

Sklar To Test Pay In Second Sidetrack At Conecuh Wildcat

Sklar Exploration Co., LLC, Shreveport, La., has run production casing in second sidetrack at a wildcat in the Little Cedar Creek Field area of Conecuh County in southern Alabama.

The No. 1 Craft-Ralls 33-14 ST #2, SE SW Section 33-5N-13E, was drilled in second sidetrack to 11,112 feet. String of 5 1/2-inch casing was run to total depth for evaluation of shows encountered in Smackover.

This well was drilled in original hole to 11,976 feet. Cores in Smackover are reported to have included shows but hole was plugged back and sidetracked to the west and renamed the No. 1 Craft-Drakeford 33-13.

Total depth in first sidetrack was 11,302 feet and decision was made to sidetrack a second time - this time in the east.

Details of shows logged in second sidetrack are not available.

Rapad Drilling & Well Service, Inc., Jackson, Miss., handled contract.

The current well is located about one and one-quarter miles east-northeast of the nearest completed well and about one and five-eighths miles west of the community of Melrose.

The nearest drilled well, still awaiting completion, lies about 3000 feet to the south-southwest where Sklar drilled No. 1 Craft-Ralls 4-5, SW NW Section 4-4N-13W. Hole was bottomed at 11,140 feet and cased to total depth.

Nearest completed well is Sklar's No. 1 Craft-Cedar Creek Land & Timber, Inc. 5-5, SW NW Section 5-4N-13E.

Productive from perforations 10,960-970 feet in Smackover, the well pumped 95 barrels 40-gravity oil per day.

Hole was drilled to 11,200 feet. Shows were logged in Smackover and 5 1/2-inch casing was run to 11,193 feet for completion.