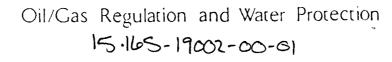
KCC/KDHE JOINT OIL/GAS REGULATORY OFFICE	15.185-19002-00-01
DATE June 18, 1985	[] New Situation
OPERATOR Steinle Oil # 6867	[] Response to Request [X] Follow-up
NAME LaVern Steinle & 624 East 3rd	LOCATION SW SW SW , SEC 14 , T 16 S, R 16 W
ADDRESS Russell, KS 67665	LEASE Schippers Well # 1
PHONE NO. OPER. 913-483-3905 OTHER	COUNTY Rush
REASON FOR INVESTIGATION: follow-up on T/A s	status of abandoned flowing well.
	Secretary of abandoned flowing well.
	BASN
PROBLEM: well was flowing to surface	
	LEASE
FINDINGS: The well was artesian with 31,000 mg November 1981. Letter was sent 6-6-85 request	g/L - chlorides - well has been abandoned since ting immediate plugging.
ACTION/RECOMMENDATIONS: well plugged 6	photos taken:
well plugged 6	RECEIVED STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION X
	JUN 2 1 1985
	CONSERVATION DIVISION Wichita, Kansas
Retain 1 copy Joint District Office	By Stew & Quant
Send 1' copy Conservation Division Send 1 copy KDHE/Topeka if appropriate	Joseph Munin

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Division of Environment
Dureau of Cil Field and Environmental Geology lopeka, Kansas 66620

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

	Initial Report X Recheck_
ate of Investigation October 5, 1981	Location SWSW 14-16-16W
ompany, City, etc. Lavern Steinle	
'roblem Abandoned OWWO well that has arte	esian pressure
•	A second
leason for Investigation Call from Ber	nard Ohnmacht on about September 28, 1981
Persons Interviewed None	
Findings: OWWO shut in at present - has	artesian flow - shut-in pressure = 20#.
Chloride = 31,000 mg/1. Workover pits conta	
	lled in the late 1930's or early 1940's.
Amount of surface pipe that was set is not	
Domestic wells in area range from 190 -	290' in depth. Base Dakota is around 300'
below surface in the area.	
Kongylody, down 800-900 11	STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
Kryalody down 800-900 Af	JUN 21 19851 - 85
	CONSERVATION DIVISION Wichita, Kansas
Action and/or Recommendation: Call to	Marion Schmidt (KCC plugger) on October 6, 1981 -
he is working on this problem - operator wil	1 either complete well or plug it within the
next two weeks.	
No further action is anticipated since	KCC is already working on this problem. Closed.
4-18-84 - Check of location	found well capped - 6' brocheck
upter in pet 6-2-	84 11 7
Date October 6, 1987 Inves	tigator Don C. Ubel. District Geologist





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WICHITA CENTRAL OFFICE 200 Colorado Derby Building 202 West 1st Street Wichita 67202 (316) 263-3238

June 6, 1985

Mr. Lavern Steinle Russell, Kansas 67665

DISTRICT 1 300 West Hiway 56 Dodge City 67801 (316) 225-6760

Re: Schippers #1 Rush County, Ks. SW SW SW Sec. 14-16S-16W

Dear Mr. Steinle:

DISTRICT 2
202 Century Plaza
III W. Douglas,
Wichito 67201
(316) 262-8330

I am writing to you with regards to the Schippers well in Rush County. As you may recall, I have discussed your intentions for this well several times over the last three years. Each time you have indicated to me that plans were to use the well as a disposal or it was going to be completed as a producer.

Due to the length of time that has gone by and the fact that artesian flow exists in this well, I feel that it represents a threat to the groundwater in this area.

DISTRICT 3 i West Ash, Chanute 66720 (316) 431-6946 Time has come, that some type of immediate actions should be taken to eleminate any future damage to groundwater supplies. The last water sample from this well had 31,000 mg/l chlorides which represents a significant bazzard to freshwater.

DISTRICT 4
Forbes Field,
Topeka 66620
(913) 862-1472

I ask that you contact me at the Dodge City District Office within the next 10 days with a plan to plug this well. No temporary abandonment status will be further allowed and the State could impose fines of up to \$10,000.00 per day and loss of operator's License indefinitely.

I urge you to take the necessary action to resolve this problem before further action becomes necessary by the Commission.

Sincerely,

DISTRICT 5
2501 Market Place
Salina 67401
(913) 823-5225

Steve DurrantDOIC District #1

RECEIVED STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

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DISTRICT 6 1014 Cody, Hays 67601 (913) 628-1200 cc: Duane Rankin, Wichita

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Wichita Kansas

