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Sklar makes Smackover oil find in Alabama's Conecuh County

Sklar Exploration continues to have Smackover drilling success in southern Conecuh County, Alabama.

The company's 1 Cedar Creek Land & Timber "33-2" (API 01-035-20259) was tested at a daily rate of 538 bbls of 47.5-degree crude and 548,000 cu ft of gas through perforations at 11,959-11,995 ft. Flowing tubing pressure was gauged at 2000 psi on a 10/64-inch choke. The vertical well was drilled to a total depth of 12,200 ft in the se nw ne of section 33-4n-12e.

Also in section 33 -- within one mile of its latest Smackover find -- Sklar is preparing to drill three more tests in the Alabama county. The 1 Cedar Creek Land & Timber "33-6" and 1 Cedar Creek Land & Timber "33-10" (APIs 01-035-20264 and 01-035-20265) are each permitted to 12,300 ft. Nearby, the company's 1 Cedar Creek Land & Timber "33-12" (API 01-035-20266) is slated to reach 12,400 ft.

In adjacent section 34, Sklar spud its 1 Graddy "34-8" (API 01-035-20262) on May 6. Rapad Drilling's Rig #35 was last reported drilling the No. 1 at 9381 ft. Proposed total depth is 12,500 ft.

Sklar has had an active drilling program in this part of Conecuh County, completing several Smackover oil wells over the past year. The 1 Cedar Creek Land & Timber "35-10" in section 35 has produced 15,900 bbls of crude, 13 million cu ft of gas and 1,628 bbls of water from perforations at 11,799-11,820 ft. It was brought onstream in June as part of Brooklyn field.

The second well -- the 2 Cedar Creek Land & Timber "35-8" -- produced 15,521 bbls of oil, 10.2 million cu ft of gas and 415 bbls of water during its first four months online. Both wells are currently operated by Anderson-Smith Operating Co.

Pruet Production has also had an active exploration plan in Conecuh County, completing several Smackover wells in the area over the past year.

