EAST MEREENIE NO. 18

WELL COMPLETION REPORT

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SUMMARY

East Mereenie No. 18 is the 18th well drilled in the current Mereenie field appraisal programme. It was designed for oil production from the upper and middle P3 reservoir horizons. It is located 1435 feet on a true bearing of 340 degrees from East Mereenie No. 11 and 1927 feet on a true bearing of 102 degrees from East Mereenie No. 12. East Mereenie No. 18 is an eastern nose northern flank well.

The well spudded in Parke Siltstone on the 26th June, 1985 using O.D.E. Rig No. 19, a Kremco K600H with a rated capacity of 7500 feet and reached TD at 4735 ft on the 24th July, 1985 in the Pacoota (P3) Sandstone.

The well was drilled to 2230 feet with air foam. 10-3/4 casing was run and cemented at 2229 feet. Drilling continued with air to 3687 feet where a continuous gas flare was encountered. An open hole flow test measured 69 mcfd from the Lower Stairway Sandstone. The well was then killed with a 10.5 lb/gal water based mud and drilling continued to 4517 feet to the base of the Pacoota (P2). 8-5/8 casing was run and cemented at 4487 feet. The water based mud was then displaced with oil based mud. Drilling continued with 7-5/8 hole to TD at 4735 feet.

One conventional bottom hole test was run to test the oil production potential of the Pacoota P3-120/130 sands. Drill stem test No. 1 (4605 to 4660 feet) flowed oil at 1325 BOPD with associated gas measured at 775 mcfd.

At TD electric logs were run, however neither the gas/oil or oil/water contacts could be established.

2-3/8 * tubing was run to 4427 feet and the well was completed barefoot for oil production from the P3 sub-unit over the interval 4487 to 4735 feet.

After swabbing, the well was flowed to clean with a stabilized flow of 1592 BOPD and associated gas at 879.6 MCFD through a 1/2 choke.

The rig was released at 1700 hours, 28th July, 1985 having taken 33 days from spud to completion.

1. GENERAL DATA

1. GENERAL DATA:

Well Name & Number:

East Mereenie No. 18

Operator:

Moonie Oil N.L.

Beneficial Interst

Holders:

The Moonie Oil Company Limited

Flinders Petroleum N.L.

Magellan Petroleum Australia Limited

Petroleum Title:

Petroleum Lease No. 5

District:

Alice Springs, Northern Territory

Location:

Latitude:

24⁰1'59**"**S

Longitude:

131°38'33**"**E

Elevation:

Ground Level: 2313 ft MSL Kelly Bushing: 2325 ft MSL

Total Depth:

4735 feet (DRILLER)

4734 feet (LOGGER)

Spudded:

26th June, 1985 (0430 hours)

Rig Released:

28th July, 1985 (1700 hours)

Total Days Drilling:

33 days

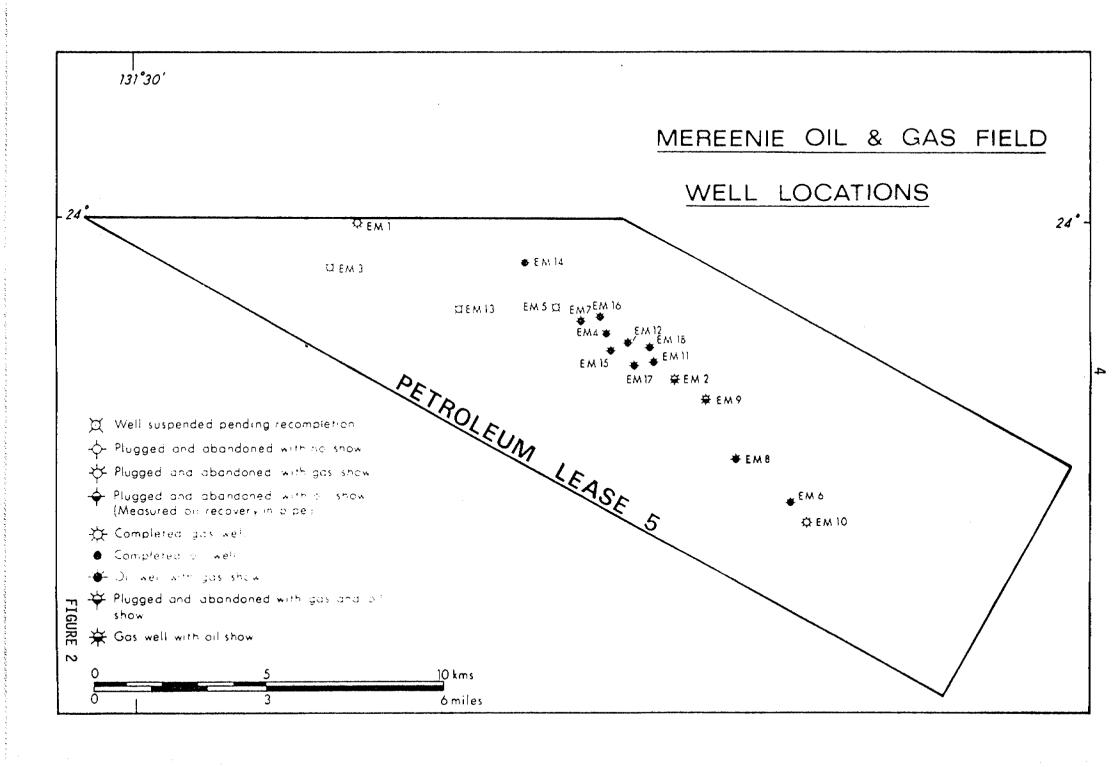
Well Status:

Oil producer from P3 sub-unit.

Geological Formation

Tops:

Parke Siltstone Surface Mereenie Sandstone Est 102 feet 1721 feet Carmichael Sandstone Stokes Siltstone 1924 feet 2944 feet Stairway Sandstone 3702 feet Horn Valley Siltstone 3937 feet Pacoota Sandstone



2. ENGINEERING DATA

2. ENGINEERING DATA:

2.1 Rig Data:

O.D. & E. Drilling Contractor: Rig 19 Drilling Contractor Rig:

Drilling Plant:

Make:

KREMCO

Type:

K600H

Rated

Capacity:

7500 FT

Motors:

GM 8V92TA

Mast: Make:

KREMCO

Type:

109 FT

Rated

Capacity:

270000 #

Pumps:

Make 1: Gardner Denver PZ-7/550HP Make 2: Gardner Denver PAHBFC/275HP

Type:

TRIPLEX

Size 1:

7 x 5-1/2

Size 2:

8 * x 5 *

Rotary Table:

Make:

IDECO SR-175

Capacity:

325 Tons

Blowout preventors:

Make 1:

NL Shaffer Spherical

11 5000#

Make 2:

NL Shaffer LWS

11" 5000#

Size:

11.

5000 Rating (psi)

Choke Manifold:

Make:

Own

Size & Type:

with 5000#

1 х Positive and 1 х 3 •

3 •

adjustable choke

Mud Tanks:

Size &

Suction Tank - 317BBL

Capacity:

Shaker Tank - 271BBL

- 33BBL

Trip Tank

Shale Shaker:

Make:

Harrisburg

Type:

Single Dual Deck

Mud Mixers:

Make:

Harrisburg

Type:

8" x 6" Centrifugal

Desander:

Make:

DSN-1000

Capacity:

800 GPM

Mud Cleaner:

Make

Harrisburg

Model:

MC800

Capacity:

800GPM

Drill pipe:

7000' 16.6# 'E' 4-1/2 "OD W/- 4" IF

Conx.

Drill collars:

6 x 8 *

 $24 \times 6 - 1/2$ *

Air drilling equipment:

Air compressors:

Make 1:

Gardner Denver

Make 2:

Sullair

Model 1:

Model 2:

WEN 900/350

Capacity 1:

860 CFM/350 PSI

Capacity 2:

900 CFM/350 PSI

Air compressor

booster:

Make:

Gardner Denver

Model:

RLD

Capacity:

To 1000 PSI

Diverter: Make: Grant

Model: 70685

Injection pumps:(1) Make: Gardner Denver P.A.H.

Model: Triplex HP

Capacity: 300 GPM

(2) Make: Gardner Denver PZ7

Model: PZ7 Triplex

Capacity: 300 GPM

2.2 Drilling Data:

DATE (FT)	E.T.D.	DETAILS OF OPERATIONS, DESCRIPTIONS AND RESULTS
26/6/85	171	East Mereenie No. 18 spudded at 0430 hours on 26/6/85. Drilled 17-1/2* hole with stiff foam to 171 feet.
27/6/85	171	POH to run 15" conductor. Ran 3 joints of 15" rolled conductor, 1/4" wall to 171 ft and cemented with 72 sacks Class "A" cement while maintaining a slurry weight of 15.2 ppg. Nipple up rotating head and install blooie line. Rig up and drill mouse hole.
28/6/85	370	RIH with Bit No. 2 picking up stabilizers and cross-overs. Unable to circulate. POF to remove obstructions. RIH. Drill out cement and shoe. Drilled 13-1/2 hole to 370 feet with air misting.
29/6/85	727	Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 727 feet with air misting. Foam injection rate 10 bbls/hr. Hole making approximately 600 bbls/hr. water.
30/6/85	1000	Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 816 feet. POH to change bit. Make up BHA and Bit No. 3. RIH. Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 1000 feet with air misting. Foam injection rate 14 bbls/hr. Water influx approximately 800 bbls/hr.
1/7/85	1314	Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 1314 feet with air misting. Foam injection rate 16 bbls/hr. Water influx approximately 900 bbls/hr. POH Bit No. 3. RIH with Bit No. 4.
2/7/85	1457	RIH, with Bit No. 4. Reamed from 1218 to 1314 feet. Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 1457 feet with air misting. Foam injection rate 18 bbls/hr. Water influx approximately 800 bbls/hr.
3/7/85	1594	Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 1569 feet. Water influx approximately 900 bbls/hr. POH to change bit No. 4. RIH with Bit No. 5. Reamed from 1534 to 1569 feet. Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 1594 feet with air misting. Foam injection rate 15 bbls/hr.

4/7/85	1937	Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 1937 feet with air misting. Foam injection rate 15 bbls/hr. Hole making approximately 1600 bbls/hr water.
5/7/85	2165	Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 2122 feet. Water influx approximately 1800 bbls/hr. POH to change Bit No. 5. RIH with Bit No. 6. Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 2165 feet with air misting. Foam injection rate 15 bbls/hr.
6/7/85	2230	Drilled 13-1/2" hole to 2230 feet with air misting. Water influx approximately 2000 bbls/hr. POH to run casing. Lay out 8" drill collars. Cut conductor. Rig to run 10-3/4" casing. Ran 56 joints of 40.5 lb/ft, H-40 to 2229 feet and cemented using 340 sacks Class "A" cement with 0.2% HR-4 while maintaining a slurry weight of 15.2 ppg. Cement basket located at 200 feet from surface. Weld conducter while WOC.
7/7/85	2230	Nipple up BOPs. Function test. Pressure test. Casing bowl leaking. Nipple down BOPs. Remove casing bowl to be machined. Wait on bowl.
8/7/85	2230	Wait on casing bowl. Cut and dress casing stub. Weld on casing bowl. Nipple up BOPs. Pressure test blind rams, HCR, choke and kill line valves to 1600 psi. Install rotating head.
9/7/85	2820	RIH with Bit No. 7. Tag plug at 2187 feet. Drill out plug and float. Drill cement to 2200 feet. Pressure test pipe rams and Hydril to 1000 psi. Drill out cement to 2230 feet. (Shoe at 2227 ft). Drilled 9-7/8" hole to 2235 feet with water. Displaced hole to air. Drilled 9-7/8" to 2820 feet with air dusting.
10/7/85	3563	Drilled 9-7/8" hole to 3563 ft with air dusting.
11/7/85	3687	Drilled 9-7/8" hole to 3687 ft with air dusting. Continuous flare whilst drilling. Open hole flow test measured 69 Mcfd gas from the Lower Stairway Sandstone. Mud up with a 10.5 ppg water based mud and circulate out gcm. Pump pill. POH to change Bit No. 7. RIH with Bit No. 8. Reamed from 3537 to 3563 ft.

12/7/85	3776	Reamed from 3563 to 3687 ft. Drilled 9-7/8 hole to 3776 ft with water based mud.
13/7/85	3834	Drilled 9-7/8" hole to 3803 ft. POH Bit No. 8. RIH with Bit No. 9 to casing shoe. Slip 15 ft and cut 45 ft drilling line. RIH to 3689 ft. Reamed from 3689 to 3803 ft. Drilled 9-7/8" hole to 3834 ft with water based mud.
14/7/85	3983	Drilled 9-7/8" hole to 3983 ft with water based mud.
15/7/85	4102	Drilled $9-7/8$ hole to 4102 ft with water based mud. Pump pill. POH.
16/7/85	4218	POH to change bit no. 9. RIH with bit no. 10 to shoe. Slip drilling line. RIH. Drilled 9-7/8 to 4218 ft with water based mud.
17/7/85	4353	Drilled $9-7/8$ hole to 4353 ft with water based mud.
18/7/85	4430	Drilled 9-7/8" hole to 4407 ft. POH to change Bit No. 10. RIH with Bit No. 11 and NB stabilizer. Drilled 9-7/8" hole to 4430 ft with water based mud.
19/7/85	4517	Drilled $9-7/8$ hole to 4517 ft with water based mud. POH to run $8-5/8$ casing. Rig to run casing.
20/7/85	4517	Ran combination of 56 joints Atlas Bradford, K55 32 lbs/ft and 50 joints of 8 round ST&C 32 lbs/ft to 4487 feet. Cemented casing using 260 sacks Class "G" cement with 0.75% CFR-2 and 0.5% Hallad 22-A. WOC. Raise BOPs, cut casing and install casing bowl cross-over. Nipple up BOPs. Pressure test casing, blind rams, choke manifold and HCR all to 1000 psi. Lay out 7" drill collars. Make up Bit No. 12 with NBR and pick up 6-1/4" drill collars.
21/7/85	4570	RIH with Bit No. 12. Slip and cut drilling line. RIH and tag plug at 4439 ft. Drill out plug, float, cement and shoe. Drilled 7-5/8" hole to 4526 ft with water based mud. Displaced hole to oil based mud and drilled 7-5/8" hole to 4570 ft.
22/7/85	4660	Drilled 7-5/8" hole to 4660 ft with oil based mud. POH for DST No. 1. Strap out.

23/7/85	4660	POH Bit No. 12. Make up test tools and RIH for DST No. 1, over the P3-120/130 interval 4605 to 4660 feet. Open tool initially for 15 minutes, close in for 30 minutes. Re-open for 92 minutes, close for 214 minutes. Oil flow 1325 BPD. Gas flow 775 Mcfd. Field chart readings:
		IHP IFP ISIP FFP FSIP FHP BHT 2103 954 1716 1201 1716 2098 140 Pull free and reverse circulate. POH and
		lay out test tools. Make up Bit No. 13.
24/7/85	4735	RIH with Bit No. 13. Slip drilling line. Lay out 8 joints DP. Drilled 7-5/8 hole to 4735 ft (TD). POH to log. Run Gearhart electric logs.
25/7/85	4735	Log with Gearhart. RIH Bit No. RR13 to circulate and condition hole. Spot scavenger pill. POH laying down DP & BHA. Lift BOPs and nipple up tubing bowl.
26/7/85	4735	Nipple up BOPs and change rams to 2-3/8. Rig to run tubing, make up packer and run 141 joints 2-3/8. tubing. Install do-nut and land into tubing head. Nipple down BOPs. Nipple up Christmas Tree. Rig up kill line and return line and pump 20 bbls crude followed by 300 bbls KCl brine to surface, followed by 20 bbls crude. Drop ball and attempt to set packer. Pressure test tree to 1375 psi. Pressure test annulus for communication.
27/7/85	4735	Attempt to set packer, circulate and kill well with 100 bbls brine. Flow check well. Nipple up BOPs. Pull packer free with 1200 lbs overpull. POH and lay out packer. Make up a second TIW hydroset packer and RIH. Nipple down BOPs. Flow check.
28/7/85	4735	Nipple up Christmas Tree. Attempt to set packer. Displace annulus with crude. Open well to flare line - small flow oil to surface. Rig up Gearhart and swab well in. Choke well back to 32/64 ths and flow well to clean for 1 hour. Switch flow through to separator for 1 hour and measured flow. East Mereenie No. 18 was shut in as an oil producer and OD & E Rig No. 19 released at 1700 hours.

2.3 Hole Sizes and Depths:

17-1/2" to 171 feet

13-1/2" to 2230 feet

9-7/8" to 4517 feet

7-5/8" to 4735 feet

2.4 Casing and Cementing Record:

15 conductor:

Weight:

1/4" wall ERW

Grade/

Connections

1/4° wall ERW/welded

Shoe Depth:

171 feet

Cement Used:

72 sacks

Additives:

2% Calclium chloride

Slurry Weight:

15.2 lb/gal

10-3/4" casing:

Weight:

40.5 lb/ft

Grade/

Connections:

H40

No. of Joints:

56 joints

Shoe Depth:

2229 feet

Cement Used:

340 sacks Class "A"

Additives:

0.2% HR4

Slurry Weight:

15.2 lb/gal

8-5/8 casing:

Weight:

32 lb/ft

Grade/

Connections:

Combination of: Atlas Bradford K55 (56 jts) &

8 Round ST & C (50 jts)

No. of Joints:

106 joints

Shoe Depth:

4487 feet

Cement Used:

260 sacks class *G*

Additives:

0.75% CFR-2, 0.5% HALAD

22-A

Slurry weight:

15.5 lb/gal

2.5 Drilling Fluids

A summary of the drilling fluid properties is listed in Table 1.

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EAST MEREENIE NO. 18 - DRILLING FLUID SUMMARY

6 Bit Record

A summary of drilling bits used is listed in Table 2.

KB	SPGS					S12E ds Inch	Ī.	8 2	OOTAGE		EET R	ATED HOURS	0 1bs		DEVIATION GS)	SURE	FLUID	SPI	4	Mt.	TAC OL				MOTITION		
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EAST MEREENIE NO. 18 BIT DATA SUMMARY

2.7 Deviation Surveys and Computations

The deviation surveys are listed in Table 3.

DEPTH KB (FT) A	SURVEY NO.	DEVIATION ANGLE (DEGS) B	DEPTH INTERVAL (2A-1A=C)	MEAN DEVIATION (DEGS) (1B+2B=D)	DEPTH CORRECTION (FT) C-(C x COSD)	CUMULATIVE CORRECTION (FT)	TRUE VERTICAL DEPTH (FT) (C x COSD)	LATERAL DRIFT (FT) (C x SIND)	CUMULATIVE LATERAL DRIFT (FT)
213 3413 463 2016 895 1016 11847 456 11865 37 2086 67 2086 2790 3217 3469 3217 3469 3217 3469 3217 3469 3217 3469 3217 3469 3217 3469 4153 4244 4153 4255 4235 4735	·9 4	0.25 0.75 0.75 0.75 0.75 0.75 0.25 1.00 2.00 1.50 3.00 4.25 4.50 4.50 4.50 5.75 6.25 7.00 8.00	213 250 201 231 287 365 318 221 124 316 252 212 227 252 218 70 46 94 94 63 99 96 85 183 138 80	0.13 0.50 0.75 0.75 0.75 0.63 0.63 1.50 1.50 1.25 2.00 3.63 4.38 4.25 4.75 5.38 6.00 6.63 7.10 6.50 6.63 7.50	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.1	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 2.4 7.2 8.1 8.5 1.3 2.4 2.4 2.3 3.5 7.9	213 464 895 11547 1865 2086 2010 25779 32468 3780 3780 3780 3780 3780 4014 4124 4124 4124 4124 4124 4124 412	0.5 2.6 3.8 3.8 4.1 2.3 8.5 8.9 11.9 16.6 2.4 8.8 6.4 11.9 11.9 11.9 120.7 15.9	0.5 2.7 5.3 8.3 12.1 16.1 18.2 20.6 23.8 32.1 37.9 57.8 99.4 95.0 106.8 115.6 122.5 133.9 145.2 176.9 192.8 203.2

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2.8 Formation Testing:

One drill stem test was run druing the drilling of the well. Summary results are given below and full details are included as Appendix 2.

(403.60 /420.37 m)

Drill Stem Test No. 1 (4605 to 4660 ft)

Date: 23rd July, 1985

Tester: Halliburton Services

Formations: Pacoota Sandstone P3-120/130 sands

Type of Test: Bottom hole conventional dual packers

Water cushion: Nil.

Times: First flow: 15.2 mins

First shut-in: 30.3 mins

Final flow: 91.2 mins

Final shut-in: 214.3 mins

Pressures: Bottom Borden Recorder Pressures (Lab

Results)

Initial hydrostatic: 2099.6 psig

First flow: 947.9 psig

Initial shut-in: 1711.5 psig

Final flow: 1198.2 psig

Final shut-in: 1712.1 psig

Final hydrostatic: 2095.1 psig

Field Results: Tool opened with immediate

Tool opened with immediate strong blow. Gas to surface after 5 minutes. Pressure 15 psi through 1/2" choke after 4 minutes. Oil to surface after 9 minutes. Tool shut-in. Oil to surface 6 minutes after second opening. Oil slugged for 23 minutes then diverted through separator for 1 hour, recovering 8710 litres (equivalent to 1325 bbl/day), of 46 API oil. Gas measured through the 2" flow prover recorded equivalent to 775 mcfd and a GOR at 584 cu ft/bbl with a gas gravity of 0.964 sg.

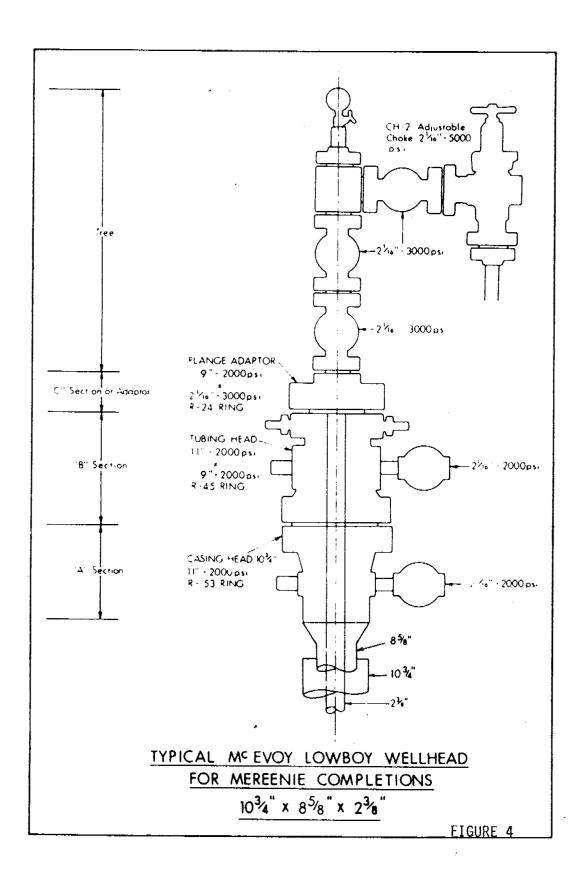
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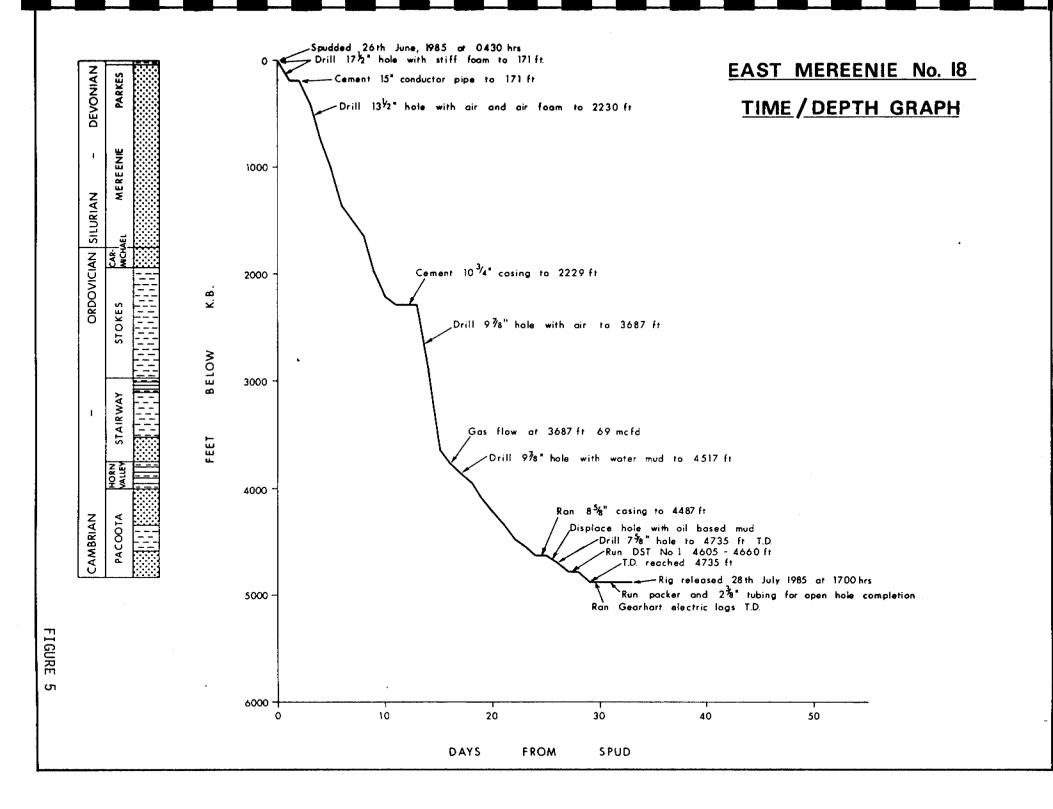
8-5/8° casing was run to 4487 feet and the well drilled to TD at 4734 feet (logger) in 7-5/8° hole. Oil based mud was displaced with 20 bbls crude followed by 300 bbls of KCL brine to surface followed by 20 bbls of crude. 2-3/8° tubing was run to 4427 feet with the packer being set at 4391 feet.

The well was completed open hole. The clean up flow test flowed oil at 1592 BOPD with a GOR of 552.3 cu ft/bbl on a 1/2" choke.

East Mereenie No. 18 was shut-in for future production testing and the rig released.

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SYSTEM & SERIES	FORMATION	SUB UNIT	1	DEPTH (FT)	TRUE	i AVERAGE	
			КВ	TVD	MSL	THICKNESS	FORMATION DIP	DEVIATION
MIDDLE TO LATE DEVONIAN	PARKE SILTSTONE		12	0	+2313	101	6	0
MIDDLE DEVONIAN TO LATE SILURIAN	MEREENIE SANDSTONE		102	102	+2223	1611	6	0.3
LATE ORDOVICIAN	CARMICHAEL SANDSTONE		1721	1721	+604	202	6	0.4
	STOKES SILTSTONE	UPPER LOWER	1924 2681	1924 2681	+401 -356	754 262	6 6	0.5
MIDDLE ORDOVICIAN	STAIRWAY SANDSTONE	UPPER MIDDLE LOWER	2944 3085 3497	2944 3084 3496	-619 -759 -1171	141 412 205	6 6 6	2.7 3.0 4.3
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No cores were taken during the drilling of this well, either conventional or sidewall.

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No velocity survey was run.

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3.5 Formation Dips

A formation dip of approximately 6 degrees north east was prognosed for this well.

Based on formation thicknesses as compared with surrounding wells, and well directional control, an actual true formation dip would be 6-1/4 degrees approximately north-east.

3.6 Petroleum Geology

In this section Gross sandstone refers to: GR \leq 80 API and/or CDL porosity \geq 3%. Net sandstone refers to: CDL porosity \geq 6%.

Upper Stairway Sandstone

The Upper Stairway Sandstone has a gross sand thickness of 116 feet. In most cases the original porosity has been reduced by silica cementation. Permeability throughout is considered poor as no signs of hydrocarbons were noted whilst drilling this section with air. No oil fluorescence was observed, however the information from surrounding wells indicate the Upper Stairway Sandstone contains gas.

Middle Stairway Sandstone

This unit is dominantly siltstone, but does contain a gross sand thickness of 63 feet, however the sandstones are very fine to fine grained with porosity primarily reduced by silicification. Permeability throughout is poor. Several small gas flares of short duration during connections were noted below 3120 feet. These correspond approximately to some minor sand development at the top of the Middle Stairway and although indicating gas saturation of the Middle Stairway sub-unit would also indicate very low permeability development. No oil fluorescence was observed.

Lower Stairway Sandstone

The Lower Stairway Sandstone has a gross sand thickness of 132 feet, with 69 feet of gross sand development in the upper sand unit and 63 feet of gross sand development in the lower sand unit. At 3687 feet a gas flow of 69 mcfd was recorded from the basal lower Stairway Sandstone confirming the poor Lower Stairway permeability and the presence of gas saturation.

Pacoota Sandstone (Pl Sub-unit)

The Pacoota Pl sub-unit has a gross sand thickness of 157 feet based on $GR \le 80$ API.

SAND	INTERVAL	GROSS SAND THICKNESS
P1-40	3983-3985	2
P1-60	3999-4004	5
P1-80	4010-4026	16
P1-110	4035-4043	8
P1-120	4046-4056	10
P1-140	4073-4078	5
P1-190	4116-4119	3
P1-200	4124-4135	11
P1-210	4137-4150	8
P1-240	4158-4175	14
P1-280	4210-4216	6
P1-310	4228-4259	31
P1-350	4267-4278	11
MISC	3936-3950	14
MISC	3964-3966	2
MISC	3970-3973	3
MISC	3976-3977	1
MISC	4183-4188	5
MISC	4198-4200	2
TOTAL		157 FEET

Primary porosity within the Pacoota Pl sub-unit has been severely reduced by silica cementation. No cores were cut and no drill stem testing was done. The CNS porosity was run through casing over this interval.

No oil fluorescence was noted in the top 150 feet of the Pacoota P1. Below 4120 feet, intermittent yellow to white dead oil fluorescence was noted, giving nil to trace cut, and occasional black tarry residual oil staining. It can be assumed, based upon surrounding well data, that the P1 lies within the gas column.

Pacoota Sandstone (P2 Sub-unit)

This sub-unit has poor reservoir potential, but does contain a total gross sand thicknes of 33 feet, with the main sand development being the P2-110 sand over the interval 4391 to 4408 feet (17 feet gross sand) and the P2-200 sand over the interval 4486 to 4490 feet (4 feet gross sand) with a net sand of 1 foot having a maximum porosity of 7%.

No significant gas shows were detected through this sub-unit. Fluorescence was present through most of the unit, being poor to fair blue-white and yellow fluorescence, with common dead tarry oil staining in some sample. The gas/oil contact was not detected, but is assumed to be at 4461 feet (-2130 ft) coinciding with the field gas/oil contact.

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The Pacoota P3 sub-unit was drilled with an oil based mud and completed barefoot, confirming this procedure as most effective for production from the Pacoota Sandstone.