Company Formed to Drill Test Well Near Salem.

Special to the Gazette.

Salem, June 9—An organization, to be known as the Salem Development Company, is being completed here for the purpose of drilling a test oil well.

Approximately 4,000 acres have been leased, and drilling will begin when 10,000 acres have been obtained.

Drilling of Oil Test in Fulton County Begins.

Special to the Gazette.

Manhattan, Kansas, June 13—Drilling of an oil test well by the Salem Development Company, organized by A. C. Martin and W. P. Fesnel of Los Angeles, Calif., has been started on the Sheep He farm, four miles southeast of Salem.

The well is being drilled by Harry Fesnel of Oklahoma, and is down about 100 feet.