

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION
OF RIGHTS TO THE USE OF WATER FROM
THE SNAKE RIVER BASIN WATER SYSTEM.

CIVIL CASE NUMBER: 39576

Ident. Number: A29-04451
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Department of Water Resources
Eastern District Office

NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT
ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

1. Name: MELVILLE J. WRIGHT 208-237-0318
Address: 4175 HAWTHORNE ROAD
POCATELLO, ID 83202

AND/OR

Name: MINA B. WRIGHT 208-237-0318
Address: 4175 HAWTHORNE ROAD
POCATELLO, ID 83202

2. Date of Priority: OCT 01, 1943

3. Source: GROUNDWATER Trib. to:

4. Point of Diversion:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of	1/4 of	1/4	Lot	County
06S	34E	9	SE	SE			BANNOCK

5. Description of diverting works:
WELL AND PUMP, PIPELINE

6. Water is used for the following purposes:

Purpose	From	To	C.F.S.	(or)	A.F.A.
IRRIGATION	03/15	11/15	0.100		
STOCKWATER	01/01	12/31	0.020		
DOMESTIC	01/01	12/31	0.040		

7. Total Quantity Appropriated is:
0.016 C.F.S. (and/or)

A.F.A.

8. Total consumptive use is Acre Feet Per Annum.

9. Non-irrigation uses:

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10. Place of Use:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of	1/4	Lot	Use	Acres
06S	34E	9	SE	SE		IRR	2.0
						Section Acres	2.0
						Total Acres	2.0

11. Place of use in counties: BANNOCK

12. Do you own the property listed above as place of use? YES

13. Other Water Rights Used:

14. Remarks:

D/1, S/15-20 HEAD HORSES & CATTLE

15. Basis of Claim: STATUTORY CLAIM

16. Signature(s)

(a.) By signing below, I/We acknowledge that I/We have received, read and understand the form entitled "How you will receive notice in the Snake River Basin Adjudication." (b.) I/We do _____ do not ☒ wish to receive and pay a small annual fee for monthly copies of the docket sheet.

Number of attachments: _____

For Individuals:

I/We do solemnly swear or affirm that the statements contained in the foregoing document are true and correct.

Signature of Claimant(s):

Mildred Wright
Maria Potlidge

Date: 4-5-90

Date: 4-4-90

State of Idaho)

) SS.

County of BACCHER)

Subscribed and sworn (or affirmed) before me this 5th day

of April 19 90

Marilyn Haeferd
Notary Public

Seal

Residing at Kocatlo

My Commission Expires 2-27-92

Memorandum

Date: 5/2/01

From: Craig Saxton

Subject: 29-04451

I spoke to Melville J Wright on the phone about his water right. Through the conversation I found some information that might be useful in the claim review.

- Melville has 5 acres that he irrigates with Ft Hall Indian Reservation Water once a week.
- When it is really dry he uses his well to water part of the five acres (which part I don't know).
- He may need to amend his claim for the entire 5 acres irrigated unless he can only get the well water to the two acres claimed.



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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EASTERN REGION

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR

KARL J. DREHER
DIRECTOR

May 2, 2001

Melville and Mina Wright
4175 Hawthorne Road
Pocatello, Idaho 83202

Re: Claim 29-4451, Snake River Basin Adjudication

Dear Water User(s):

We are now in the process of reviewing adjudication claims in Administrative Basin 29. Claim filing began a number of years ago, followed by several years of resolving legal issues. We are now in the process reviewing claims in order to make recommendations to the court.

For a long period of time in Idaho's history (before 1963 from ground water, before 1971 from surface water), a water right could be perfected by simply using water. Unless a dispute were resolved in court, there may never have been a paper record of a legitimate water right. In the 1970's or 1980's, many "statutory" claims were filed to record these existing unrecorded rights, but this process did not involve any investigation by the department. Claims were simply advertised, then recorded. When the adjudication commenced, new adjudication claims were filed, based upon the older statutory claims.

Your water right falls in this class. Because of the nature of the statutory claims process and the adjudication claims process, this right has never been investigated nor verified by the department. I've enclosed copies of the adjudication claim and the older statutory claim, for your information.

In order to recommend this right, I need you to supply "evidence of priority" and "evidence of beneficial use." The enclosed pamphlet describes some typical sources that may be used. If an affidavit is used, it must clearly show that the person making the affidavit personally observed the water use. The more detail the affidavit gives, indicating dates, circumstances, amounts and details of water use, the better. As I review the documentation provided, my standard will be:

The documentation should tend to indicate that diversion works were in place and had adequate capacity for the claimed use. The documentation should also tend to indicate that water was applied to the claimed beneficial use on the claimed place of use.

Please review these documents, and provide documentation of the historical use of this right. Feel free to call me if you have questions. You should be able to reach me Thursday or Friday mornings.

Sincerely,

Bryce A. Contor
Senior Water Resource Agent

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Spatial Dynamics BTD

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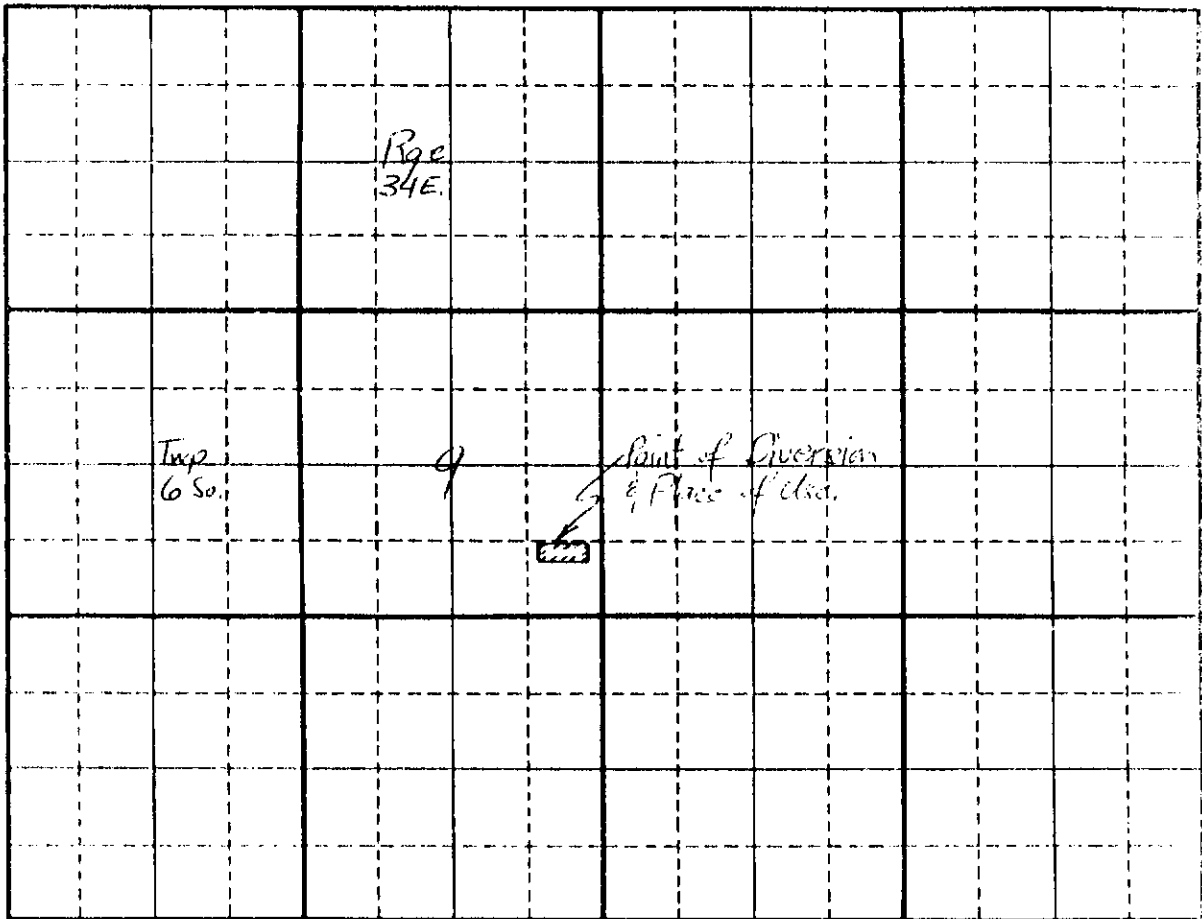
TR	SEC	QQ	Acres Claimed	Acres Found	COMMENT
06s34e	9	SESE	2	3.8	
Totals:			2	3.8	

(7) If you are claiming water as a member of an organization, list name of organization:

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(B) Remarks

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Map should show the location of the point of diversion and the place of use of the water by 40-acre subdivisions, section, township and range of the public land survey system.

State of Idaho)
County of Bannock) ss.

Be it known that the undersigned, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he, she, they subscribed the foregoing claim in a water right, together with all attached information, and that the matters and facts therein are true to the best of the affiant's knowledge.

Sworn to before me this 18 day of November

Michelle K. Wright
(Claimant)

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Mina P. Wright
Notary Public Mina P. Wright
Residing at Pocatello, Idaho

My commission expires 8th day of April, 1986

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The filing of this claim does not confirm the water right claimed but failure to file may result in forfeiture of a water right.

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USA 11/26/2001

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State of Idaho)
) ss.
County of Bannock)

Sworn to before me this 29 day of June

(Claimant)

Notary Public **Wayne L. Loveless**
Residing at **Pocatello, Idaho**

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