstar Corporation, Lodge Grass..... | 17,303 |
| Texaco, Inc. | 595,133 |
| Union Oil Company..... | 1,162,473 |
| TOTAL Bbls. Oil Refined in Montana (1960)..... | 24,935,017 |

TOTAL
30,239,915
BARRELS

CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION

1942-1960

B.O.P.D. (THOUSANDS)

80

70

60

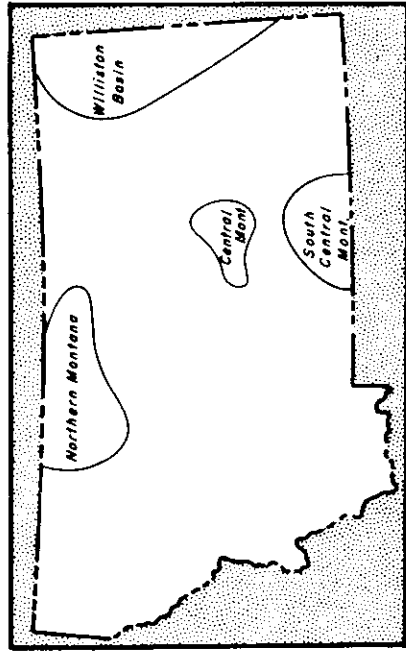
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WILLISTON BASIN
DISCOVERY

1960
PERCENT
WILLISTON
BASIN — 56.3 %

SOUTH
CENTRAL — 10.2 %
MONTANA

CENTRAL
MONTANA — 19.2 %

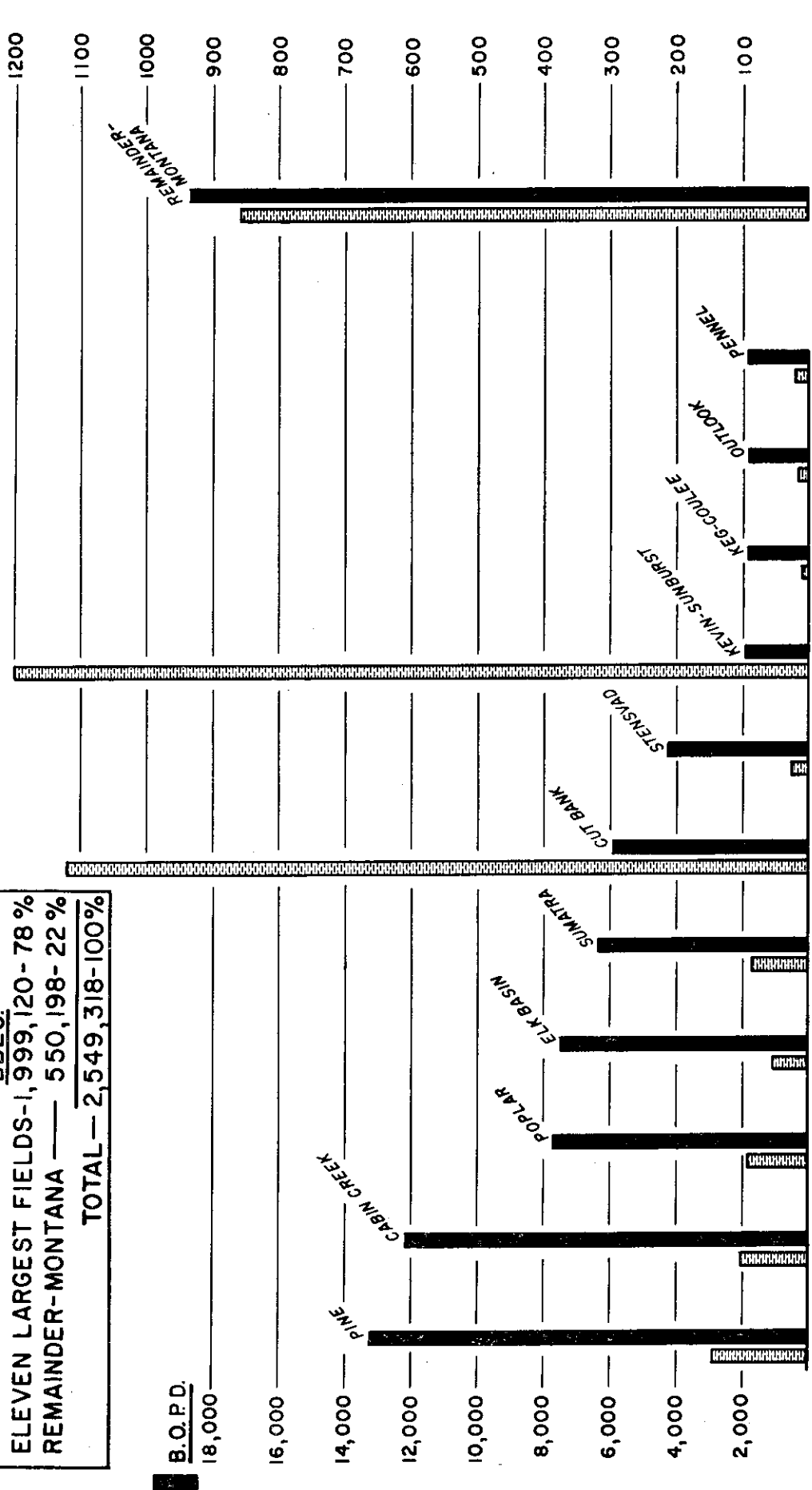
NORTHERN
MONTANA — 14.3 %

1942 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 1960

CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION - MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1960

B.BLS.
 ELEVEN LARGEST FIELDS - 1,999,120 - 78 %
 REMAINDER - MONTANA — 550,198 - 22 %
 TOTAL — 2,549,318 - 100%

**NUMBER OF
 PRODUCING
 WELLS**

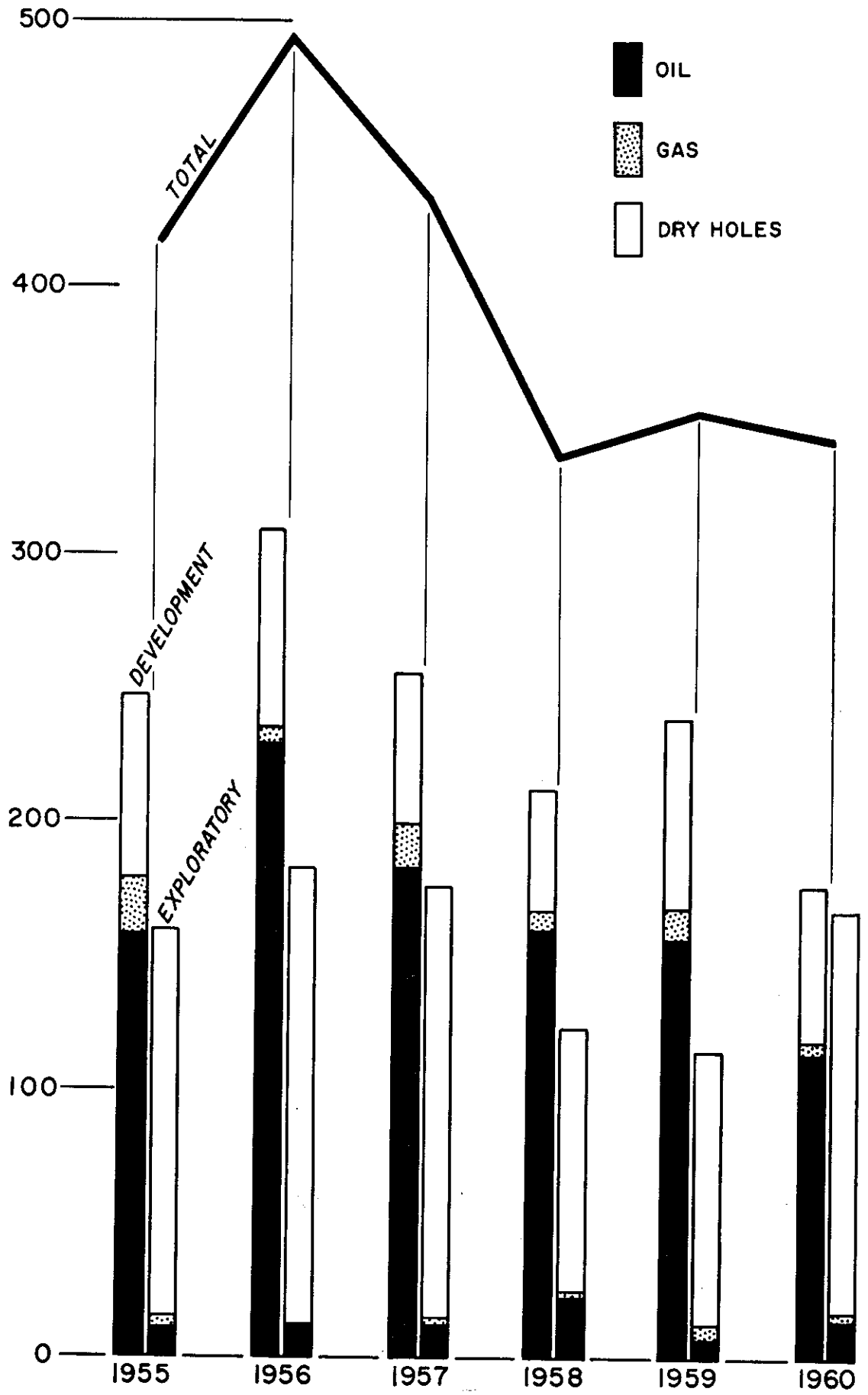


45 FIELDS

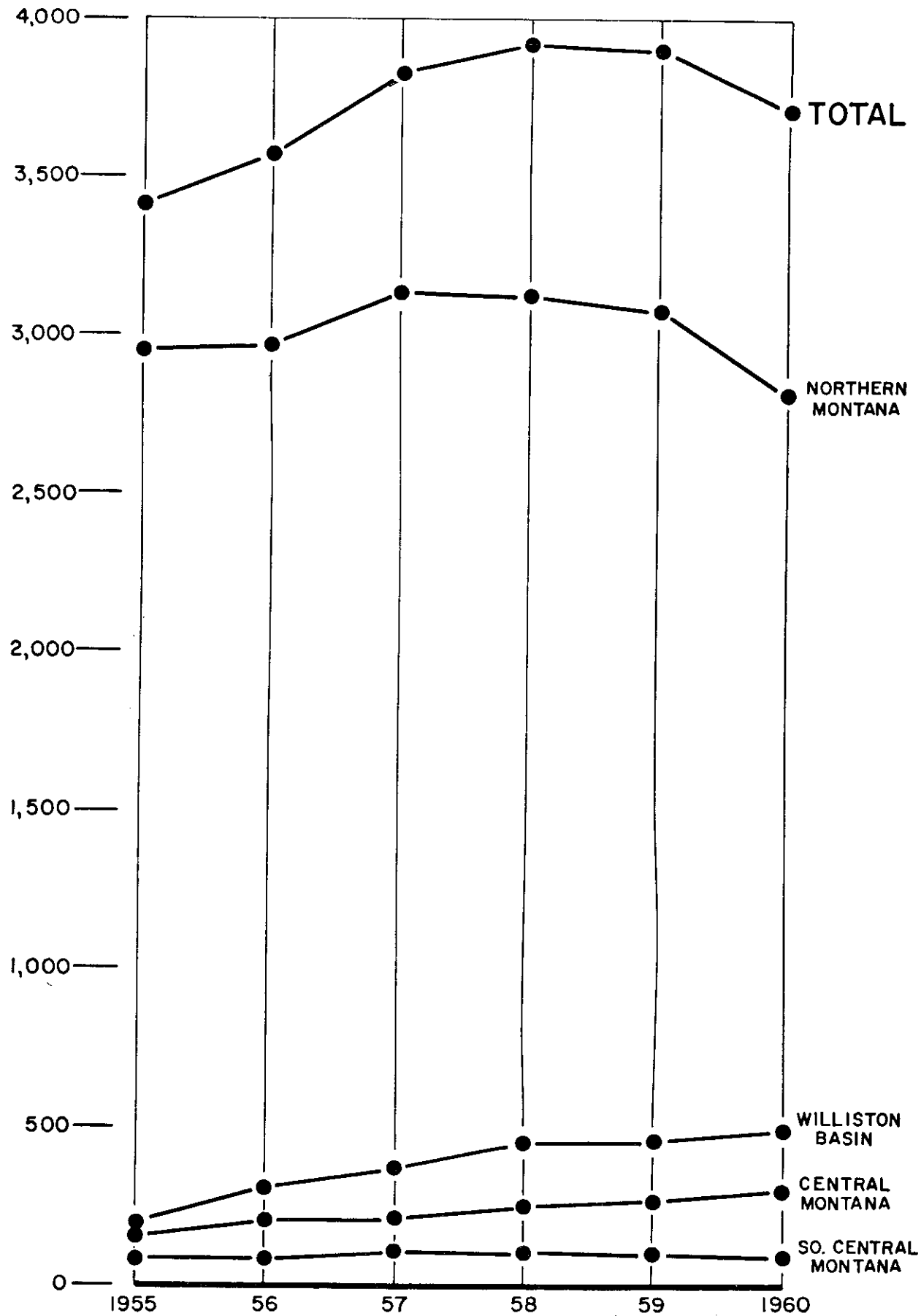
ELEVEN FIELDS OF LARGEST PRODUCTION - (OVER 50,000 BBLs / MONTH)

B.O.P.D.
18,000
16,000
14,000
12,000
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6,000
4,000
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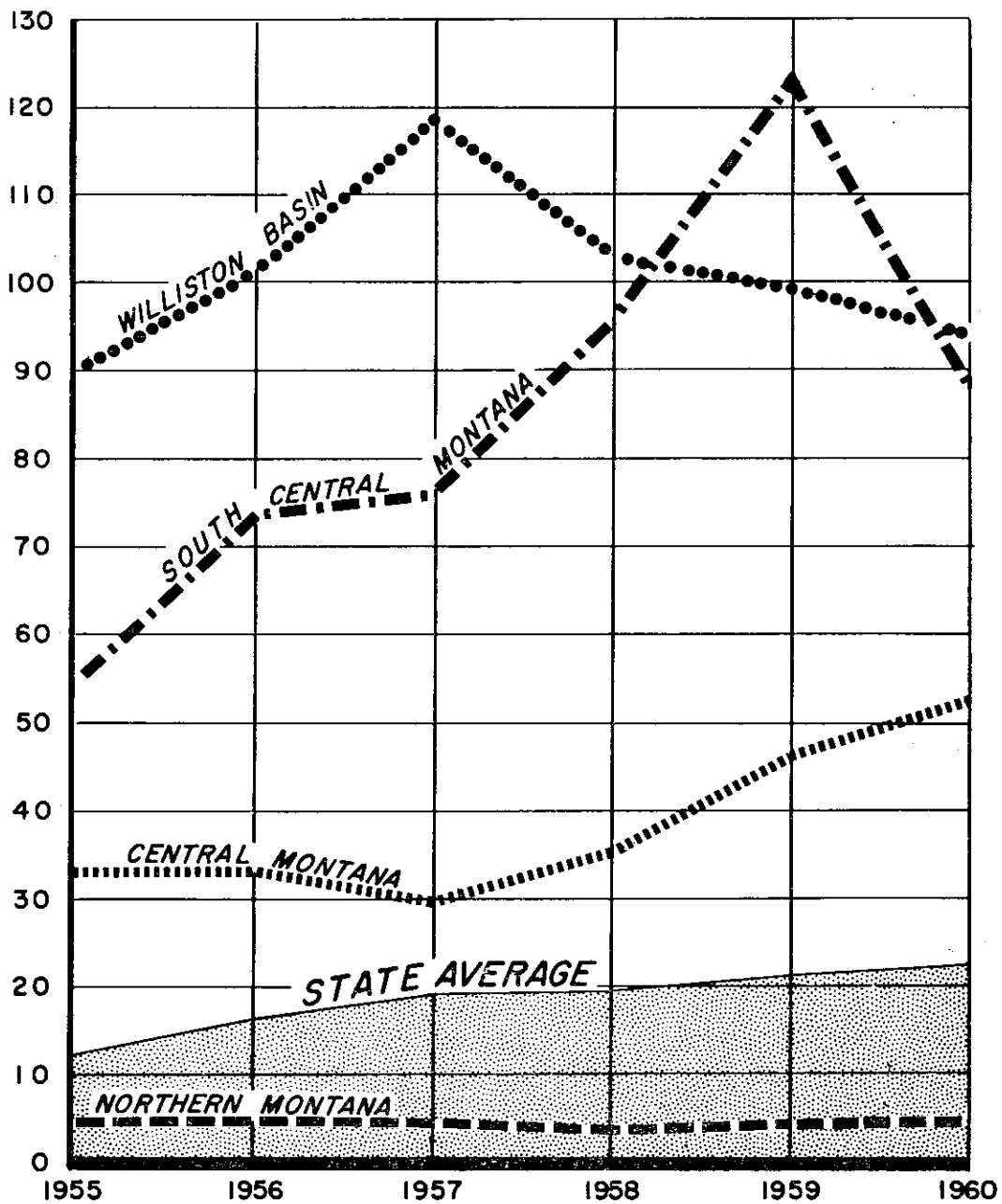
NUMBER OF
WELLS DRILLED



NUMBER OF PRODUCING WELLS

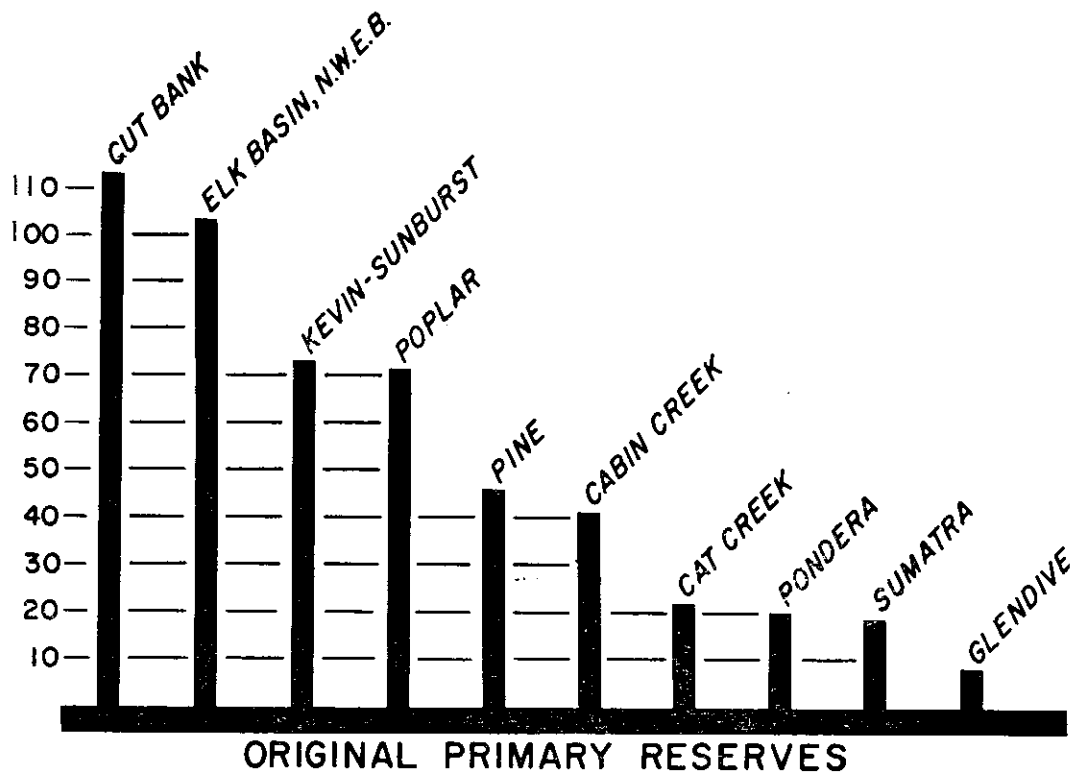
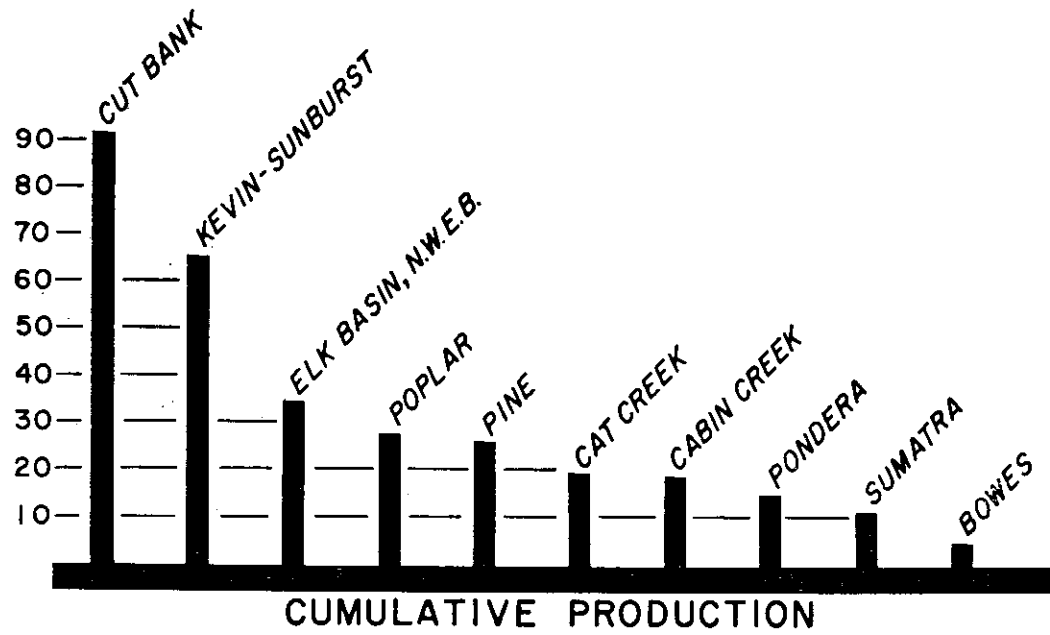


AVERAGE DAILY PRODUCING RATE B.O.P.D. / WELL



TEN TOP FIELDS

MILLIONS OF BARRELS



ASH CREEK

County: Big Horn

Discovery Well:

Name: McDermott-Shell, Elsie Berry No. 1

Location: NW SW Sec. 24, T. 58N., R. 85W., Sheridan County, Wyo.

Date Completed: April 26, 1952

Total Depth: 4799'

Initial Potential: 180 BOPD, 20 BWPD

Spacing Regulations:

330' from boundary of quarter-quarter section, and 1320' between wells. 75' tolerance for topographical conditions. The field boundaries are not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 4

Type of Trap: Anticline

Productive Formations: Shannon sandstone of Upper Cretaceous age.

Probable Drive Mechanism: Partial water drive and depletion drive.

BANNATYNE

County: Teton

Discovery Well:

Name: Genou Oil & Gas, Speer No. 1

Location: NW NW Sec. 8, T. 25 N., R. 1E.

Date Completed: July 21, 1927

Total Depth: 1580'

Initial Potential: 30 BOPD.

Deepest Well: Thomas Carney, Speer No. 2, T.D. 3115'

Spacing Regulations:

Center of 10 acre tracts, 50' tolerance for topographic conditions, delineated by Commission Order No. 20-58.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 9

Type of Trap: Anticline

Productive Formations: Swift (Jurassic)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

Secondary Recovery:

In-situ combustion or other forms of secondary recovery are approved. Majority of field has recently undergone a change of ownership. The new owners have not announced any definite plans.

BEARS DEN

County: Liberty

Discovery Well:

Name: **Kenneth Frazier, Ritter-Govt. No. 1-X**

Location: SW SE Sec. 12, T. 36N., R. 5E.

Completed: July 6, 1924

Total Depth: 3290'

Initial Potential: 5,000 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Above well

Spacing Regulations:

330' from boundary of quarter-quarter section, and 1320' between wells. Tolerance of 75' for topographic reasons. Field is not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 4

Type of Trap: Anticline

Productive Formations: Kootenai (Lower Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion and gas cap drive.

BELFRY

County: Carbon

Discovery Well:

Name: **Carter, Wheatley-Govt. No. 1**

Location: NW NW Sec. 7, T. 9S., R. 22E.

Date Completed: March 22, 1958

Total Depth: 12,185'

Initial Potential: 196 BOPD, 1,121 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Above well

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 1

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Fuson (Lower Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion and solution gas drive.

BIG COULEE

County: Stillwater and Golden Valley

Discovery Well:

Name: Texaco, NP Well No. D-1

Location: SW SW Sec. 31, T. 5N., R. 20E.

Date Completed: November 24, 1948

Total Depth: 4581'

Initial Potential: 24 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Above well (Cambrian)

Spacing Regulations:

1320' from lease line, 3700' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons, not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 4

Type of Trap: Anticline

Productive Formations: Lakota (Lower Cretaceous). Morrison (Jurassic).

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water Drive

BIG WALL

County: Musselshell

Discovery Well:

Name: Texaco, NP No. 1

Location: SE NE NW Sec. 19, T. 10N., R. 27E.

Date Completed: July 1, 1948

Total Depth: 3139'

Initial Potential: 9 BOPD

Deepest Well: Texaco, Zoerb No. 1, Section 18, T. 10 N., R. 27 E.

Kibbey (Mississippian). T.D. 3617'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from lease line, 990' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order 12-54.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 25

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Amsden (Pennsylvanian); Tyler (Mississippian).

Probable Drive Mechanism: Amsden, water drive; Tyler, depletion.

Water Disposal: A total of about 2,880,000 barrels of produced water has been injected into the Tyler "A" sand to December 31, 1960. Approximately 2520 BWPD was injected in December, 1960 at an average pressure of 1275 psig.

BLACKFOOT

County: **Glacier**

Discovery Well:

Name: **Union Oil Co., Muntzing No. 1**

Location: NE NW Section 11, T. 37N., R. 6W.

Date Completed: October, 1956

Total Depth: 3542'

Initial Potential: 15 BOPD

Deepest Well: Mobil, F-34-3-1. Madison (Mississippian). T.D. 3687'.

Spacing Regulations:

Center of 40 acres, 300' tolerance for topographic reasons, delineated by Order No. 3-57.

Special Field Rules:

Dual completions permitted upon approval by Petroleum Engineer.

No. Producing Wells: 16

Type of Trap: Structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Cut Bank Sand (Cretaceous); Madison (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Partial water drive and depletion drive.

BLACKLEAF CANYON

County: **Teton**

Discovery Well:

Name: **Northern Natural Gas, Blackleaf-Federal "A" No. 1**

Location: NW SE NE Section 13, T. 26N., R. 9W.

Date Completed: May 22, 1958

Total Depth: 6323'

Initial Potential: 6 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above well

Spacing Regulations:

1320' from lease line, 3700' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons; not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: Shut-in

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic

Productive Formation: Madison (Mississippian).

Probable Drive Mechanism: Unknown

BORDER

County: Toole

Discovery Well:

Name: Vanalta Oil Co., Ltd. No. 1

Location: L.S.D. 3, Sec. 4, T. 1N., R. 16W., Alberta, Canada.

Date Completed: September 25, 1929

Total Depth: 2477'

Initial Potential: 85 BOPD

Deepest Well: Empire State, Iowa Holding Co. No. 2. Jefferson (Devonian). T.D. 4920'.

Spacing Regulations:

220' from quarter-quarter section line and 430' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field is delineated by Order No. 7-54.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules, except Rules no. 207, 219, 211, 223 and 224, which do not apply.

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic and structural.

Productive Formations: Cut Bank (Lower Cretaceous).

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

BOWDOIN

County: Phillips and Valley

Discovery Well:

Name: Martin well

Location: Section 18, T. 31 N., R. 35E.

Date Completed: 1913

Total Depth: 740'

Initial Potential: Unknown

Deepest Well: Texaco, Dupont No. 1 Sec. 8, T. 32N., R. 32E. Cambrian. T.D. 5855'.

Spacing Regulations:

One well to each quarter-section; at least 1000' from any lease boundary and 2000' between wells; field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 364

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Bowdoin and Phillips sands in upper part of Colorado shale (Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Volumetric.

BOWES

County: Blaine

Discovery Well:

Name: California, Johnson & Hobson No. 1

Location: NE NE NE Sec. 9, T. 31N., R. 19E.

Date Completed: October 17, 1926

Total Depth: 4700'

Initial Potential: Show oil

Deepest Well: Northern Ordnance, Guertzgen No. 5, Sec. 1, T. 31N., R. 19E. Devonian. T.D. 5082'.

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons; field delineated by Order No. 13-54.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 78

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Gas—Eagle (Upper Cretaceous); Oil—Sawtooth (Jurassic).

Probable Drive Mechanism: Eagle, volumetric; Sawtooth, water drive.

Secondary Recovery: The operators are in the process of unitizing the Sawtooth formation for the purpose of initiating a water flood secondary recovery project.

BOX ELDER

County: Blaine

Discovery Well:

Name: Perkins, Stranahan No. 1

Location: NW NW NE Sec. 14, T. 32N., R. 17E.

Date Completed: June 17, 1931

Total Depth: 1276'

Initial Potential: 8000 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Northern Ordnance, Morpheo No. 1, Sec. 14, T. 32N., R. 17E. Madison (Mississippian). T.D. 4212'.

Spacing Regulations:

Not applicable.

Special Field Rules:

Not applicable.

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Eagle (Upper Cretaceous)

The Eagle sandstone is presently being used by The Montana Power Company for a gas storage reservoir.

BREDETTE

County: Roosevelt

Discovery Well:

Name: California Company, Elizabeth Grimm No. 1

Location: NE SE Sec. 13, T. 32N., R. 49E.

Date Completed: May 19, 1955

Total Depth: 9671'

Initial Potential: 140 BOPD, 31 BWPD, 1/8" ck.

Deepest Well: Above well. Winnipeg (Ordovician). T.D. 9671'.

Spacing Regulations:

80-acre spacing, permitted wells in the NE 1/4 and SW 1/4 of each quarter section, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Orders No. 2-56 and 23-56.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: Field abandoned.

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Charles (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

BREDETTE — NORTH

County: Daniels and Roosevelt

Discovery Well:

Name: California Company, Paulson No. 1

Location: NW SW Sec. 34, T. 33N., R. 49E.

Date Completed: May 27, 1956

Total Depth: 7475'

Initial Potential: 114 BOPD, 7/64" ck.

Deepest Well: Above well. Madison (Mississippian).

Spacing Regulations:

80-acre spacing, permitted wells in the NW 1/4 and SE 1/4 of each quarter section, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 20-56.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 2

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Charles (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

BRORSON

County: Richland

Discovery Well:

Name: Sun-Phillips, Carl Dynneson No. 1

Location: SW NE Sec. 32, T. 24 N., R. 58E.

Date Completed: August 9, 1953

Total Depth: 12,671'

Initial Potential: 745 BOPD, 21 BWPD, 20/64" ck., from Red River formation.

Deepest Well: Sun-Phillips, Dennis Dynneson No. 1, Sec. 30, T. 24N., R. 58E. Red River (Ordovician). T.D. 13,050'.

Spacing Regulations:

160-acre spacing, permitted well in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons; field delineated by Order No. 20-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 4

Type of Trap: Probable combination of structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Mission Canyon (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Combination water drive and depletion drive.

CABIN CREEK

County: Fallon

Discovery Well:

Name: Shell, No. 22-33

Location: NE SE NW Sec. 33, T. 10N., R. 58E.

Date Completed: June 9, 1953

Total Depth: 9412'

Initial Potential: 1248 BOPD, 32 BWPD, flow into open line

Deepest Well: Shell, 21-17, Sec. 17, T. 10 N., R. 58E. Pre-Cambrian. T.D. 10,573'.

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons; field limits considered same as unit area.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 104

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Mission Canyon (Mississippian). Silurian-Ordovician.

Probable Drive Mechanism: Mission Canyon, water drive; Siluro-Ordovician, depletion drive.

Secondary Recovery: Pressure maintenance by water injection project is being expanded to include a larger portion of the field. An average of 134 BWPD was injected during June, 1960 at an average pressure of 2150 psig. Accumulative injections to December 1, 1960 were 148,923 barrels of water.

Water Disposal: Produced water has been injected into the Dakota formation since 1957. In November, 1960 an average of 5,110 BWPD was injected. A total of about 3,043,000 barrels have been injected up to December 1, 1960.

CAT CREEK

County: Garfield and Petroleum

Discovery Well:

Name: Frantz Corp., No. 1

Location: SW SE NW Sec. 21, T. 15N., R. 30E.

Date Completed: February, 1920

Total Depth: 998'

Initial Potential: 10 BOPD

Deepest Well: Arro-California, Charles No. 4, Sec. 21, T. 15N., R. 30E. Cambrian. T.D. 5705'

Spacing Regulations:

220' from lease line, 440' between wells; field delineated by Orders No. 14-54 and 17-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 96

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Kootenai, Morrison, Swift

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion drive

Secondary Recovery: A portion of the field has been unitized and a water flood secondary recovery program is in progress. About 870,000 barrels have been injected into the First Cat Creek sand and 570,000 barrels injected into the Second Cat Creek sand since December, 1959. Production from the flood area has increased from 687 barrels of oil and 2,660 barrels of water in December, 1959 to 10,848 barrels of oil and 90,550 barrels of water in December, 1960.

CEDAR CREEK

County: Fallon and Wibaux

Discovery Well:

Name: Eastern Montana Oil & Gas Co.

Location: NE NE Sec. 20, T. 14N., R. 55E.

Date Completed: November, 1912

Total Depth: 2710'

Initial Potential: 2,500 MCFGPD (est.)

Spacing Regulations:

1200' from quarter section line and 2400' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 33-54.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 232

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Judith River (Upper Cretaceous). Eagle (Upper Cretaceous).

Probable Drive Mechanism: Volumetric

CLARKS FORK

County: Carbon

Discovery Well:

Name: General Petroleum & Julius Peters, Govt.-McClellan No. 1

Location: NW NW Sec. 25, T. 9S., R. 22E.

Date Completed: December 16, 1944

Total Depth: 6531'

Initial Potential: 124 BOPD, 30% water

Deepest Well: British-American, Govt.-McClellan No. 1. Madison (Mississippian). T.D. 9446'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells; 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 1

Type of Trap: Structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Frontier (Upper Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Gas cap or depletion drive.

CLARKS FORK — NORTH

County: Carbon

Discovery Well:

Name: British-American, Montana State No. 1

Location: NE SE Sec. 16, T. 9S., R. 22E.

Date Completed: January 30, 1956

Total Depth: 10,877'

Initial Potential: 338 BOPD, 1681 MCFGPD, 18/64" ck.

Deepest Well: Above well. Madison (Mississippian)

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons; not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 3

Type of Trap: Structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Dakota (Lower Cretaceous), Lakota (Lower Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Gas cap and water drive.

CUPTON

County: Fallon

Discovery Well:

Name: Rothschild, Northwest Improvement No. 44-15

Location: SE SE Sec. 15, T. 9N., R. 59E.

Date Completed: August 30, 1955

Total Depth: 9785'

Initial Potential: 306 BOPD, 165 BWPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Red River (Ordovician)

Spacing Regulations:

80-acre spacing permitted wells in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 31-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 2

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Red River (Ordovician)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

CUT BANK

County: Glacier and Toole

Discovery Well:

Name: Sand Point, Berger No. 1 (Gas well)

Location: SE SE NW Sec. 1, T. 35N., R. 5W.

Date Completed: 1926

Total Depth: 2978'

Initial Potential: 8,000 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Union, Stufft 418-7. Cambrian. T.D. 5500'

Spacing Regulations:

320' from quarter-quarter section line, 650' between wells, fifth well in center of 40 permitted, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Orders No. 10-54 and 21-59.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules except Rules 207, 211, 219, 221, 223 and 224 do not apply.

No. Producing Wells: 1114

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Kootenai (Lower Cretaceous); Madison (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion drive

Secondary Recovery: Several pilot water floods have shown encouraging results. Field operators are in the process of forming several partial field units so that water flood projects can be expanded.

DEER CREEK

County: Dawson

Discovery Well:

Name: Texaco, No. 1 NP "G" (NCT-4)

Location: SW SW Sec. 23, T. 17 N., R. 53E.

Date Completed: August 29, 1952

Total Depth: 10,128'

Initial Potential: 191 BOPD

Deepest Well: Texaco, Ekland No. 1, Sec. 26, T. 17N., R. 53E. Red River (Ordovician). T.D. 10,228'

Spacing Regulations:

80-acre spacing permitted well in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 23-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 6

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Red River (Ordovician); Interlake (Silurian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive

Water Disposal: An average of 665 BWPD at a pressure of 243 psig. was injected during the last quarter of 1960. Approximately 374,000 barrels of water have been disposed of into the Dakota formation since March, 1957 when the project started.

DELPHIA

County: Musselshell

Discovery Well:

Name: Texota, Goffena No. 1

Location: NW NE Sec. 26, T. 9N., R. 27E.

Date Completed: December 20, 1956

Total Depth: 6311'

Initial Potential: 124 BOPD

Deepest Well: Texota-Bradley, Goffena No. A-1. Charles (Mississippian). T.D. 6811'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 2

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Amsden (Pennsylvanian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

DEVILS BASIN

County: Musselshell

Discovery Well:

Name: Van Duzen Oil, No. 1

Location: NE SW NW Sec. 24, T. 11N., R. 24E.

Date Completed: December, 1919

Total Depth: 2110'

Initial Potential: 12 BOPD

Deepest Well: Clark Drilling Company, NP No. 1. Cambrian. T.D. 4081'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons; field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 4

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Heath (Upper Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion drive.

DEVON

County: Toole

Discovery Well:

Name: Minot, Shelby Holding Co. No. 1

Location: SW NE Sec. 18, T. 33N., R. 2E.

Date Completed: 1926

Total Depth: 1795'

Initial Potential: 3500 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Madison (Mississippian)

Spacing Regulations:

1320' from lease line, 3700' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 21

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Blackleaf (Colorado Shale), (Lower Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Volumetric

DRY CREEK

County: Carbon

Discovery Well:

Name: Ohio Oil Company, NP No. 1

Location: 1940' N/S, 2900' W/E, Sec. 11, T. 7S., R. 21E.

Date Completed: March 31, 1929

Total Depth: 5772'

Initial Potential: 6500 MCFGPD (Frontier)

Deepest Well: Ohio Oil Company, NP No. 18, Sec. 3, T. 7S., R. 21E. Cambrian. T.D. 8882'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons; field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 4

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Eagle (Upper Cretaceous) gas; Frontier (Upper Cretaceous) gas; Greybull (Lower Cretaceous) oil; Prior (Lower Cretaceous) oil

Probable Drive Mechanism: Gas sands, volumetric; Oil sands, combination water and depletion drive.

DWYER

County: Sheridan

Discovery Well:

Name: Mobil, Muller No. F-44-20-P

Location: SE SE Sec. 20, T. 32 N., R. 59E.

Date Completed: January 8, 1960

Total Depth: 12,033'

Initial Potential: 51 BOPD, 49 BWPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Red River (Ordovician)

Spacing Regulations:

160 acre spacing, permitted well in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section (temporary rules), 175' tolerance for topographic reasons, field delineated by Order No. 25-60.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 4

Type of Trap: Probably combination structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Mission Canyon (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

ELK BASIN

County: Carbon

Discovery Well:

Name: Hurst No. 1

Location: Sec. 30, T. 58N., R. 99 W., Park County, Wyoming

Date Completed: 1915

Total Depth: 1402'

Initial Potential: 1000 BOPD (Frontier)

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic conditions. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 55

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Frontier (Upper Cretaceous); Dakota (Lower Cretaceous); Embar (Permian); Tensleep (Pennsylvanian); Madison (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Frontier, gravity drainage; Embar-Tensleep, gravity drainage; Madison, water drive

Secondary Recovery: Frontier, crestal gas injection with sweet gas; Embar-Tensleep, full pressure maintenance by crestal injection of inert gas.

ELK BASIN, NORTHWEST

County: Carbon

Discovery Well:

Name: Sinclair Wyoming Oil Co., NW EB Unit No. 1

Location: SW NW Sec. 28, T. 9S., R. 23E.

Date Completed: July 22, 1947

Total Depth: 6795'

Initial Potential: 494 BOPD

Deepest Well: Pan American, B. L. Zaerr B-1. Madison (Mississippian). T.D. 6957'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons; field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 11

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Frontier (Upper Cretaceous). Madison (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Frontier, depletion drive; Madison,

Secondary Recovery: Water flood operations are being conducted in the Frontier formation. Approximately 450,000 barrels of water has been injected since October, 1957, date of first injection. The project has recently been enlarged and December, 1960 injections averaged about 1670 BWPD. The first increase in oil production was observed in December, 1960.

FERTILE PRAIRIE

County: Fallon

Discovery Well:

Name: Mon-O-Co, Ferguson-Goldin No. 1

Location: SE SW Sec. 18, T. 7N., R. 61E.

Date Completed: November 8, 1954

Total Depth: 9286'

Initial Potential: 132 BOPD

Deepest Well: McAlester Fuel, NP No. A-1. Winnipeg (Ordovician). T.D. 9684'

Spacing Regulations:

80-acre spacing, permitted wells in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons; field delineated by Order No. 3-56.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 1

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Red River (Ordovician)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive

FRANNIE

County: Carbon

Discovery Well:

Name: Pan American, Rosenberg C-1

Location: NW NE NW Sec. 25, T. 58 N., R. 98 W., Park County, Wyoming

Date Completed: February 28, 1928

Total Depth: 2612'

Initial Potential: 9 BOPD

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 2

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Tensleep (Pennsylvanian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Combination water drive and gravity drainage.

GAGE

County: **Musselshell**

Discovery Well:

Name: **Northern Ordnance, Morris No. 1**

Location: SW SW Sec. 15, T. 9N., R. 26E.

Date Completed: September 9, 1943

Total Depth: 7495'

Initial Potential: 120 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Madison (Mississippian)

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 2

Type of Trap: Combination structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Amsden (Pennsylvanian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

GAS CITY

County: **Dawson**

Discovery Well:

Name: **Shell, No. 33X-21**

Location: NE NW SE Sec. 21, T. 14N., R. 55E.

Date Completed: June 4, 1955

Total Depth: 9596'

Initial Potential: 202 BOPD, 5 BWPD, 22/64" ck.

Deepest Well: Above well. Winnipeg (Ordovician)

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 10

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Red River (Ordovician)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

GLENDIVE

County: Dawson

Discovery Well:

Name: Texaco, NP "G" (NCT-1) No. 1

Location: NE NE Sec. 35, T. 15 N., R. 54E.

Date Completed: January 10, 1952

Total Depth: 9079'

Initial Potential: 254 BOPD

Deepest Well: Texaco, NP "G" (NCT-1) No. 2. Winnipeg (Ordovician). T.D. 10,537'

Spacing Regulations:

80-acre spacing, permitted well in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 27-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 11

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic and structural

Productive Formations: Stony Mountain-Red River (Ordovician)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive

Water Disposal: Water disposal started March 25, 1956. About 595,000 barrels have been injected into the Dakota formation since that time. Approximately 785 BWPD were injected during the last quarter of 1960, at an average pressure of 868 psig.

GYPSY BASIN

County: Teton and Pondera

Discovery Well:

Name: Western Oils, Bills No. 1

Location: SW SE SW Sec. 31, T. 28N., R. 6W.

Date Completed: July 8, 1951

Total Depth: 3410'

Initial Potential: 50 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above Well. Madison (Mississippian)

Spacing Regulations:

Center of 40 acres, 150' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 13-59.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 4

Type of Trap: Combination structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Madison (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Combination water drive and depletion drive.

HARDIN

County: Big Horn

Discovery Well:

Name: Yellowstone Oil & Gas, Blair No. 1

Location: Sec. 10, T. 1S., R. 33E.

Date Completed: 1913

Total Depth: Unknown

Initial Potential: Unknown

Deepest Well: Daniels Petroleum Co., No. 1 Sec. 13, T. 1S., R. 33E. Madison (Mississippian). T.D. 4195'

Spacing Regulations:

1320' from lease line, 3700' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons, not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 41

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Frontier (Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Volumetric.

HIBBARD

County: Rosebud

Discovery Well:

Name: Sinclair, Kesterson No. 1

Location: SE NW Sec. 34, T. 10N., R. 33E.

Date Completed: February 29, 1960

Total Depth: 5240'

Initial Potential: 240 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Heath (Mississippian)

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 1

Type of Trap: Unknown

Productive Formations: Amsden (Pennsylvanian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

IVANHOE

County: Musselshell

Discovery Well:

Name: Chicago-Republic, No. 1

Location: SW SE NE Sec. 17, T. 11N., R. 31E.

Date Completed: September 15, 1953

Total Depth: 5210'

Initial Potential: 92 BOPD (Morrison)

Deepest Well: Above well. Charles (Mississippian)

Spacing Regulations:

Center of 40-acre, 200' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Orders No. 13-56 and 7-60.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 22

Type of Trap: Structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Morrison (Jurassic). Amsden (Pennsylvanian). Tyler (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Morrison and Tyler, depletion drive; Amsden, water drive.

KEG COULEE

County: Musselshell

Discovery Well:

Name: American-Climax Petr. Corp., DeJaegher No. 1

Location: SE NE Sec. 31, T. 11N., R. 31E.

Date Completed: April 1, 1960

Total Depth: 4635'

Initial Potential: 177 BOPD

Spacing Regulations:

80-acre spacing, pattern varies; 100' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 11-60.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 6

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Tyler (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion drive.

KEITH

County: Liberty

Discovery Well:

Name: Texaco, Cicon No. 1

Location: NE NW SW Sec. 29, T. 36N., R. 6E.

Date Completed: December 17, 1944

Total Depth: 3221'

Initial Potential: 3000 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Montana Power, Sorrel-Govt. No. 1. Cambrian. T.D. 5015'

Spacing Regulations:

1320' from lease line and 3700' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 6

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Bow Island (Cretaceous); Sawtooth-Madison (Jurassic-Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

KEVIN-SUNBURST

County: Toole

Discovery Well:

Name: Gordon Campbell-Kevin Syndicate, Goeddertz No. 1

Location: NE NE NE Sec. 16, T. 35N., R. 3W.

Date Completed: March 14, 1922

Total Depth: 2540'

Initial Potential: 10 BOPD

Deepest Well: Lee Edwards, Inland Empire No. 1. Pre-Cambrian. T.D. 4916'

Spacing Regulations:

9 wells per 40-acre tract, only 3 wells on any side of tract set back at least 220' from line, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Orders No. 8-54 and 28-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules, except Rules No. 207, 211, 219, 221, 223 and 224 do not apply.

No. Producing Wells: 1193

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Madison (Mississippian); Sawtooth (Jurassic); Sunburst (Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion drive

Secondary Recovery: Two small pilot water floods are now in operation. Results of these floods are yet inconclusive.

LAKE BASIN — NORTH

County: Stillwater

Discovery Well:

Name: Holland-American, Castle No. 1

Location: NW SE Sec. 22, T. 2N., R. 21E.

Date Completed: January 11, 1958

Total Depth: 4179'

Initial Potential: 480 MCFGPD, Eagle; 4500 MCFGPD, Frontier

Deepest Well: Superior, Copulos 71-22. Pre-Cambrian. T.D. 7929'

Spacing Regulations:

640-acre spacing, permitted well in the NW SE of each section, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 6-58.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules. Frontier and Eagle may be dually completed without provisions of Rule 219.

No. Producing Wells: Shut-in

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Eagle (Cretaceous); Frontier (Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Unknown.

LITTLE BEAVER

County: Fallon

Discovery Well:

Name: Shell, Unit No. 23-13

Location: NE SW Sec. 13, T. 4N., R. 61E.

Date Completed: July 30, 1952

Total Depth: 8553'

Initial Potential: 313 BOPD, 33 BWPD

Deepest Well: Carter, NP No. 1, Sec. 19, T. 4N., R. 62E. Pre-Cambrian. T.D. 9676'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 15

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Red River (Ordovician)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

LITTLE BEAVER — EAST

County: Fallon

Discovery Well:

Name: Montana-Dakota Utilities, NP No. 1

Location: Sec. 17, T. 4N., R. 62E.

Date Completed: October, 1952

Total Depth: 8186'

Initial Potential: 25 BOPD

Deepest Well: Shell, No. 14-34, Sec. 34, T. 5N., R. 61E. Red River (Ordovician). T.D. 8471'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 11

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Red River (Ordovician)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water

Water Disposal: Commission has granted approval for water injection; however, the project is not yet in operation.

MACKAY

County: Carbon and Stillwater

Discovery Well:

Name: Northern Natural Gas, Mackay No. 1-A

Location: NW SE Sec. 14, T. 6S., R. 17E.

Date Completed: May 20, 1960

Total Depth: 4116'

Initial Potential: 103 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Morrison (Jurassic)

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 2

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Greybull (Lower Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Unknown.

MELSTONE

County: Musselshell

Discovery Well:

Name: Amerada, Hougen No. 1

Location: SE SE Sec. 23, T. 10N., R. 29E.

Date Completed: October 18, 1948

Total Depth: 4228'

Initial Potential: 655 BOPD, $\frac{3}{4}$ " ck.

Deepest Well: Amerada, Hougen No. 2. Sec. 23, T. 10N., R. 29E. Cambrian. T.D. 7626'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 8

Type of Trap: Structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Tyler (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion drive.

Water Disposal: Produced water was injected into the Tyler "B" zone from February, 1954 to May, 1958. A total of 1,056,000 barrels were injected before the injection well plugged.

MONARCH

County: Fallon

Discovery Well:

Name: Shell, NP 12-23

Location: Sec. 23, T. 9N., R. 58E.

Date Completed: November 18, 1958

Total Depth: 9175'

Initial Potential: 218 BOPD, 13 BWPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Red River (Ordovician)

Spacing Regulations:

160-acre spacing, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 175' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 12-59.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 13

Type of Trap: Structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Red River (Ordovician); Interlake (Silurian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion drive with partial water drive.

MOSSER

County: **Yellowstone**

Discovery Well:

Name: **Tarrant, Mosser No. 2**

Location: SW SW NE Sec. 26, T. 3S., R. 24E.

Date Completed: January 25, 1937

Total Depth: 1027'

Initial Potential: 60 BOPD

Deepest Well: Tarrant, Mosser No. 1, Sec. 26, T. 3S., R. 24E. Madison (Mississippian). T.D. 2568'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Order No. 21-56 establishes some exceptions.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 5

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Dakota (Lower Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

OUTLOOK

County: **Sheridan**

Discovery Well:

Name: **Amerada, Tange No. 1**

Location: Sec. 20, T. 36N., R. 53E.

Date Completed: December 22, 1956

Total Depth: 9950'

Initial Potential: 2742 BOPD

Deepest Well: Amerada, A. Johnson No. 1, Sec. 33, T. 36N., R. 53E. Pre-Cambrian. T.D. 11,074'

Spacing Regulations:

160 acre spacing, permitted wells can be in either SW $\frac{1}{4}$ or NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 175' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 19-59A.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 11

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic and structural

Productive Formations: Silurian-Devonian. Red River (Ordovician)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive

Water Disposal: Produced water disposal began January 12, 1960 into the Dakota formation. An average of 1030 BWPD was injected at an average pressure of 775 psig. during December, 1960. Accumulative water injections to January 1, 1961 were about 248,000 barrels.

PENNEL

County: Fallon

Discovery Well:

Name: Shell, State No. 22X-36

Location: SE NW Sec. 36, T. 8N., R. 59E.

Date Completed: September 8, 1955

Total Depth: 9242'

Initial Potential: 205 BOPD, 39 BWPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Winnipeg (Ordovician)

Spacing Regulations:

80 acre, permitted wells in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 150' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 1-56.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 20

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Lodgepole (Mississippian); Mission Canyon (Mississippian); Siluro-Ordovician.

Probable Drive Mechanism: Combination depletion drive and water drive

Water Disposal: Commission has granted approval to dispose of produced water by injection; however, the project is not yet in operation.

PINE

County: Fallon, Wibaux, Prairie and Dawson

Discovery Well:

Name: Shell, Pine Unit No. 32-30

Location: SW SW NE Sec. 30, T. 12N., R. 57E.

Date Completed: January 28, 1952

Total Depth: 9746'

Initial Potential: 467 BOPD, 148 BWPD

Deepest Well: Shell, 43-22A. Sec. 22, T. 11N., R. 57E. Pre-Cambrian. T.D. 10,414'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells; 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 143

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Silurian-Ordovician

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

Secondary Recovery: A partial pressure maintenance program was initiated March 10, 1959 by injecting water into the producing horizon. Commission has given approval to expand the project. A total of about 540,000 barrels of water have been injected into the Siluro-Ordovician reservoir.

Water Disposal: Produced water has been disposed of by injecting into the Dakota formation since October, 1958. A total of about 2,910,000 barrels had been injected to December 1, 1960. Average November, 1960 injection rates were 3770 BWPD.

PLEVNA

County: Fallon

Discovery Well:

Name: F. H. Becker No. 1

Location: NE NE SE Sec. 28, T. 5N., R. 60E.

Date Completed: January 18, 1946

Total Depth: 1053'

Initial Potential: 300 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Fallon, NP No. 7, Sec. 3, T. 5N., R. 59E. Judith River (Upper Cretaceous). T.D. 2240'

Spacing Regulations:

1200' from quarter section line, 2400' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons.

Field delineated by Orders No. 34-54 and 4-57.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 25

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Judith River (Upper Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

PONDERA

County: Teton

Discovery Well:

Name: Midwest Refining, Haber No. 1

Location: SE SE Sec. 17, T. 27N., R. 4W.

Date Completed: June, 1927

Total Depth: 2072'

Initial Potential: 3 BOPD, 3500 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Wasatch Oil, Hirshberg No. 1. Sec. 23, T. 27 N., R. 4W. Pre-Cambrian. T.D. 5233'.

Spacing Regulations:

220' from quarter-quarter section line, 430' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 9-54.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules, except Rules No. 207, 211, 219, 221, 223, 224 do not apply.

No. Producing Wells: 326

Type of Trap: Structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Madison (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Combination depletion drive with limited water drive.

POPLAR

County: Roosevelt

Discovery Well:

Name: East Poplar Unit No. 1. Murphy Corp.

Location: SW NE Sec. 2. T. 28N., R. 51E.

Date Completed: March 10, 1952

Total Depth: 9163'

Initial Potential: 233 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Winnipeg (Ordovician)

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 7-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 93

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Charles-Mission Canyon (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive

Secondary Recovery: Partial pressure maintenance by water injection was started in September, 1956. The project has since been expanded. Total water injections to January 1, 1961 were about 6,545,000 barrels. December, 1960 injections averaged about 6,450 BWPD.

Water Disposal: Excess produced water has been injected into the Dakota formation since September, 1957. A total of about 7,723,000 barrels have been injected to January 1, 1961. Average daily injections during December, 1960 were 3,260 BWPD.

POPLAR — NORTHWEST

County: Roosevelt

Discovery Well:

Name: Ajax Oil, McGowan No. 1

Location: SE SW Sec. 10, T. 29N., R. 50E.

Date Completed: May 12, 1952

Total Depth: 6274'

Initial Potential: 75 BOPD, 25 BWPD

Deepest Well: Carter, Harry Mason No. 1. Interlake (Silurian). T.D. 8392'

Spacing Regulations:

80-acre spacing; permitted wells in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 18-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules. Order No. 18-55 lists special well completion practices to be followed.

No. Producing Wells: 4

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Charles-Mission Canyon (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

RAGGED POINT

County: **Musselshell**

Discovery Well:

Name: **Texas, Manion No. 1**

Location: SE SW Sec. 5, T. 11N., R. 30E.

Date Completed: January 4, 1948

Total Depth: 6312'

Initial Potential: 236 BOPD, 5% water.

Deepest Well: Above well. Cambrian

Spacing Regulations:

Center of 40 acres, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Orders No. 15-54 and 8-59.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 10

Type of Trap: Structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Kibbey and Tyler (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Kibbey, water drive; Tyler, depletion drive.

REAGAN

County: **Glacier**

Discovery Well:

Name: **Reagan Associates, Tribal 194-1**

Location: SE NE Sec. 22, T. 37N., R. 7W.

Date Completed: March 29, 1941

Total Depth: 3869'

Initial Potential: 6000 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Union Oil, Blackfeet Tribal 194-12. Cambrian. T.D. 6258'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 50

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Madison (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Combination gas cap and water drive

Secondary Recovery: Operators have commission approval to cycle produced gas for partial pressure maintenance. Project is not yet in operation.

RED CREEK

County: Glacier

Discovery Well:

Name: G. S. Frary, Isabel Moberly No. 1

Location: SW SW Sec. 1, T. 37N., R. 5W.

Date Completed: January 16, 1958

Total Depth: 2656'

Initial Potential: 1500 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Pardee-Inland Empire, McAlpine No. 1. Madison (Mississippian). T.D. 2990'

Spacing Regulations:

Center of 40 acres, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 16-58.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules. Rule 219 waived.

No. Producing Wells: 15

Type of Trap: Structural and stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Cut Bank (Lower Cretaceous), Madison (Mississippian).

RAPELJE

County: Stillwater

Discovery Well:

Name: Shoreline Petroleum, C. F. Kirchner No. 1

Location: NE SW Sec. 4, T. 2N., R. 20E.

Date Completed: November 18, 1960

Total Depth: 4064'

Initial Potential: 840 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Morrison (Jurassic)

Spacing Regulations:

1320' from lease line, 3700' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: Shut-in

Type of Trap: Unknown

Productive Formations: Eagle (Cretaceous)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Unknown

RED STONE

County: Sheridan

Discovery Well:

Name: H. L. Hunt, Hagen No. 1

Location: NE NW Sec. 7, T. 34 N., R. 52E.

Date Completed: November 1, 1958

Total Depth: 10,700'

Initial Potential: 100 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Cambrian.

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 1

Type of Trap: Unknown

Productive Formations: Devonian

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

REPEAT

County: Carter

Discovery Well:

Name: Ohio Oil, Govt. No. 1

Location: Lot 4, Sec. 4, T. 1S., R. 62E.

Date Completed: March 27, 1956

Total Depth: 9362'

Initial Potential: 186 BOPD, 2% water

Deepest Well: Above well. Winnipeg (Ordovician)

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 1

Type of Trap: Unknown

Productive Formations: Red River (Ordovician)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

RICHEY

County: Dawson and McCone

Discovery Well:

Name: Shell, NP No. 11-9

Location: SE NW NW Sec. 19, T. 23N., R. 50E.

Date Completed: November 29, 1951

Total Depth: 10,518'

Initial Potential: 1656 BOPD, 408 BWPD, 32/64" ck.

Deepest Well: Above well. Ordovician.

Spacing Regulations:

80 acre spacing, permitted wells in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 21-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules

No. Producing Wells: 12

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Charles (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive

Water Disposal: Part of the produced water in this field is being injected into the Dakota formation. Cumulative injections to October 1, 1960 were about 2,075,000 barrels. An average of 725 BWPD was injected during the month of September, 1960.

RICHEY — SOUTHWEST

County: McCone

Discovery Well:

Name: Shell, NP No. 22-25B

Location: SE NW Sec. 25, T. 22N., R. 48E.

Date Completed: 1952

Total Depth: 10,188'

Initial Potential: 51 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Winnipeg (Ordovician)

Spacing Regulations:

80 acre spacing permitted wells in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 22-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 2

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Interlake (Silurian); Dawson Bay (Devonian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion drive.

RUDYARD

County: Hill

Discovery Well:

Name: **Texaco, Anderson No. 1**

Location: SE SW Sec. 27, T. 34N., R. 9E.

Date Completed: December 9, 1955

Total Depth: 3435'

Initial Potential: 3500 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Texaco, R. E. Blair No. 1, NW SE Sec. 28, T. 34N., R. 9E. Pre-Cambrian. T.D. 6550'

Spacing Regulations:

640 acre spacing, permitted well in C NW $\frac{1}{4}$, 150' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 2-58.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: Shut-in

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Sawtooth (Jurassic)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Volumetric.

SAND CREEK

County: Dawson

Discovery Well:

Name: **Texaco, Guelff No. 1**

Location: SE NE Sec. 4, T. 15N., R. 54E.

Date Completed: March 8, 1959

Total Depth: 9684'

Initial Potential: 408 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Red River (Ordovician)

Spacing Regulations:

80 acre spacing, permitted wells in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of each quarter section, 150' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 16-59.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 6

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Interlake (Silurian); Red River (Devonian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

SIDNEY

County: Richland

Discovery Well:

Name: Wendell C. Flynn, Beagle Land & Livestock Co. No. 1

Location: SW SW Sec. 17, T. 23N., R. 59E.

Date Completed: September 11, 1958

Total Depth: 13,135'

Initial Potential: 50 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Winnipeg (Devonian)

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 2

Type of Trap: Unknown

Productive Formations: Mission Canyon (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

SNYDER

County: Big Horn

Discovery Well:

Name: George Greer, Kendrick No. 2

Location: NE NW NW Sec. 6, T. 1S., R. 35E.

Date Completed: October 4, 1952

Total Depth: 4588'

Initial Potential: 150 BOPD

Deepest Well: George Greer, Kendrick No. 3. Sec. 6, T. 1S., R. 35E. Winnipeg (Ordovician). T.D. 6808'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 1320' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 4

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Tensleep (Pennsylvanian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

SOAP CREEK

County: Big Horn

Discovery Well:

Name: Western States Oil & Gas Co., Tribal No. 1

Location: Approx. center Section 34, T. 6S., R. 32E.

Date Completed: February 11, 1921

Total Depth: 1966'

Initial Potential: 200 BOPD

Deepest Well: Inland Empire, Tribal 52-34. Sec. 34, T. 6S., R. 32E. Pre-Cambrian. T.D. 4470'

Spacing Regulations:

Center of 10 acres, 100' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 26-60.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 17

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Tensleep, Amsden (Pennsylvanian); Madison (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

STENSVAD

County: Musselshell and Rosebud

Discovery Well:

Name: Honolulu, Stensvad No. 11-9

Location: NE SE Sec. 11, T. 11N., R. 31E.

Date Completed: December 20, 1958

Total Depth: 5516'

Initial Potential: 448 BOPD

Spacing Regulations:

Center of 40 acres, 200' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Orders No. 2-59, 22-59, 7-60.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 24

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Tyler (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion drive

Secondary Recovery: The operators in this field are in the process of forming a unit in order to initiate water flood operations.

SUMATRA

County: Rosebud

Discovery Well:

Name: Farmers Union, Sawyer No. 1

Location: NE SW Sec. 26, T. 11N., R. 32E.

Date Completed: October 8, 1950

Total Depth: 5277'

Initial Potential: 50 BOPD

Deepest Well: Texas, Horgen No. 1. Sec. 13, T. 11N., R. 32E. Kibbey (Mississippian). T.D. 5657'

Spacing Regulations:

Center of 40 acres, tolerance at Commission's discretion. Delineated by Order No. 14-58.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 88

Type of Trap: Stratigraphic

Productive Formations: Amsden (Pennsylvanian); Tyler (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Depletion drive

Water Disposal: A part of the produced water is injected into the Amsden formation. A total of about 161,000 barrels had been injected to October 1, 1960. Average September, 1960 injections were 428 BWPD at 600 psig.

TULE CREEK

County: Roosevelt

Discovery Well:

Name: Murphy, Sletvold No. 1

Location: SE SE Sec. 18, T. 30 N., R. 48E.

Date Completed: October 27, 1960

Total Depth: 8478'

Initial Potential: 476 BOPD, 14/64" ck.

Deepest Well: Above well. Dawson Bay (Devonian)

Spacing Regulations:

330' from boundary of quarter-quarter section, and 1320' between wells. 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 2

Type of Trap: Unknown

Productive Formations: Nisku (Devonian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Unknown.

UTOPIA

County: **Liberty**

Discovery Well:

Name: Texaco, State M-1094

Location: NW SE SE Sec. 16, T. 33N., R. 4E.

Date Completed: October 5, 1943

Total Depth: 2579'

Initial Potential: 15 BOPD (Field produces gas)

Deepest Well: Texaco, Laas No. 2. Sec. 14, T. 33N., R. 4E. Cambrian. T.D. 4593'

Spacing Regulations:

1320' from lease line, 3700' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field not delineated.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 7

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Sawtooth (Jurassic); Madison (Mississippian); Jefferson (Devonian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Unknown.

WHITLASH

County: **Toole and Liberty**

Discovery Well:

Name: Montana-Canadian Oil, E. Brown No. 1

Location: SE NE NW Sec. 19, T. 37N., R. 4E.

Date Completed: November, 1918

Total Depth: 2730'

Initial Potential: 15,000 MCFGPD

Deepest Well: Union Oil, Mahoney No. 1. Sec. 22, T. 37N., R. 4E. Cambrian. T.D. 4068'

Spacing Regulations:

330' from quarter-quarter section line, 650' between wells, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Field delineated by Order No. 16-54.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 42 Gas; 27 Oil

Type of Trap: Combination stratigraphic and structural

Productive Formations: Blackleaf and Bow Island (Cretaceous); Kootenai-Sunburst-Swift-Sawtooth (Cretaceous); Madison (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Volumetric.

WILLS CREEK

County: Fallon and Wibaux

Wills Creek is a non-unitized extension of the Cabin Creek Field lying on the east flank of the Cedar Creek Anticline.

WOLF SPRINGS

County: Yellowstone

Discovery Well:

Name: Atlantic, C. S. Horton No. 18-1

Location: SE SW Sec. 18, T. 7N., R. 32E.

Date Completed: July 31, 1955

Total Depth: 8442'

Initial Potential: 370 BOPD

Deepest Well: Above well. Cambrian.

Spacing Regulations:

80 acre spacing, permitted wells in the NW and SE $\frac{1}{4}$, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Order No. 9-59.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 19

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Amsden (Pennsylvanian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

WOODROW

County: Dawson

Discovery Well:

Name: Texaco, NP "G" (NCT-8) No. 1

Location: NE NE Sec. 7, T. 16 N., R. 54E.

Date Completed: August 25, 1952

Total Depth: 8124'

Initial Potential: 114 BOPD, 20% water

Deepest Well: Texaco, Elpel No. 1. Winnipeg (Ordovician). T.D. 10,370'

Spacing Regulations:

160 acre spacing, permitted well in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ in Red River, and the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ in Charles, 75' tolerance for topographic reasons. Delineated by Orders No. 25-55 and 24-55.

Special Field Rules:

State-wide rules.

No. Producing Wells: 2

Type of Trap: Structural

Productive Formations: Charles (Mississippian)

Probable Drive Mechanism: Water drive.

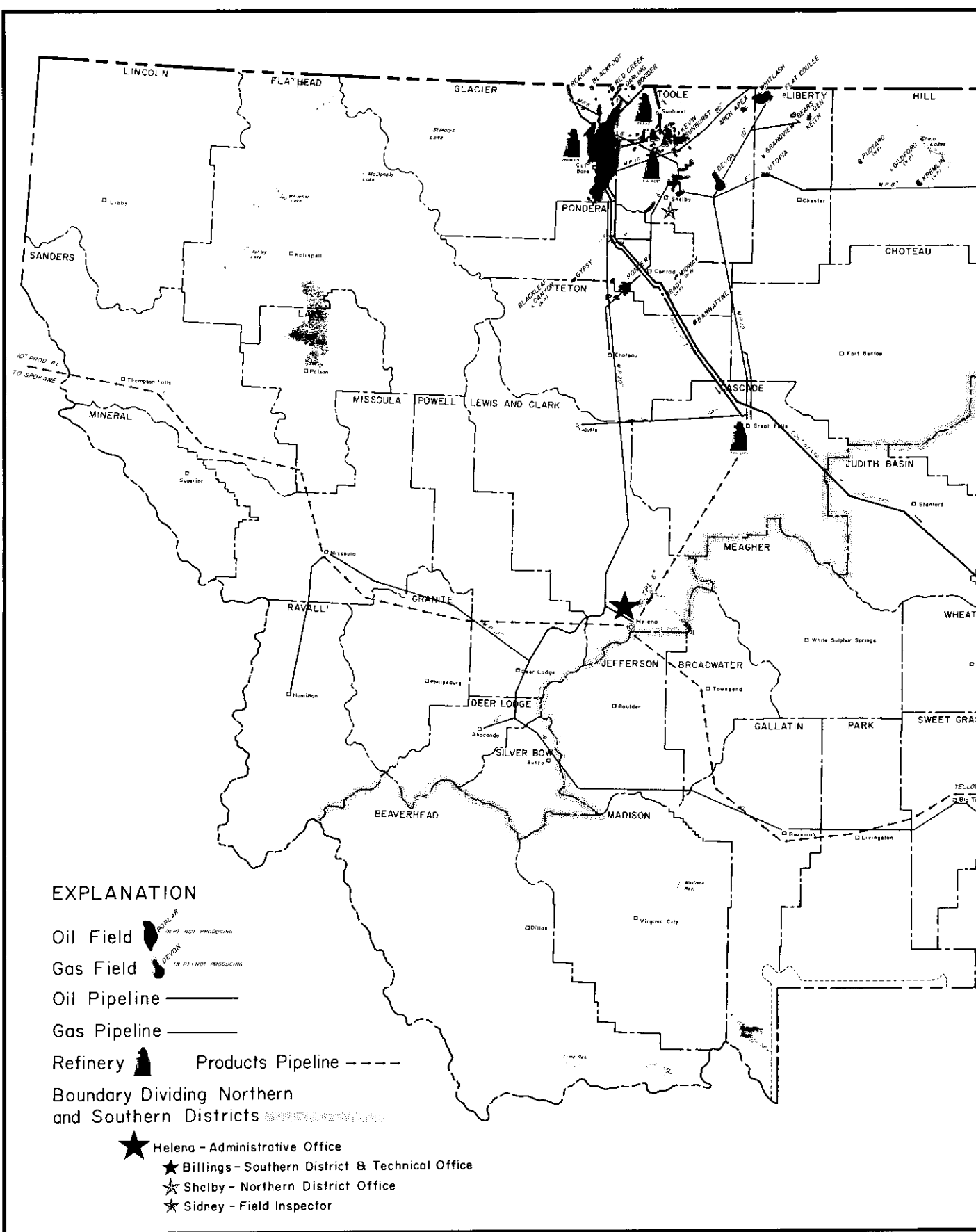
STATE OF MONTANA —

| Line No. | Field (or Pool) | County | Year Discovered | Production Formation | Approx. Depth | A.P.I. Gravity | Volume Factor | Avg. Net Pay Ft. | Avg. Porosity % |
|----------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | Ash Creek | Big Horn | 1952 | Shannon (U. Cret.) | 4500 | 34 | 1.045 | 14 | 22 |
| 2 | Bannatyne | Teton | 1927 | Swift (U. Jur.) | 1450 | 27 | 1.05 | 39 | 15 |
| 3 | Bears Den | Liberty | 1924 | Sunburst (L. Cret.) | 2300 | 39 | 1.08 | 20 | 12 |
| 4 | Belfry | Carbon | 1958 | Fuson (L. Cret.) | 9844 | 38 | 1.60 | 20 | 11.25 |
| 5 | Big Wall | Musselshell | 1948 | Tyler (U. Miss.) | 3000 | 31 | 1.02 | 22 | 17 |
| 6 | Big Wall | Musselshell | 1953 | Amsden (L. Penn.) | 2500 | 19 | 1.005 | 17 | 16 |
| 7 | Blackfoot | Glacier | 1955 | Madison (Miss.) | 3550 | 25 | 1.15 | 8 | 14 |
| 8 | Blackfoot | Glacier | 1955 | Cut Bank (L. Cret.) | 3500 | 30 | 1.11 | 15 | 15 |
| 9 | Border | Toole | 1929 | Cut Bank (L. Cret.) | 2400 | 31 | 1.08 | 22 | 15 |
| 10 | Bowes | Blaine | 1949 | Sawtooth (M. Jur.) | 3250 | 19 | 1.02 | 37 | 11.7 |
| 11 | Bredette-North | Roosevelt, Daniels | 1956 | Charles (Miss.) | 6720 | 38 | 1.24 | 24 | 6 |
| 12 | Brorson | Richland | 1954 | Mission Canyon (Miss.) | 9744 | 32 | 1.50 | 92 | 4 |
| 13 | Cabin Creek | Fallon | 1953 | Siluro-Ordovician | 8400 | 33 | 1.20 | 50 | 13 |
| 14 | Cabin Creek | Fallon | 1956 | Mission Canyon (Miss.) | 7300 | 33 | 1.13 | 25 | 11 |
| 15 | Cat Creek (Antelope-Mosby) | Petroleum-Garfield | 1920 | Kootenai (L. Cret.) | 1225 | 52 | 1.10 | 10 | 21 |
| 16 | Cat Creek (West Dome) | Petroleum-Garfield | 1920 | Kootenai (L. Cret.) | 1100 | 52 | 1.10 | 51 | 21 |
| 17 | Cat Creek | Petroleum-Garfield | 1945 | Morrison (U. Jur.) | 1600 | 52 | 1.10 | 6 | 22 |
| 18 | Cat Creek | Petroleum-Garfield | 1945 | Swift (U. Jur.) | 1750 | 52 | 1.10 | 25 | 18 |
| 19 | Clarks Fork | Carbon | 1954 | Frontier (U. Cret.) | 6730 | 43 | 1.16 | 28 | 14 |
| 20 | Clarks Fork-North | Carbon | 1956 | Lakota (L. Cret.) | 8940 | 50 | 1.92 | 19 | 19 |
| 21 | Clarks Fork-North | Carbon | 1957 | Dakota (L. Cret.) | 8750 | 56 | 1.92 | 11 | 20 |
| 22 | Cupton | Fallon | 1955 | Red River (U. Ord.) | 9800 | 33 | 1.50 | 33 | 13 |
| 23 | Cut Bank | Glacier-Toole | 1932 | Kootenai (L. Cret.) | 2900 | 38 | 1.148 | 16 | 15 |
| 24 | Cut Bank | Glacier-Toole | 1945 | Madison (Miss.) | 3000 | 39 | 1.10 | 10 | 14 |
| 25 | Deer Creek | Dawson | 1952 | Red River (U. Ord.) | 9850 | 42 | 1.21 | 112 | 6.7 |
| 26 | Deer Creek | Dawson | 1952 | Interlake (Sil.) | 9440 | 42 | 1.22 | 71 | 7 |
| 27 | Delphia | Musselshell | 1957 | Amsden (L. Penn.) | 6290 | 35 | 1.15 | 12 | 6.5 |
| 28 | Devils Basin | Musselshell | 1919 | Heath (U. Miss.) | 1200 | 24 | 1.02 | 11 | 17 |
| 29 | Dry Creek | Carbon | 1930 | Greybull (L. Cret.) | 5600 | 52 | 1.60 | 12 | 12 |
| 30 | Dry Creek | Carbon | 1932 | Pryor (L. Cret.) | 5800 | 52 | 1.20 | 30 | 12 |
| 31 | Dwyer | Sheridan | 1960 | Mission Canyon (Miss.) | 8000 | 33 | 1.12 | 30 | 11.8 |
| 32 | Elk Basin | Carbon | 1915 | Frontier (U. Cret.) | 1200 | 45 | 1.16 | 30 | 21 |
| 33 | Elk Basin | Carbon | 1942 | Embar-Tensleep (Perm.-Penn.) | 5000 | 29 | 1.1566 | 124 | 10.5 |
| 34 | Elk Basin | Carbon | 1946 | Madison (Miss.) | 5300 | 28 | 1.123 | 224 | 12 |
| 35 | Elk Basin-Northwest | Carbon | 1947 | Frontier (U. Cret.) | 3375 | 47 | 1.287 | 28 | 19 |
| 36 | Elk Basin-Northwest | Carbon | 1947 | Madison (Miss.) | 6215 | 35 | 1.075 | 124 | 11.6 |
| 37 | Fertile Prairie | Fallon | 1954 | Red River (Ord.) | 9200 | 33 | 1.25 | 30 | 5.6 |
| 38 | Frannie | Carbon | 1928 | Tensleep (Penn.) | 2700 | 27 | 1.018 | 29 | 19 |
| 39 | Gage | Musselshell | 1943 | Amsden (L. Penn.) | 6000 | 34 | 1.07 | 18 | 10 |
| 40 | Gas City | Dawson | 1955 | Red River (U. Ord.) | 8700 | 38 | 1.284 | 25 | 9 |
| 41 | Glendive | Dawson | 1952 | Stony Mtn.-Red River (U. Ord.) | 8700 | 38 | 1.25 | 147 | 6.5 |
| 42 | Gypsy Basin | Pondera | 1958 | Madison (Miss.) | 3150 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 43 | Hibbard | Rosebud | 1960 | Amsden (Perm.) | 4810 | 31 | 1.05 | 12 | 15 |
| 44 | Ivanhoe | Musselshell | 1960 | Amsden (Perm.) | 3600 | 32 | 1.08 | 9 | 17 |
| 45 | Ivanhoe | Musselshell | 1953 | Morrison (U. Jur.) | 2800 | 30 | 1.08 | 10 | 15 |
| 46 | Ivanhoe | Musselshell | 1956 | Tyler (U. Miss.) | 4050 | 33 | 1.08 | 29 | 15 |
| 47 | Keg Coulee | Musselshell | 1960 | Tyler (U. Miss.) | 4550 | 32 | 1.15 | 30 | 15 |
| 48 | Kevin-Sunburst | Toole | 1922 | Madison (Miss.) | 1500 | 32 | 1.083 | 6.5 | 20 |
| 49 | Little Beaver | Fallon | 1952 | Red River (U. Ord.) | 8300 | 29 | 1.16 | 37 | 12 |
| 50 | Little Beaver-East | Fallon | 1954 | Red River (U. Ord.) | 8300 | 30 | 1.20 | 29 | 12.5 |
| 51 | Hackay Dome | Carbon-Stillwater | 1960 | Greybull (L. Cret.) | 3650 | 10 | 1.00 | 56 | 10 |
| 52 | Helstone | Musselshell | 1948 | Tyler (U. Miss.) | 4250 | 34 | 1.09 | 25 | 12 |
| 53 | Monarch | Fallon | 1958 | Interlake-Red River (Sil.-U.Ord.) | 8400 | 32 | 1.1 | 31 | 7 |
| 54 | Mosser | Yellowstone | 1936 | Dakota (L. Cret.) | 1000 | 22 | 1.01 | 15.4 | 23.6 |
| 55 | Outlook | Sheridan | 1956 | Siluro-Devonian | 9000 | 38 | 1.12 | 20 | 8 |
| 56 | Outlook | Sheridan | 1957 | Red River (U. Ord.) | 9900 | 33 | 1.21 | 35 | 8 |
| 57 | Pennel | Fallon | 1955 | Siluro-Ordovician | 8800 | 33 | 1.135 | 40 | 11 |
| 58 | Pennel | Fallon | 1957 | Mission Canyon (Miss.) | 7000 | 31 | 1.10 | 38 | 3.4 |
| 59 | Pennel | Fallon | 1960 | Lodgepole (Miss.) | 7500 | 36 | 1.13 | 30 | 8 |
| 60 | Pine | Dawson, Wibaux, Fallon, Prairie | 1952 | Siluro-Ordovician | 8400 | 34 | 1.17 | 32 | 11.5 |
| 61 | Pondera | Pondera-Teton | 1927 | Madison (Miss.) | 2100 | 34 | 1.20 | 15 | 16 |
| 62 | Poplar-East | Roosevelt | 1952 | Charles-Mission Canyon (Miss.) | 5550 | 40 | 1.10 | 25 | 11 |
| 63 | Poplar-Northwest | Roosevelt | 1952 | Charles-Mission Canyon (Miss.) | 6260 | 40 | 1.10 | 16 | 10.3 |
| 64 | Ragged Point | Musselshell | 1947 | Kibbey (U. Miss.) | 4400 | 33 | 1.09 | 28 | 11 |
| 65 | Ragged Point | Musselshell | 1956 | Tyler (U. Miss.) | 3580 | 32 | 1.10 | 14 | 14.5 |
| 66 | Reagan | Glacier | 1947 | Madison (Miss.) | 3700 | 38 | 1.10 | 11 | 12 |
| 67 | Red Creek | Glacier | 1958 | Kootenai (L. Cret.) | 2600 | 33 | 1.17 | 20 | 19.2 |
| 68 | Red Creek | Glacier | 1958 | Madison (Miss.) | 2750 | 28 | 1.10 | 18 | 13 |
| 69 | Red Stone | Sheridan | 1958 | Winnipegosis (Dev.) | 9400 | 39 | 1.10 | 10 | 7 |
| 70 | Repeat | Carter | 1956 | Red River (U. Ord.) | 8610 | 23 | 1.024 | 25 | 10 |
| 71 | Richey | Dawson-McCone | 1951 | Charles (Miss.) | 7000 | 39 | 1.203 | 25 | 8 |
| 72 | Richey-Southwest | McCone | 1952 | Interlake (Sil.) | 9200 | 48 | 1.37 | 21 | 9 |
| 73 | Richey-Southwest | McCone | 1952 | Dawson Bay (Dev.) | 9130 | 48 | 1.37 | 6 | 9 |
| 74 | Sand Creek | Dawson | 1959 | Interlake (Sil.) | 8950 | 39 | 1.30 | 20 | 10 |
| 75 | Sand Creek | Dawson | 1959 | Red River (U. Ord.) | 9400 | 39 | 1.30 | 15 | 10 |
| 76 | Sidney | Richland | 1958 | Mission Canyon (Miss.) | 9000 | 32 | 1.50 | 30 | 4 |
| 77 | Snyder | Big Horn | 1952 | Tensleep (Penn.) | 4550 | 21 | 1.16 | 12 | 20 |
| 78 | Soap Creek | Big Horn | 1920 | Tensleep-Amsden-Madison | 1900 | 20 | 1.045 | 20 | 15 |
| 79 | Stensvad | Musselshell-Rosebud | 1958 | Tyler (U. Miss.) | 5500 | 33 | 1.171 | 26.25 | 14 |
| 80 | Sumatra | Rosebud | 1949 | Tyler (U. Miss.) | 4500 | 32 | 1.16 | 30 | 18.5 |
| 81 | Sumatra | Rosebud | 1955 | Amsden (L. Penn.) | 4000 | 29 | 1.10 | 8 | 20 |
| 82 | Tule Creek | Roosevelt | 1960 | Nisku (Dev.) | 7700 | 45 | 1.30 | 30 | 25 |
| 83 | Whitlash | Liberty | 1927 | (L. Cret.) | 1400 | 38 | 1.13 | 15 | 16 |
| 84 | Wills Creek | Fallon | 1957 | Sil-Ordovician | 8500 | 32 | 1.20 | 70 | 12 |
| 85 | Wolf Springs | Yellowstone | 1955 | Amsden (L. Penn.) | 6200 | 30 | 1.0745 | 10.5 | 5.75 |
| 86 | Woodrow | Dawson | 1952 | Charles (Miss.) | 7800 | 32 | 1.45 | 19 | 17.3 |








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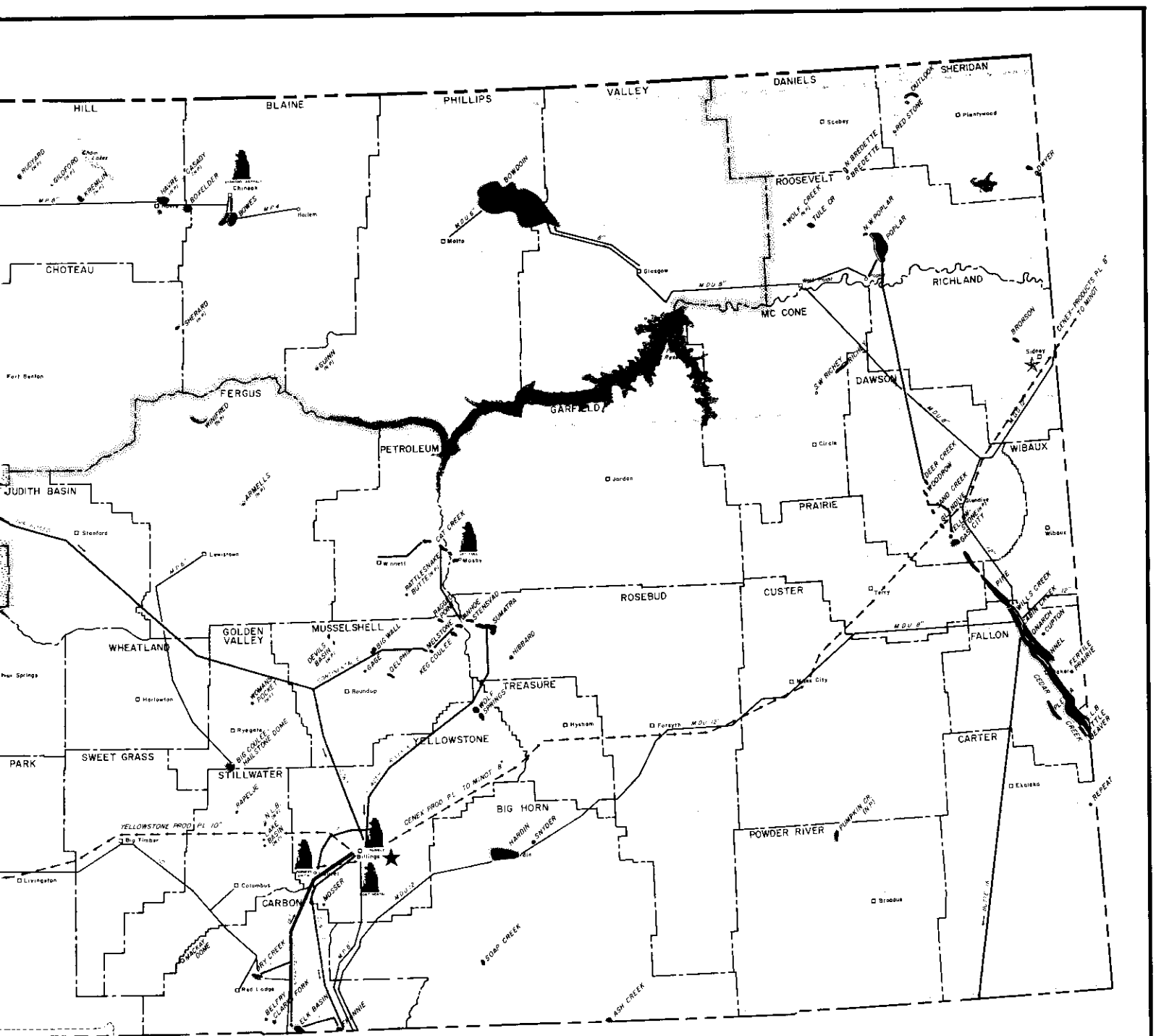
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EXPLANATION

- Oil Field  (N.P.) NOT PRODUCING
- Gas Field  (N.P.) NOT PRODUCING
- Oil Pipeline 
- Gas Pipeline 
- Refinery  Products Pipeline 
- Boundary Dividing Northern and Southern Districts 
- ★ Helena - Administrative Office
- ★ Billings - Southern District & Technical Office
- ★ Shelby - Northern District Office
- ★ Sidney - Field Inspector



MONTANA

OIL AND GAS FIELDS, PIPELINES AND REFINERIES 1960

THE OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

| ERA | PERIOD | SOUTHWESTERN MONTANA | CRAZY MTN. BASIN | BIG HORN BASIN | | SOUTH-CENTRAL MONTANA | | |
|-------------|---------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------------|--|-----------------|---------------------|
| CENOZOIC | | BEAVERHEAD | TONGUE RIVER LEBO TULLOCK | FORT UNION | | | | |
| | | | HELL CREEK | LANCE | | | | |
| MESOZOIC | CRETACEOUS | UPPER | MONTANA COLORADO GROUP | LIVINGSTON FORMATION | | | HELL CREEK | |
| | | | | LENNEP | MEETEETSE | | LENNEP | |
| | | | | BEARPAW | | | BEARPAW | |
| | | | | JUDITH RIVER | MESA VERDE | | JUDITH RIVER | |
| | | | | CLAGGETT | | | CLAGGETT | |
| | | | | EAGLE VIRGELLE | CODY SHALE | | EAGLE VIRGELLE | * DRY CR |
| | LOWER | MONTANA COLORADO GROUP | MONTANA COLORADO GROUP | TELEGRAPH CREEK | FRONTIER | | TELEGRAPH CREEK | |
| | | | | FRONTIER | FRONTIER | ● ELK BASIN, CLARKS FORK, N.W. ELK BASIN | FRONTIER | * DRY CR |
| | | | | MOWRY | MOWRY | | MOWRY | |
| | | | | MUDDY | THERMOPOLIS | MUDDY ss | MUDDY ss | |
| | | | | DAKOTA | DAKOTA SS | Boadl Colo. silt | DAKOTA | * NORTH CLARKS FORK |
| | | | | KOOTENAI | CLOVERLY GROUP | Graybull ss - FUSON | KOOTENAI | * NORTH CLARKS FORK |
| JURASSIC | UPPER | MONTANA COLORADO GROUP | MORRISON | MORRISON | | MORRISON | | |
| | | | SWIFT | SWIFT | UPPER SUNDANCE | SWIFT | | |
| | | | RIERDON | RIERDON | LOWER SUNDANCE | RIERDON | | |
| | MIDDLE | MONTANA COLORADO GROUP | MONTANA COLORADO GROUP | SAWTOOTH | PIPER | GYPSUM SPRING | PIPER | |
| | | | | | | | BOWES | |
| | LOWER | MONTANA COLORADO GROUP | MONTANA COLORADO GROUP | | | | Hammond | |
| | | | | | | Temple | | |
| TRIASSIC | | MONTANA COLORADO GROUP | THAYNES | CHUGWATER | CHUGWATER | CHUGWATER | | |
| | | | WOODSIDE | | | Red Peak mbr | | |
| | | DINWOODY | DINWOODY | DINWOODY | | DINWOODY | | |
| PALEOZOIC | PERMIAN | | PHOSPHORIA | PHOSPHORIA | | PHOSPHORIA | | |
| | PENNSYLVANIAN | | QUADRANT | TENSLEEP | TENSLEEP | ● ELK BASIN, FRANNIE | TENSLEEP | ● SHYDE |
| | | | AMSDEN | AMSDEN | AMSDEN | DARWIN SS | AMSDEN | ● SOAP |
| | MISSISSIPPIAN | | BRAZER | ALASKA BENCH | | | | |
| | | | | TYLER | | | | |
| | | | | BIG SNOWY | | | | |
| | DEVONIAN | UPPER | MADISON | MADISON | MADISON | ● ELK BASIN, N.W. ELK BASIN | MADISON | ● SOAP |
| | | | SAPPINGTON | SAPPINGTON | | | | |
| | | | THREE FORKS | THREE FORKS | THREE FORKS | | THREE FORKS | |
| | MIDDLE | | JEFFERSON | JEFFERSON | JEFFERSON | | JEFFERSON | |
| | | | MAYWOOD | MAYWOOD | | | | |
| | SILURIAN | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | ORDOVICIAN | | BIG HORN | BIG HORN | BIG HORN | LEIGH | BIG HORN | |
| | | | | | | LANDER SS | | |
| | CAMBRIAN | UPPER | | GROVE CREEK | | | GROVE CREEK | |
| | | MIDDLE | HASMARK | PILGRIM | PILGRIM | GALLATIN | PILGRIM | |
| | | | PARK | PARK | PARK | UPPER SH | PARK | |
| LOWER | | SILVER HILL | MEAGHER | MEAGHER | DEATH CANYON | MEAGHER | | |
| | | WOLSEY | WOLSEY | WOLSEY | LOWER SH | WOLSEY | | |
| | | FLATHEAD | FLATHEAD | FLATHEAD | | FLATHEAD | | |
| PROTEROZOIC | PRE-CAMBRIAN | BELT | BELT | | | | | |
| ARCHEOZOIC | | | | | METAMORPHIC | | | |

STRATIGRAPHIC CHART

1960

| NORTH-CENTRAL MONTANA | | NORTH POWDER RIVER BASIN | | WILLISTON BASIN | | PERIOD | | ERA | |
|----------------------------|--|--------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|---------------|--|
| TULLOCK | | | | YONKIE RIVER LEBO TULLOCK LUDDON | | | | CENOZOIC | |
| HELL CREEK | | HELL CREEK | | HELL CREEK | | | | | |
| FOX HILLS | | FOX HILLS | | FOX HILLS | | | | | |
| BEARPAW | | LEWIS | | BEARPAW | | CEDAR CREEK, PLEVNA | | UPPER | |
| JUDITH RIVER | | Teebot 22 | | JUDITH RIVER | | CEDAR CREEK | | CRETACEOUS | |
| CLAGGETT | | Parkman 22 | | CLAGGETT | | | | | |
| EAGLE VIRGELLE | | Shannon 22 | | EAGLE | | | | | |
| TELEGRAPH CREEK | | | | TEL CREEK | | | | | |
| NIOBRARA | | NIOBRARA | | NIOBRARA | | | | | |
| CARLILE | | CARLILE | | CARLILE | | | | | |
| GREENHORN | | GREENHORN | | GREENHORN | | | | | |
| BELLE FOURCHE | | BELLE FOURCHE | | BELLE FOURCHE | | | | | |
| MOWRY | | MOWRY | | MOWRY | | | | LOWER | |
| Bowl 1400 22 SAND CREEK | | NEWCASTLE | | NEWCASTLE 22 | | | | | |
| Bowl 1410 22 | | SKULL CR Bowl 1410 22 | | SKULL CREEK | | | | | |
| Bowl 1410 22 | | Dakota | | Dakota | | | | | |
| Dakota | | CLOVERLY GROUP | | Dakota | | | | | |
| KOOTENAI | | FUSON | | FUSON | | | | | |
| | | Lakota | | Lakota | | | | | |
| MORRISON | | MORRISON | | MORRISON | | | | | |
| SWIFT | | UPPER SUNDANCE | | SWIFT | | | | UPPER | |
| RIERDON | | LOWER SUNDANCE | | RIERDON | | | | JURASSIC | |
| BOWES FIREMOON TAMPICO | | GYPSUM SPRING | | BOWES FIREMOON TAMPICO | | | | MIDDLE | |
| NESSON | | | | NESSON FIREHEAD | | | | LOWER | |
| | | CHUGWATER | | SPEARFISH | | | | TRIASSIC | |
| | | PHOSPHORIA | | PERMIAN | | | | PERMIAN | |
| | | MINNEKAHTA | | MINNEKAHTA | | | | | |
| | | OPECHE | | OPECHE | | | | | |
| | | TENSLEEP | | MINNELUSA | | | | PENNSYLVANIAN | |
| | | AMSDEN | | AMSDEN | | | | | |
| | | Dorwin 22 | | Dorwin 22 | | | | | |
| ALASKA | | MADISON | | ALASKA | | N BREOETTE, POPLAR, RICHEY BRORSON, CABIN CR, OWYER, PENNEL, POPLAR, SIDNEY PENNEL | | MISSISSIPPIAN | |
| TULE | | | | TULE | | | | | |
| HEAD | | | | HEAD | | | | | |
| DUPON | | | | DUPON | | | | | |
| KIRBY | | | | KIRBY | | | | | |
| CHARLES | | | | CHARLES | | | | | |
| MISSION CANYON | | | | MISSION CANYON | | | | | |
| LODGEPOLE | | | | LODGEPOLE | | | | | |
| BAKKEN | | | | BAKKEN | | | | | |
| THREE FORKS | | DEVONIAN | | THREE FORKS | | TULE CREEK | | UPPER | |
| NISKU | | | | NISKU | | | | | |
| DUPEROW | | | | WOODBEND DUPEROW | | | | | |
| SOURIS RIVER | | | | BEAVER-HILL LAR SOURIS RIVER | | | | | |
| DAWSON BAY | | | | DAWSON BAY | | | | | |
| ELK POINT GROUP | | | | ELK POINT WINNIPEGOSIS ASHERN | | RED STONE, OUTLOOK | | MIDDLE | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| INTERLAKE | | SILURIAN | | INTERLAKE | | DEER CR, MONARCH, OUTLOOK, PENNEL, PINE SAND CR, SW RICHEY, CABIN CR, WILLS CR | | SILURIAN | |
| STONY MT | | | | STONY MT | | GLENDIVE | | UPPER | |
| RED RIVER | | BIG HORN | | RED RIVER | | CUPTON, CABIN CR, DEER CR, FERTILE PRAIRIE GLENDIVE, LITTLE BEAVER, EAST LITTLE BEAVER MONARCH, OUTLOOK, PENNEL, PINE, REPEAT, SAND CR, WILLS CR, YELLOWSTONE | | OROVICIAN | |
| WINNEPEG | | LANDER 22 | | WINNEPEG | | | | | |
| LOWER OROVICIAN | | | | LOWER OROVICIAN | | | | | |
| CAMBRIAN | | GALLATIN | | CAMBRIAN | | | | UPPER | |
| | | GROS VENTRE | | | | | | MIDDLE | |
| | | FLATHEAD | | | | | | LOWER | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | PRE-CAMBRIAN | |
| | | | | | | | | PROTEROZOIC | |
| | | | | | | | | ARCHEOZOIC | |