

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: A72-02074
Date Received: 12/27/1989
Receipt No: S011035
Received By: lu

NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT
ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

1. Name: VIOLA WEIDMAN EVANS 415-863-6137
Address: AKA VIOLA C. EVANS
FOX PLAZA, APT. 2028
1390 MARKET STREET
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94102

2. Date of Priority: JUL 30, 1931

3. Source: SAWMILL GULCH Trib. to: KELLY CREEK
SPRING GULCH KELLY CREEK

4. Point of Diversion:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of	1/4 of	1/4	Lot	County
11N	13E	10	SE	NE			CUSTER
		15	NE	NW			CUSTER

5. Description of diverting works:
HEADGATE, DITCHES

6. Water is used for the following purposes:

Purpose	From	To	C.F.S	(or)	A.F.A.
MINING	01/01	12/31	2.000		

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

8. Total consumptive use is Acre Feet Per Annum.

9. Non-irrigation uses:
X/PLACER MINING

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10. Place of Use:

Township	Range	Section	1/4	of	1/4	Lot	Use	Acres
11N	13E	14	SW		NW		MINING	
			NW		SW		MINING	
		15	SE		SW		MINING	
			NE		SE		MINING	
			NW		SE		MINING	
			SW		SE		MINING	
			SE		SE		MINING	
		22	NW		NE		MINING	
			NE		NW		MINING	

11. Place of use in counties: CUSTER

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

13. Other Water Rights Used:
A71-02056, A71-04054

14. Remarks:
SEE ATTACHED MAP FOR ORIGINAL P/U.

15. Basis of Claim: LICENSE

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 X 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): Viola C. Evans Date: 1-17-90
Viola C. Evans, aka Viola Weidman Evans Date: _____

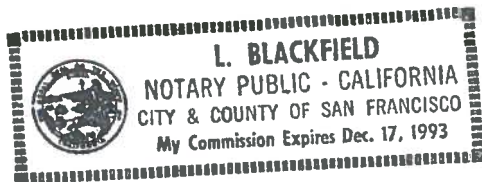
State of CALIFORNIA)
City and _____) SS.
County of SAN FRANCISCO)

Subscribed and sworn (or affirmed) before me this 17 day

of January 19 90

Notary Public

Seal



Residing at San Francisco CA
My Commission Expires 12/17/93

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Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

Fox Plaza, Apt. 2028
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94102

Phone: (415) 863-6137

January 17, 1990

CERTIFIED MAIL (Receipt Card Return) P 558 385 693

Dept. of Water Resources
Attention: Miss Lori White
2148 - 4th Avenue, East
Twin Falls, Idaho 83301

Dear Lori,

In accordance with our telephone conversation of January 16th, I am enclosing three claims, which have been notarized, and I hope they are in proper order.

The claims have been changed in regard to the number of CFS required, as it is not estimated that in some areas there might not be that much flows and also that more is not required. The structure breaks down as follows:

	<u>Filing Fee</u>	<u>(\$100 per CFS)</u>	<u>Total</u>
A71-02056	\$50	\$200	\$250
A71-04054	50	100	150
A72-02074	50	200	<u>250</u>

Balance Due: \$650

My check (#279) is enclosed in the amount of six hundred fifty dollars (\$650.00) - payment of fees and water rights.

Thank you kindly for your assistance, which is very much appreciated. Also for the booklets of information.

Sincerely yours,

Viola C. Evans
Viola C. Evans

*TWS, CC of Atty Requests
9/26/89 letter per earlier
conversation.*

Enclosures - 3 Adjudication Claims and
1 check for \$650 (#279)

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Copy for Here' White
(Per conversation earlier)
Ringert, Clark, Harrington, Reid, Christenson & Kaufman

CHARTERED
LAWYERS

WILLIAM F. RINGERT
D. BLAIR CLARK
ANDREW M. HARRINGTON
JAMES G. REID
JEFFREY R. CHRISTENSON
JAMES P. KAUFMAN
MICHAEL J. GAFFNEY
SAMUEL KAUFMAN (1921-1986)

589 WEST BANNOCK STREET
P.O. BOX 2773
BOISE, IDAHO 83701
TELEPHONE (208) 342-4591

September 26, 1986

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JAN 23 1990

Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

Mrs. Viola C. Evans
Fox Plaza, Apt. 2028
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94102

Re: Martin Pollock Application for Water Permit

Dear Viola:

I have received your letter of September 23, 1986, and I thank you for the additional material, which I believe will be helpful, particularly with regard to use of your water during the five-year period immediately preceding the filing of Mr. Pollock's application for a water permit.

I am returning your check for signature.

I believe I have your mining claims fairly well sorted out now, and I have prepared an exhibit for the Department of Water Resources which superimposes your Faith Claims Nos. 2, 3 and 4 over Mr. Pollock's Kelly Claims Nos. 1 and 2, which I hope will be useful in showing the Department why Mr. Pollock is not entitled to possession of the land at his major point of diversion and on a considerable portion of his proposed place of use for the water. Mr. James J. Jones' report of May 11, 1983 is very helpful in explaining the location and history of your mining claims, and also it is important because it recognizes to some considerable degree that the discovery for your Faith Claims 1 and 2 (and others) is valid. I intend to submit a copy of the report to the Department of Water Resources.

Other evidence will be submitted, and my failure to identify it specifically in this letter should not be taken as an indication that I do not intend to use any particular item of evidence.

These are points on which I intend to rely at the conference and any hearing that might be held following the conference as follows:

1. You have the prior water rights to the waters of Stanley Creek (diverted by ditch from Stanley Creek into the Kelly Creek drainage), Sawmill Creek and Spring Creek, and also the main channel of Kelly Creek within the portion of the Kelly Creek drainage shown as the place of use on your Claim to a Water Right.

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As I review your Claim to a Water Right, it appears to me that you should file an additional claim, showing Sawmill Creek, Spring Creek and Kelly Creek as source of water. My field examination indicated that water was carried from Sawmill Creek to Spring Creek by the ditch, and that the waters of both Sawmill Creek and Spring Creek were diverted into the reservoir and stored for use later in the mining season.

I will assert that your mining properties require the entire flow of Stanley Creek, Sawmill Creek, Spring Creek, and the upper portion of Kelly Creek, and that the entire storage capacities of the Stanley Creek, Sawmill Creek and Spring Creek reservoirs is required to meet your water requirements.

2. You own all the diversion, storage and transmission facilities, including:

- a. The dam and gate on Sawmill Creek;
- b. The check dam below the reservoir on Sawmill Creek and the ditch from Sawmill Creek to Spring Creek;
- c. The reservoir on Spring Creek, including the dam, gate, and outlet pipe.

3. You have valid, unpatented placer mining claims at the points where Mr. Pollock intends to build his pond and pump from Kelly Creek and where he claims to have located at least two of the lode claims shown as part of his place of use in the application.

4. Under the federal mining law you are entitled to possession of the surface estate as to all parties except the United States Government and you have the limited right of possession of the surface estate for mining purposes as against the United States. As Mr. Pollock is not entitled to the possession of the land surface at some of his proposed points of diversion and at some of his proposed places of use, the application has been initiated in trespass as to those places, and under Idaho law a water right cannot be initiated in trespass.

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5. As stated in his letter to you of May 30, 1985, Mr. Pollock's avowed purpose is to force you to make a deal with him, and I will assert that this shows a lack of good faith on his part. Applications which are not made in good faith do not have to be approved by the Department of Water Resources.

6. Without storage facilities the water supply is insufficient for the use proposed by Mr. Pollock. Mr. Pollock has no storage facilities and his application does not include storage of the water. Sufficiency of the water supply is another ground for rejection of an application for a water permit.

7. The design plan submitted by Mr. Pollock is insufficient to permit us to make a proper evaluation of his proposed project in order that we may fully understand it and be able to analyze it for the purpose of making all available objections. Insufficiency of the design plan is another reason for rejecting an application.

8. Although I am not certain, I do not believe that water is required for lode mining on this type of property, and I intend to assert that use of the water for lode mining is not a beneficial use, and therefore is not one that is authorized by Idaho law.

I would prefer to submit a minimum of evidence on a preliminary basis and ask the Department to consider some of the legal issues to see whether the Department is in agreement with the theories I intend to present. I think it would be less expensive for you, and less time consuming to resolve the protest on legal grounds, if that can be done.

I hope this adequately explains to you my intended course of action for the conference/hearing on October 1, 1986. I will send you a brief report when I return from the hearing.

Yours very truly,



W. F. Ringert

WFR:am
Enclosure

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State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Southern Region, 2148 4th Ave. East, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301 (208) 734-3578

CECIL D. ANDRUS
Governor

R. KEITH HIGGINSON
Director

.Jan. 26, 1990

Re:A71-02056
A71-04054
A72-02074

VIOLA WEIDMAN EVANS
.AKA VIOLA C EVANS
.FOX PLAZA APT 2028
.1390 MARKET STREET
SAN FRANCISCO CA 94102
Dear Claimant(s):

Please find enclosed your receipt and a copy of a computer generated claim based on the information from your original claim(s) which has been entered in our computer records.

Please review the computer generated claim for accuracy. In a few instances clarifications may have been added by the Department at the time of data entry. If you have any questions or objections regarding the computer record of you claim(s), please contact this office.

Yours truly,

Judy Givens
Adjudication Secretary

/jg

Enclosures:

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State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

1301 North Orchard Street, P.O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0098

Phone: (208) 327-7900 FAX: (208) 327-7866

January 26, 1999

PHILIP E. BATT
GOVERNOR

KARL J. DREHER
DIRECTOR

72-02074

VIOLA WEIDMAN EVANS
AKA VIOLA C EVANS
FOX PLAZA APT 2028
SAN FRANCISCO CA 94102

RE: Water Rights in Reporting Area 4, Basin 72
Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA)

Dear Water Right Claimant(s):

Please find enclosed the Idaho Department of Water Resources recommendations for your water right(s) in part of basin 72 (Upper Salmon River area). We have also enclosed instructions for reviewing (1) your recommended water right(s), and (2) other recommended right(s) in your area. Water rights for nearly all domestic and/or stockwater rights were recommended separately in an earlier report, and most of those now have been decreed by the SRBA Court.

Note you have 120 days in which to review the water rights of other claimants and to file any objection to our recommendations. Information on the other water rights can be found at the county courthouse in Challis and at all of the Idaho Department of Water Resources offices (see addresses in enclosure).

If the SRBA Court does not receive an objection to our recommendation from you and no other party objects to your water right, your water right will be decreed later this year as recommended. You will receive your decree from the SRBA Court.

Completion of the SRBA is important for the future of water management in Idaho. We invite you to contact our regional offices with any questions you have about your water right(s) or this adjudication process.

Sincerely,

Karl J. Dreher
Director

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IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
INDIVIDUAL LISTING FROM DIRECTOR'S REPORT
OF WATER RIGHTS ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

DATE: January 26, 1999
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RIGHT NUMBER: 72-02074

NAME AND ADDRESS: VIOLA WEIDMAN EVANS
AKA VIOLA C EVANS
FOX PLAZA APT 2028
1390 MARKET STREET
SAN FRANCISCO CA 94102

SOURCE: SPRING GULCH TRIBUTARY: KELLY CREEK
KELLY CREEK BASIN CREEK

QUANTITY: 0.04 CFS

THE QUANTITY OF WATER UNDER THIS RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED 13,000
GALLONS PER DAY.

PRIORITY-DATE: 07/30/1931

POINT OF DIVERSION	T11N R13E S14	NWNW	Within CUSTER County
		SWNW	
	S15	NWNE	
		SENE	
		NESE	
		NWSE	
		SWSE	
	S22	NENW	
		SWNW	
		SENE	

PURPOSE AND			
PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	DOMESTIC MINING CLAIM	01-01 12-31	0.04 CFS

PLACE OF USE:	DOMESTIC	Within CUSTER County		
	T11N R13E S14	NWNW	SWNW	
	S15	SENE	SESW	NESE NWSE
		SWSE		
	S22	NWNE	NENW	SWNW SENW

OTHER MATTERS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

THE QUANTITY OF WATER DECREED FOR THIS WATER RIGHT IS NOT A
DETERMINATION OF HISTORICAL BENEFICIAL USE.

EXPLANATORY MATERIAL: BASIS OF CLAIM - LICENSE
RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN POINT OF DIVERSION
PURSUANT TO SECTION 42-1425, IDAHO CODE.
RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN PURPOSE OF USE PURSUANT
TO SECTION 42-1425, IDAHO CODE.
RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE PURSUANT TO
SECTION 42-1425, IDAHO CODE.

NOTICE OF DIRECTOR'S REPORT IDWR REPORTING AREA 4, BASIN 72 FOR IRRIGATION AND OTHER WATER RIGHTS

INTRODUCTION

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Included with this Notice is the Director's recommendation for your irrigation and other water rights claimed in the SRBA not previously recommended in the small domestic and stockwater report. IDWR is providing individual reports like this one to all claimants of irrigation and other water rights in your area. A complete copy of the Director's Report, listing all of these irrigation and other rights claimed under state law and "dual based" claims by the federal government, is available at the SRBA courthouse in Twin Falls and the locations listed on the third page of this notice. Copies of the report can be made, but you may be charged for copying and mailing.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR REVIEWING YOUR OWN WATER RIGHT

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Snake River Basin Adjudication

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Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-2707
(208) 736-3011

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1301 North Orchard
Box 83720
Boise, Idaho 83720-0098
(208) 327-7906
(800) 451-4129

Idaho Department of Water Resources

Western Region

2735 Airport Way
Boise, Idaho 83705-5082
(208) 334-2190

Idaho Department of Water Resources

Northern Region

1910 Northwest Blvd., Suite 210
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814-2615
(208) 765-1450

Idaho Department of Water Resources

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Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402-3653
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Custer County

801 Main St.
Challis, ID 83226

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Also included in the complete Director's Report are descriptions of the United States' claims under federal law that have also been claimed under a state law basis. These are called "dual based" claims. The Director does not investigate the federal portion of these claims and makes no recommendation whether they should be granted or not.

If you want to review someone else's water right you need to look at the complete Director's Report, which is available at the SRBA courthouse in Twin Falls and the locations listed on the third page of this notice. Copies of the report can be made, but you may be charged for copying and mailing.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR TAKING A WATER RIGHT CLAIM TO COURT

What do I do if I disagree with a recommendation?

If you disagree with any element of the recommendation for your water right or anyone else's water right and want to be heard in court, file an objection with the SRBA Court. Objections must be made on the standard objection form available from any IDWR office or from the SRBA Court.

Your objection must be **received** by the SRBA Court on or before **June 2, 1999**.

What do I do if someone else objects to my water right recommendation?

If someone files an objection to your water right, or anyone else's water right, you may file a response to that objection. Responses to objections must be made on the standard response form available from any IDWR office or from the SRBA Court.

Your response must be **received** by the SRBA Court on or before **October 4, 1999**.

What do I do if I want to participate in the court case on someone else's water right?

If you want to be involved in the court case on any water right in the Director's Report, you must file either an objection or a response by the dates listed above.

What happens if there are no objections to a water right?

After the deadline for filing objections, IDWR will file a list of all water right recommendations with no objections. The SRBA Court will hear the uncontested recommendations on **August 6, 1999**, at **9:00 A.M.** at the **SRBA Courthouse**. Partial decrees will be issued following this hearing.

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Custer County

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Challis, ID 83226

DEFINITIONS OF THE ELEMENTS OF YOUR WATER RIGHT

RIGHT NUMBER: Your water right is identified by a number assigned by IDWR. The first two digits identify IDWR's administrative basin number; for example, 55 or 56.

NAME AND ADDRESS: Your name and address should appear here. IDWR will use the most recent name and address in their records for the water right.

SOURCE: The name and/or type of the source where you divert your water. For example: "groundwater," "unnamed spring," "Common Creek."

QUANTITY: The amount of water recommended in either cubic feet per second (cfs) and/or the volume of water in acre feet per year (AFY).

PRIORITY DATE: The date used to determine the priority of your right in relation to other rights using water from the same source.

POINT OF DIVERSION: The legal location where you divert water from its source; generally described as 1/4 1/4 sections down to a 40-acre tract, or smaller. Other legal descriptions that might be used are: government lots, block, subdivision, parcel numbers, townsite names, mining claim information, homestead entry surveys and other survey information.

PURPOSE OF USE: The general category of the type of use you can make of your water. Typical purposes of use include irrigation, domestic, and stock watering.

PERIOD OF USE: The period of time during the year when you can use the water for your right.

PLACE OF USE: The legal location where you use your water right; generally described as 1/4 1/4 sections down to a 40-acre tract. Other legal descriptions that might be used are: government lots, block, subdivision, parcel numbers, townsite names, mining claim information, homestead entry surveys and other survey information.

BASIS OF CLAIM: The method that was used to establish your claim. Examples include prior decree, posted notice, beneficial use (historical) method, license, permit.

DUAL BASED CLAIMS: In some cases, the federal government has claimed one right under two theories: a state basis and a federal law basis. Both theories will be reported on one form for that single water right. In most cases, the priority dates are different and will be listed separately. The federal law basis is separately indicated in a box such as this:

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IDWR does not investigate or make recommendations regarding federal law based claims.

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OTHER MATTERS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

THE QUANTITY OF WATER DECREED FOR THIS WATER RIGHT IS NOT A
DETERMINATION OF HISTORICAL BENEFICIAL USE.

EXPLANATORY MATERIAL:

BASIS OF CLAIM - LICENSE
RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN POINT OF DIVERSION
PURSUANT TO SECTION 42-1425, IDAHO CODE.
RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN PURPOSE OF USE PURSUANT
TO SECTION 42-1425, IDAHO CODE.
RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE PURSUANT TO
SECTION 42-1425, IDAHO CODE.

2/4/97

Comments:

Date: 07/08/1993 User-ID: MERRITT Subject: FIELD REVIEW & RECOMMENDATION FOR DISALLOW
ON 6/28/93 I VISITED THE SITE OF THIS CLAIM AND THE OTHERS
IN STANLEY CREEK. I OBSERVED THAT THERE WAS NO PRESENT MINING
ACTIVITY IN THE AREA AND THAT THE OLD MINING WORKS WERE IN A
STATE OF DISREPAIR. THE RESERVOIR INWHICH THE DIVERSIONS FOR
THIS RIGHT STILL EXISTS BUT THE PIPELINE FROM THE RESERVOIR
IS DISCONNECTED. I DID NOT LOCATE THE P/D FOR THIS CLAIM
BUT IN MY DISCUSSIONS WITH LOCALS AND SNRA PERSONNEL I GOT AN
INDICATION THAT ACTIVE MINING IN THE AREA HAD NOT OCCURED FOR
MORE THAN 30 YEARS. (SEE MEMO 7/8/93). I RECOMMEND THIS RIGHT
BE DISALLOWED UNLESS THE CLAIMANT PROVIDES EVIDENCE OF USE OVER
THE LAST TEN YEARS AS MY LETTER THIS DATE INDICATES.

Date: 07/08/1993 User-ID: MERRITT Subject: COPIED FROM REMARKS
SEE ATTACHED MAP FOR ORIGINAL P/U.
REDUCED ORIGINAL CFS FROM 4.0 TO 2.0.

Date: 11/08/1993 User-ID: MERRITT Subject: RE-EVALUATION
SEE MEMO DATED 11/8/93 BY ADM.

Audit: 11/13/92 CLELAND 07/08/93 MERRITT 11/08/93 MERRITT 03/30/95 POST-STD
01/14/97 D&S-DSHA

Water Right Number - R72-02074

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Old (D) Number -

+ - - - - Last Name - - - - + + - - - - First Name - - - - + - - - - Address - - - - +
 *** C - CURRENT OWNER ***
 EVANS
 VIOLA WEIDMAN

1 - AKA VIOLA C. EVANS
 2 - FOX PLAZA, APT. 2028
 3 - 1390 MARKET STREET
 City- SAN FRANCISCO
 Phone - 415-863-6137

State- CA Zip- 94102

+ - - - - Priority Date - - - + + - - - - Region - - - + + - - - - Stage - - - + + - - - - Status - - - +
 07/30/1931 17 SOUTHERN L - LICENSE

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 SPRING GULCH KELLY CREEK
 KELLY CREEK BASIN CREEK

Twn	Rng	Sec	Tract	Lot	Rflg	County	Point of Diversion
11N	13E	14	NW NW	(37)	CUSTER	KELLY CREEK	
			SW NW	(37)	CUSTER	KELLY CREEK	
		15	NW NE	(37)	CUSTER	SPRING GULCH	
			SE NE	(37)	CUSTER	KELLY CREEK	
			NE SE	(37)	CUSTER	KELLY CREEK	
			NW SE	(37)	CUSTER	KELLY CREEK	
			SW SE	(37)	CUSTER	KELLY CREEK	
		22	NE NW	(37)	CUSTER	KELLY CREEK	
			SW NW	(37)	CUSTER	KELLY CREEK	
			SE NW	(37)	CUSTER	KELLY CREEK	

Code	Description	Period From	Period To	Water Use	Diversion Rate	Diversion Volume
43 - DOMESTIC		01/01	12/31		0.040	
+ - Total Div. Rate - +						
0.040						
+ - Total Div. Volume - +						
0.0						
+ - Total Consumptive Use - +						
0.0						
+ - KW Usage - +						

Twn	Rng	Sec	Tract	Lot	Acres	Place of Use	Code	Description	County
11N	13E	14	NW NW			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER
11N	13E	14	SW NW			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER
11N	13E	15	SE NE			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER
11N	13E	15	SE SW			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER
11N	13E	15	NE SE			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER
11N	13E	15	NW SE			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER
11N	13E	15	SW SE			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER
11N	13E	22	NW NE			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER
11N	13E	22	NE NW			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER
11N	13E	22	SW NW			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER
11N	13E	22	SE NW			DOMESTIC	43	DOMESTIC	(37) CUSTER

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Twn	Rng	Sec	Tract	Lot	Acres	Code	Description	County
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Total Acres:

- - - Diversion Means - DITCHES &/OR PUMPS

- - - Non-Irrigation Use - DOMESTIC/ MINING CLAIM ASSESSMENT

- - - Other Rights for Same Use - NONE

- - - Remarks
PLACE OF USE IS UNPATENTED MINING CLAIMS HELD BY VIOLA EVANS
IN THE KELLY CREEK DRAINAGE.

- - - Old Water Right Numbers
No Old Water Right Numbers Found

- - - Conditions of Approval
C03 - RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN POINT OF DIVERSION
PURSUANT TO IDAHO CODE 42-1416A.

- - - RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN PURPOSE OF USE PURSUANT
C04 - TO IDAHO CODE 42-1416A.

- - - RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE PURSUANT TO
C05 - IDAHO CODE 42-1416A.

- - - Decree Plaintiff + - - - Decree Defendant + - - - Decree Date +
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- - - Comments
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- - - Audit Fields +
11/08/93 MERRITT
- - - Adjudication Rights Dates and Flags Area +
Court Report Filing - 00/00/0000 Field Inspection Made - 06/28/1993 Civil Case Number -
Objection Filed Date - 00/00/0000 Field Inspection Flag - Old Case Number -
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Response Filed Date	- 00/00/0000	Verified Date	- 00/00/0000	Old Judicial District	-
Claim Received Date	- 01/22/1990	Last Amended Date	- 00/00/0000	Temporary Right	- P
		Receipt Number	- S011035	Water District	-
		POU Ownership Flag	- N	Federal/State Indicator	- S
		Name Connector	-	Presumption Flag	- C
				Notice of Error Flag	-

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MEMORANDUM

TE: 08-Nov-1993

FROM: Allen Merritt *AM*

TO: A72-02074, A71-04054, A71-02056

SUBJECT: RE-EVALUATION OF CLAIMS AFTER INITIAL RECOMMENDATION
TO DISALLOW CLAIMS

INITIAL FIELD REVIEW OF THE CLAIMS IN THE NAME OF VIOLA EVANS AND PRELIMINARY CONVERSATIONS WITH FOREST SERVICE PERSONNEL AND LOCALS SEEMS TO INDICATE THAT NO USE HAD BEEN MADE OF THE WATER SINCE THE 30'S OR 40'S. BEFORE FINALIZING A RECOMMENDATION OF DISALLOWAL I THOUGHT IT BEST TO CORRESPOND WITH MRS. EVANS AND SEE IF SHE COULD COME UP WITH SOMETHING TO INDICATE WHAT THE HISTORICAL USE OF THE WATER HAS BEEN. I WROTE TWO LETTERS TO MRS. EVANS AND HAD SEVERAL PHONE CONVERSATIONS WITH HER AND ALSO HAD A PHONE CONVERSATION WITH GEORGE CASTLE WHO LAST MINED ON THE PROPERTY IN 1988. EVEN AFTER REVIEWING THE VOLUME OF PAPER WHICH MRS. EVANS HAS PROVIDED AND AFTER CONVERSING WITH MR. CASTLE I STILL MUST CONCLUDE THAT THE MAJORITY OF THE OLD LICENSED WATER RIGHTS HAVE BEEN LOST DUE TO FORFEITURE.

(NOTE: THE ORIGINAL RIGHTS WERE ISSUED FOR DIVERSION OF WATER FOR HYDRAULIC MINING OF THE CLAIMS. I BELIEVE THIS FORM OF MINING HAS NOT OCCURED SINCE PROBABLY THE 40'S. MR. CASTLE'S LAST EXTENSIVE USE FOR MINING PURPOSES WAS IN 1988 ON THE KELLY CREEK CLAIMS AND 1987 ON THE STANLEY CREEK CLAIMS. HIS USE INVOLVED DIVERSION OF WATER IN MORE OF A CONTAINED GRAVEL WASHING OPERATION AND DID NOT USE THE HIGH RATES OF DIVERSION AS REQUIRED IN THE OLD HISTORICAL HYDRAULIC TYPE OPERATIONS.)

THERE HAS BEEN AS OF THIS DATE A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS (SINCE OCT. 1988) INWHICH THE WATER HAS NOT BEEN USED FOR MINING PURPOSES. THIS PERIOD IS SUFFICIENT TO ESTABLISH FORFEITURE; HOWEVER, INFORMATION PROVIDED BY MRS. EVANS INDICATES THAT THE CLAIMS ARE STILL VIABLE IN A SENSE THAT SHE CONTINUES TO DO THE REQUIRED ASSESSMENT WORK ON THESE UNPATENTED MINING CLAIMS. SPECIFICALLY SHE PROVIDED A 1991 LETTER OF AUTHORIZATION BY THE FOREST SERVICE TO CONDUCT SUCH WORK. BASED ON MY UNDERSTANDING OF THE SITUATION I HAVE CONCLUDED THAT THE WATER RIGHTS THAT PRESENTLY EXIST FOR THE EVANS' MINING CLAIMS ARE AT THE RATE AND VOLUME NECESSARY TO DO THE NECESSARY ASSESSMENT WORK ON THE CLAIMS. THE HISTORICAL RATE NECESSARY FOR HYDRAULIC MINING HAS BEEN FORFEITED AND THE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATIONS ARE BASED ON UNRECORDED TRANSFERS MODIFYING THE ORIGINAL USE OF THE WATERS AS FOLLOWS:

I RECOMMEND THAT A72-02074 BE RECOMMENDED WITH A POINT OF DIVERSION ABOVE THE RESERVOIR SITE ON SPRING GULCH AND POINTS OF DIVERSION AND THE PLACES OF USE ON THE EVANS' CLAIMS IN THE KELLY CREEK DRAINAGE. THE SOURCE SHOULD BE SPRING GULCH & KELLY CREEK WITH A RATE OF DIVERSION OF 0.04 CFS. THE SOURCE OF SAWMILL CREEK HAS BEEN FORFEITED. THE USE SHOULD BE DESCRIBED AS DOMESTIC FOR MINING CLAIM ASSESSMENT UNDER DEFINITION PART B FOR DOMESTIC USE.

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I RECOMMEND THAT A71-02056 BE RECOMMENDED FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES ALSO WITH THE POINTS OF DIVERSION AND PLACES OF USE ALONG STANLEY CREEK. THE PLACES OF USE SHOULD BE ON THE EVAN'S CLAIMS IN THE STANLEY CREEK DRAINAGE. THE USE SHOULD BE DESCRIBED AS DOMESTIC FOR MINING CLAIM ASSESSMENT AT A RATE OF 0.04 CFS. THE DIVERSION OF STANLEY CREEK FOR USE IN THE KELLY CREEK AREA HAS BEEN FORFEITED.

THE ATTACHED MAP SHOWS HOW I BELIEVE 72-02074 AND 71-02056 SHOULD BE RECOMMENDED.

I RECOMMEND THAT A71-04054 BE DISALLOWED WITH REMARKS P06 REFERING TO 71-02056.

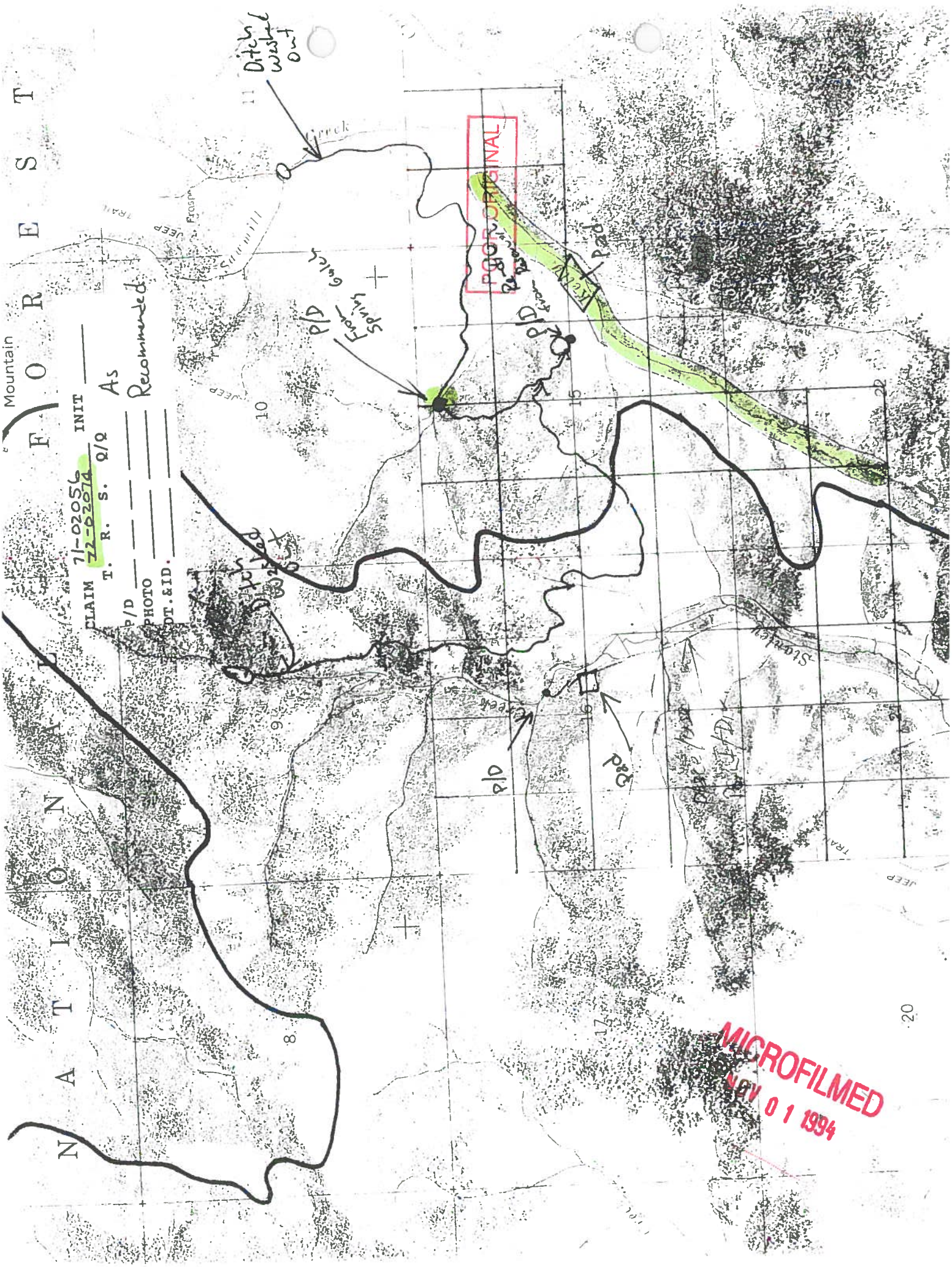
IF THE INVOLVED CLAIMS ARE TO EVER BE ACTIVELY MINED, NEW WATER RIGHTS FOR MINING PURPOSES WILL HAVE TO BE RE-ESTABLISHED THROUGH THE STATUTORY PERMIT PROCESS AND ALL APPLICABLE CONCERNS ADDRESSED.

IF THE UNPATENTED CLAIMS TO WHICH THE ABOVE RECOMMENDED RIGHTS ARE TO BE APPURTENANT ARE EVER LOST BY MRS. EVANS, HER HEIRS, OR SUBSEQUENT PURCHASERS IT WOULD SEEM APPROPRIATE THAT THE RIGHTS ARE ALSO LOST AND NOT PASSED TO OTHERS WHO MAY HOLD SUBSEQUENTLY FILED OVERLAPING OR COMPETING MINING CLAIMS.

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Sept. 24, 1993
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Dear Mr. Merritt,

Enclosed are copies
of: 1) My letter asking
Atty General to release my
file; 2) Copy of his letter 9/22.
I received today and

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Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

Fox Plaza, Apt. 2028
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94102

September 20, 1993 *WJ*

Mr. William F. Ringert
P.O. Box #2773
Boise, Idaho 83701

Dear Bill:

In further reference to my telephone call today, this is to authorize you to give my file to Mr. George C. Castle.

It is with regret, but I think you are already over-burdened with work and this will give you some relief.

It has been a nice relationship and I appreciate your services and wish you much success in the future.

A copy of this letter is being mailed to Mr. Castle for his files.

Thanking you, I am

Yours Very Truly,

VCE
Viola C. Evans

cc: George C. Castle

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Star Route
Ketchum, ID 83340

Re Bond

VCE Re 11/29/88

Reply to: 2810

Date: November 24, 1988

Mr. Dale Chaney
First Security Bank
P.O. Box 2117
Ketchum, Idaho 83340

Dear Mr. Chaney:

We are happy to inform you that George Castle, P.O. Box 3070, Ketchum, Idaho 83340, has completed the reclamation on the Faith #6 and #10 placer mining claims in the Stanley Creek drainage, Custer County, Idaho. Your institution issued an Irrevocable Standby Letter Of Credit June 2, 1987, SLC No. 029-87-181 in the amount of \$10,000 to ensure reclamation. You are hereby authorized to release \$9,000 of that amount. One Thousand Dollars must be retained as a bond for approximately two years to ensure that the planting was successful.

I would suggest you issue either an Assignment of a Savings Account, or an Assignment of a Certificate of Deposit for the \$1,000 since either of these two methods are less of a problem than a Letter of Credit. I am enclosing a short set of instructions and the necessary forms for these two methods. If you have any questions please contact me or Jeff Jones (phone 726-8291). Thank You.

Sincerely,

F. Carl Pence
F. CARL PENCE
Area Ranger

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Enclosures

cc:
George Castle

SAWTOOTH NATIONAL RECREATION AREA
SAWTOOTH NATIONAL FOREST
STAR ROUTE
KETCHUM, IDAHO 83340

*Mine
to 11-29-88*



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FOX PLAZA APT. 2028
1390 MARKET ST.
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94102

MOOSICK, Chris
(Employee)

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Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

Dear Viola,

Hi! recieved your Two letters + information.
I haven't plotted Pollacks mining Claims onto
a map as I need The Topographic map
which I purchased and lent to lawson.

Do you know where it is?

looking over ~~his~~ ^{Pollacks} legal descriptions, I
should be able to plot them on a map
with a fair amount of accuracy and
hope they will correspond with what is
actually out there on the ground.

also, George called me earlier this
week and asked me if I could help
him with some sampling on your claims.
This month. I said I would be available.
Because of the situation I am in, I will
have to "Tread lightly" and hope all work
will be kept Confidential between you, George
and I.

I recieved a 10 ^{bag} lbs of garison meadow
foxtail grass seed today from The Gooding
Seed Company. I ordered 10 lbs instead
of the 5 lbs we had discussed figuring
if I didn't use it all this year it
could be used next season. Because I was
not around for the delivery, I did not get
a receipt, I will however send along what
information is on the bag.

The price of the seed was \$4.25
a pound with a \$4.25 shipping fee therefore
the total bill was \$46.50. I have the
\$30⁰⁰ check you wrote to me so the
outstanding balace is \$16.50. (over)

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I am also sending along my bill for labor performed by me prior to receiving the clerical permission to work for you from the Forest Supervisor Ron Stoleson.

Finally, please find the enclosed pictures of Hanson and crew that I took while I was out inspecting the work.

You remember what the weather was like when you were here? Well it hasn't changed in fact it has gotten worse! It's been raining & snowing all week.

I'm hoping for an "Indian Summer" in October, if it doesn't come it's going to be a long winter!

Well, keep me informed, I will help you in anyway I can. Take care

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Sincerely,
Chub

VARIETY: CERTIFIED GARRISON FOXTAIL				
LOT NUMBER 37-77		ORIGIN Mont.		
PURITY 90.26 %	INERT MATTER 9.56 %	CROP .17 %	WEEDS .01 %	
GERMINATION %	HARD SEED %	TOTAL GERMINATION & HARD SEED 90 %		
NET WEIGHT 50# 10#	TEST DATE 1/86	NOXIOUS WEEDS None		

LIMITATIONS OF WARRANTY

The Seller warrants, to the extent of the purchase price, that Seeds or Bulbs sold are as described on the container, within recognized tolerances. We give no other or further warranty, express or implied.

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Description of labor performed
on Viola Evans mining claims by
Chris Hoosick. Submitted 9/2/86.

Date: Aug 15, 1986

Hours: 10:30 Am - 1:00 pm

(2 1/2)

Description of work

Visited the claim sites to inspect + take pictures
of work being performed by Mr. Lawson at the
Weedman reservoir. Discussed w/him, his plans to drain
the reservoir.

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Date: Aug 23, 1986

Hours: 9:30 Am - 10:30 Am

(2)

Description of work

Visited the claim site to meet w/George Castle
to help him find the corner post and ~~claim~~
boundaries of the "Buckley Bar" mining claim.
also witnessed Castles mineral testing equipment
on the site.

Date: Aug 27, 1986

Hours: 9:30 Am - 11:30 Am

(2)

Description of work

As per Forest Service/BLM instructions, raked
and cleaned the 5 sampling pits dug by
Don Cutler in early August.

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Total hours: 6 1/2

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Reply to: 2810

Date: June 21, 1991

Mrs. Viola Weidman Evans
Fox Plaza Apt. 2028
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94102

NOTE: This authorizes
the Bearer to perform
field-work and inspect
the mining claims this
season. Viola C. Evans, Owner
Prss. of Corp.

8/3/93

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Dear Mrs. Evans:

This letter will serve as your authorization to conduct the following activities on your Faith #1, #2, #6, #7, #8, #9, and #10 unpatented placer mining claims located in Sections 9, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, and 30, T11N, R13E, and Section 25, T11N, R12E, Custer County, Idaho, Sawtooth National Recreation Area. This letter will also serve as your authorization for activities on your Faith #3, #4, and #5 unpatented placer claims and Cora #1-#7, Eclipse #1, Blue Moon, Faith #3A, #3B, and #4A lode claims located in Sections 11, 14, and 15, T11N, R13E, Challis National Forest, Custer County, Idaho.

1. Vehicle access to the claims is authorized via the open Forest Service road #553 (Stanley Creek road), and #431 (Kelly Creek road), from the Stanley side and any existing mine roads.
2. Per your request, you are authorized to inspect all of the claims, ditches, reservoirs, roads, culverts, buildings, replace any legal descriptions, maintain the current claim corners and remove fallen trees and brush from ditches. You are authorized to do general exploration and take samples to further evaluate the properties. You are authorized to do exploration with hand tools and use a backhoe to dig sampling pits provided you fill in the pits the same day, rake, and seed with near native grass. You are not to use the backhoe in the stream. If you decide to dig backhoe pits for sampling you must notify me at SNRA Headquarters, 726-7672, or the District Ranger at Clayton, 838-2201 for those claims off the SNRA, prior to digging so that the location of the pits can be approved and the operation monitored. If you decide to use a trommel on Kelly creek you must obtain prior permission from the District Ranger at Clayton.

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x Plaza, Apt. 2028
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94102
(415) 863 6137

June 23, 1987

CERTIFIED MAIL (Return Care Receipt) P 718 412 188

U.S. Forest Service
Regional Headquarters
324 25th Street
Ogden, Utah 84401

Attention: Mr. John Lowe
Regional Director

Re: Unpatented Placer Mining Claims,
Stanley and Kelly Creeks, Custer Co.
Stanley Mining District, Idaho
Weidman Faith Mining Co., Inc.

Dear Mr. Lowe:

It has been recommended that I write to you concerning conditions over which I have no control and which involve others, so that the problems may be resolved in a manner equitable and just.

For easier reading and comprehension, I address the immediate concern as there are deadlines, and so I enclose a few Exhibits which are comprised of copies of correspondence, field notes, diaries, and telephone notes selected from records dating since 1964. This seems preferable to my "excerpting" various paragraphs and data in a long letter.

The Exhibits are tagged with brief Notes, and Exhibits are marked "A", "B", etc. They are arranged in time sequence when possible to show: present concern and the situation; early background and history; principal contributors to the present status; relationships with the US. Forest Service and SNRA, Sawtooth National Recreation Area that have been both positive and negative; and present need for specific information, guidance, and adjustments for relief.

There exists a two-pronged matter that involves Mr. Jeff (James) Jones of the SNRA Office, Ketchum, Idaho: A possible "conflict of interest" matter that he has highlighted for several years, and verbal instructions regarding the adding of additional names to some claims that were incorrectly described by the late Mr. O.T. Hansen, who was State Mining Inspector of Idaho with whom I consulted about the claims when I first was given power of attorney by my late father, Mr. John Weidman, in 1966. *(Please see postscript p. 3.)*

The "conflict of interest" matter is described in the Exhibit "A," which is a collection of the early Progressive claims #13 through #20, that later were amended to become Faith #7, which lies within the Sawtooth National Recreation Area. It is on this Faith #7 that Mr. Jones has identified certain claims, filed as the Susan #1 - #4, as having priority, and has stated that he is related to the early locators, Bert Shirts and Ilda Shirts, whose records at the BLM Boise Office show IMC Numbers 14519 through #14522 and were filed August 26, 1955. The Shirts are deceased and relatives are Bruce Faith, Box 361, Hailey, Idaho, 83333, present claimants.

Below is a summary of my father's discovery, location, and filing dates for the Progressive claims involved, and it will be seen that they were filed many years before the Susans. They are listed for your easy verification and consideration on the following page.

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Faith #7 consisted of the following Progressive claims, located by the late John Weidman, summarized below:

Claim	Discovered	Located	Filed	Instrument No.	Bk/Page
Progressive 13	10/5/42	10/23/42	10/26/42	#53611	Bk 5,245
Prog. #14	10/6/42	10/23/42	10/26/42	#53612	Bk 5,247
Prog. #15	10/7/42	10/23/42	10/26/42	#53613	Bk 5,248
Prog. #16	6/27/49	6/27/49	7/25/49	#101467	Bk 5,368
Prog. #17	6/28/49	6/28/49	7/25/49	#101468	Bk 5,369
Prog # 18	6/29/49	6/29/49	7/25/49	#101469	Bk 5,370
Prog. #19	6/30/49	6/30/49	7/25/49	#101470	Bk 5,371
Prog. #20	7/1/49	7/1/49	7/25/49	#101471	Bk 5,372

Proof of Labor requirements have been annually met, with proper and timely submission of documents to the Bureau of Land Management for registration. Exhibit "B" is a record of the trips the writer has made personally during the period 1966 through 1987 (June) and the number of days involved in assessment work, supervision, testing, exploration, and related duties. It is stated that during the 30 trips and the 495 days involved, I never saw anyone doing any work or even present on the Susan claims, except on the day in August 1980 when Mr. Jeff Jones had some of the Shirts' relatives at the site where he was supervising the final field work connected with the Faiths' "validation" (and the site where this was being done was not on Faith #7), which seems rather strange, as assessment work employees usually run into one another at some time over a period of years.

Exhibit "C" gives further insight into the situation and my concern about Mr. Jones' actions and Exhibit "D" further discloses some of his actions.

He has caused some anxiety with my Lessee, Mr. George Castle when he (Mr. Jeff Jones) reportedly told Mr. Castle to avoid the Susan claims when he, on my behalf, would be testing and deciding what portion of Faith #7 we would select in compliance with the instructions received under date of September 24, 1986 from the Bureau of Land Management. (See Exhibit "E", please). (It should be stated that we asked for an extension of time regarding the BLM instructions (unable to test and survey, etc., in the winter time when ground frozen and deep snow) and it was extended for us to the Fall, 1987.)

Following receipt of the BLM letter of September 24, 1986, I wrote Mr. Jeff Jones on November 14, 1986 (Exhibit "F") and a copy of his reply of Nov. 20, 1986, is attached. It will be noted there was no explanation about his previous instructions regarding adding names to the claims. Exhibit "C", mentioned above, contains information that mentions the adding of names to satisfy requirement for large claims.

If there was any question about the status of the claims in the SNRA, why was the "validation" work performed? The present position is that an amount can be claimed, depending of the number of names on the document, and that one can select which 20 acres (or whatever is allowed), and so why would the "validation" testing not be delayed until the boundaries were established? The substance of the matter indicates that it was thought, and so instructed, that additional names could be added, and so I was instructed by Mr. Jeff Jones.

Because of this kind of guidance and instructions, I have discussed the matter with others, whom I wished to add because they had been helpful and were interested. It has created an embarrassing situation as well as has caused me to lose confidence in Mr. Jeff Jones and his services.

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Exhibit "G" is added because it further describes the conditions that have existed, some of which made it difficult for me to get the claims in proper arrangement in order to lease and/or sell to a dependable and qualified entity. As mentioned above, Mr. George Castle of Ketchum, Idaho, is the present Lessee and has presented and gained approval to operate in certain areas this summer and Fall.

Regretfully this has paragraphed into a lengthy letter. I appreciate your attention and/or instructions regarding the situation. Kindly contact me (or telephone Collect) if you desire more information. Thanking you, I am

Very truly yours,



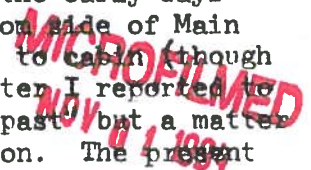
Viola C. Evans, Pres.
Weidman Faith Mining Co., Inc.

Enclosures - Exhibits "A" thru "G"

cc: Lessee
Attorney

P.S. The present situation goes back several years, as noted in the fourth paragraph, page 1. A man from Salt Lake City, (E. J. Johnson, deceased) had claims adjoining my father's and he had my father put in a nursing home in Salmon without my knowledge; he arranged to have power of attorney and took charge of his equipment, etc., most of which became lost. When I learned of the matter, I visited my father and he transferred the power of attorney to me. I made efforts to establish if my father owed money to anyone and to recover his personal papers, etc., but had but little cooperation. Living in San Francisco, working for the U.S. Government, I was able to make a few visits and being unfamiliar with mining laws and procedures, I enlisted the help of the official, Mr. O.T. Hansen, who for several years made visits to the claims and I paid all his expenses (and his wife's) and it was he who suggested amending the claims, and he who described and prepared the documents for filing. From time to time I had contact with attorneys regarding matters, but it appears there was some carelessness or undesirable delays, but I continued to depend on Mr. Hansen until I noted a change in attitude and deterioration of his health and work methods, and had to make changes. There is an abundance of correspondence on file that support the above statements and are available to you, if you desire for me to send them to you. There was some vandalism during the early days such as bulldozed down cabin and US FS road changed from side of Main Cabin to other side, walling up the only door entrance to cabin (though the road was later routed where it had always been, after I reported to another agency), some intimidation, etc., "all in the past" but a matter of record, should you desire more background information. The present is a result of an accumulation of the past - right? This may appear as rationalization, and it is; however, I have done the best I could under the circumstances and I now invite your assistance, so that the Lessee may have optimum conditions under which to operate.

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Reply to: 2810

Date: June 21, 1991

Mrs. Viola Weidman Evans
Fox Plaza Apt. 2028
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94102

NOTE: This authorizes
the Bearer to perform
field-work and inspect
the mining claims this
season. Viola C. Evans, Owner
Prss. of Corp.

8/3/93

Unsignature

See
over →
on back

Dear Mrs. Evans:

This letter will serve as your authorization to conduct the following activities on your Faith #1, #2, #6, #7, #8, #9, and #10 unpatented placer mining claims located in Sections 9, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, and 30, T11N, R13E, and Section 25, T11N, R12E, Custer County, Idaho, Sawtooth National Recreation Area. This letter will also serve as your authorization for activities on your Faith #3, #4, and #5 unpatented placer claims and Cora #1-#7, Eclipse #1, Blue Moon, Faith #3A, #3B, and #4A lode claims located in Sections 11, 14, and 15, T11N, R13E, Challis National Forest, Custer County, Idaho.

1. Vehicle access to the claims is authorized via the open Forest Service road #553 (Stanley Creek road), and #431 (Kelly Creek road), from the Stanley side and any existing mine roads.
2. Per your request, you are authorized to inspect all of the claims, ditches, reservoirs, roads, culverts, buildings, replace any legal descriptions, maintain the current claim corners and remove fallen trees and brush from ditches. You are authorized to do general exploration and take samples to further evaluate the properties. You are authorized to do exploration with hand tools and use a backhoe to dig sampling pits provided you fill in the pits the same day, rake, and seed with near native grass. You are not to use the backhoe in the stream. If you decide to dig backhoe pits for sampling you must notify me at SNRA Headquarters, 726-7672, or the District Ranger at Clayton, 838-2201 for those claims off the SNRA, prior to digging so that the location of the pits can be approved and the operation monitored. If you decide to use a trommel on Kelly creek you must obtain prior permission from the District Ranger at Clayton.

This authorization is valid from June 21, 1991 to November 30, 1991. Keep it available for forest patrols. If your plans change and you wish to do additional work, please contact me at Sawtooth NRA Headquarters (phone 726-7672) and I will be happy to help you modify your operation plan.

Thank you for your letter and your thoughtful sentiments regarding this year's fire season!

Sincerely,

F. CARL PENCE
Area Ranger

cc:
District Ranger, Yankee Fk RD, Highway 75, 83227
Mr. Don Cutler, P.O.Box 85, Stanley, Idaho 83278

7/1/91

Dear Mrs. Evans:
Please excuse the informality of this response to your June 27 letter; I wanted to be certain this signed letter was returned to you as soon as possible. Carl is out of the office so I had Jerry Clark, the Deputy Area Ranger, sign the letter for him. My apologies for allowing the original to go out without a signature! Please do stop in if you're in the area...
Jim Davis (minerals specialist)

8/3/93

Mr. Merritt:

For a period Faith #6 and #10 in SNRA, and others had more acreage than locator-names, and I was advised by the USFS and SNRA; and my atty, Mr. Fred Snook, of Salmon (deceased) of the situaion; and finally got the two claims named above amended, after being resurvey and properly described and with proper number of names, etc. - per the attached copies of this matter. Delays prevented taking the proper action sooner. I regret to say.

Viola C. Evans

NOTICE OF AMENDED PLACER CLAIM LOCATION

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THE UNDERSIGNED CLAIMANT, *Weidman Faith Mining Co., Inc.*, an Idaho Corporation is the owner of the *Faith No. 10* placer mining claim. This claim was originally located as an amendment to certain existing placer claims on 26 September 1969 and recorded in the records of Custer County, Idaho as Instrument No. 127718 and further recorded with the Idaho State Office of the Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Department of the Interior as *Idaho Mining Claim No. 19146* in compliance with the Act of May 10, 1872, 17 Stat. 91, as amended, of the laws of the United States, and of the laws of the State of Idaho and of the local laws and customs applicable thereto. Claimant hereby amends the location of the named placer claim.

The name of the amended placer claim is *FAITH NO. 10 AMENDED*. The location of this amended claim is marked upon the ground at each corner with a substantial monument or a post at least four feet in height and four inches square or in diameter. Upon each post or monument is affixed an inscribed tag identifying the amended claim, the number of the corner post and the bearings and distances to adjacent corners. The undersigned claims the area as described by the following legal subdivisions of the public survey system:

Section 16: SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$; NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$

all situated within Township 11 North, Range 13 East, Boise Meridian, Custer County and lying within the Stanley Mining District of this county, containing 20.0 acres, more or less.

Corner Post No. 1 of this placer claim is situated approximately due south an approximate distance of 3,300 feet of the quarter-corner common to Sections 9 and 16. A copy of this notice of amended placer claim location is posted at Corner Post No. 1.

This Amended Location is made in general conformity with the original amended location for the purpose of better describing the legal description of the claim and reducing its area so as not to exceed the maximum area permitted for the number of locators named on the original amended notice of 26 September 1969. This amendment to the original amended location, or the records thereof, is made without waiving any rights acquired under and by virtue of the original amended location or its predecessor claims in interest.

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State of California)
County of San Francisco)

I, Viola C. Evans, representing the above named CLAIMANT as its president, do solemnly swear that I am a citizen of the United States of America, and that for the benefit of the CLAIMANT I am acquainted with the placer ground described in this amended notice of location herewith called the *FAITH NO. 10 AMENDED* claim; that the ground and amended claim therein described or any part thereof has not, to the best of my knowledge and belief, been previously located according to the laws of the United States and this state by any person except the CLAIMANT through that land claimed under the original amended location of 26 September 1969, or if so located, that the previous claims have been abandoned or forfeited prior to the date of the original amended location by reason of the failure of such former locators to comply in respect thereto with the requirements of these laws.

This amended location was made on the 21st day of May 1987.

WEIDMAN FAITH MINING CO., INC.

By: *Viola C. Evans* Date Signed: *May 21, 1987.*
 Viola C. Evans, President
 aka Viola Weidman Evans

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of California)
County of San Francisco)

On this 21st day of May 1987, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared VIOLA C. EVANS, known or identified to me to be the President of the corporation that executed the instrument and the person who executed the instrument on behalf of said corporation, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year last written above.

(Seal)

Margaret Ebers
Notary Public for California - *Utah*
Residing at *Eagle*

My Commission Expires *June 16, 1992*
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NOTICE OF AMENDED PLACER CLAIM LOCATION

THE UNDERSIGNED CLAIMANT, *Weidman Faith Mining Co., Inc.*, an Idaho Corporation is the owner of the *Faith No. 6* placer mining claim. This claim was originally located as an amendment to certain existing placer claims on 23 September 1968 and recorded in the records of Custer County, Idaho as Instrument No. 125622 and further recorded with the Idaho State Office of the Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Department of the Interior as *Idaho Mining Claim No. 19142* in compliance with the Act of May 10, 1872, 17 Stat. 91, as amended, of the laws of the United States, and of the laws of the State of Idaho and of the local laws and customs applicable thereto. Claimant hereby amends the location of the named placer claim.

The name of the amended placer claim is *FAITH NO. 6 AMENDED*. The location of this amended claim is marked upon the ground at each corner with a substantial monument or a post at least four feet in height and four inches square or in diameter. Upon each post or monument is affixed an inscribed tag identifying the amended claim, the number of the corner post and the bearings and distances to adjacent corners. The undersigned claims the area as described by the following legal subdivisions of the public survey system:

Section 9: SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 16: W $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$

all situated within Township 11 North, Range 13 East, Boise Meridian, Custer County and lying within the Stanley Mining District of this county, containing 60.0 acres, more or less.

Corner Post No. 1 of this placer claim is situated approximately due north an approximate distance of 660 feet of the quarter-corner common to Sections 9 and 16. A copy of this notice of amended placer claim location is posted at Corner Post No. 1.

This Amended Location is made in general conformity with the original amended location for the purpose of better describing the legal description of the claim and reducing its area so as not to exceed the maximum area permitted for the number of locators named on the original amended notice of 23 September 1968. This amendment to the original amended location, or the records thereof, is made without waiving any rights acquired under and by virtue of the original amended location or its predecessor claims in interest.

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AFFIDAVIT

State of California)
County of San Francisco)

I, Viola C. Evans, representing the above named CLAIMANT as its president, do solemnly swear that I am a citizen of the United States of America, and that for the benefit of the CLAIMANT I am acquainted with the placer ground described in this amended notice of location herewith called the *FAITH NO. 6 AMENDED* claim; that the ground and amended claim therein described or any part thereof has not, to the best of my knowledge and belief, been previously located according to the laws of the United States and this state by any person except the CLAIMANT through that land claimed under the original amended location of 23 September 1968, or if so located, that the previous claims have been abandoned or forfeited prior to the date of the original amended location by reason of the failure of such former locators to comply in respect thereto with the requirements of these laws.

This amended location was made on the 21st day of May 1987.

WEIDMAN FAITH MINING CO., INC.

By: Viola C. Evans Date Signed: May 21, 1987
 Viola C. Evans, President
 aka Viola Weidman Evans

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of California)
County of San Francisco)

On this 21st day of May 1987, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared VIOLA C. EVANS, known or identified to me to be the President of the corporation that executed the instrument and the person who executed the instrument on behalf of said corporation, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year last written above.

(Seal)

Margaret J. Lober
Notary Public for California
Residing at Eagle

My Commission Expires 12-31-1992

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September 22, 1993

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Mrs. Viola C. Evans
Fox Plaza, Apt. 2028
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Viola:

Thank you for your kind letter of September 20, 1993. In accordance with your instructions, your files will be available for Mr. Castle when he arrives at my office.

Thinking that there might be something further at a later date, I did not notify Mr. Allen Merritt of the Idaho Department of Water Resources that I would not be communicating additional information to him in connection with your notices of claims in the Snake River Basin Adjudication. I think it appropriate to notify Mr. Merritt that any future communication should be directly with you, and unless I hear from you to the contrary by October 5, I will so notify him.

I wish you well in your mining ventures and otherwise.

Yours very truly,

Bill

W. F. Ringert

WFR:am

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I do appreciate how busy everyone is and I have every confidence in his ability to make a fair and just recommendations, and if necessary, I can arrange to be present if necessary. Thank you very much for your thoughtful letter, Bill. I am replying hastily, as I have a busy few days ahead. Enclosing for your files a copy of the July 27, 1993 letter - okay?
Very truly yours,

Viola C. Evans

Enclosure - 1

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Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

Mr. William F. Ringert
RINGERT and CLARK
P.O. Box 2773
Boise, Idaho 83701

Dear Bill:

Your September 22nd letter was received today and thank you kindly.

Mr. Allen Merritt of the Water Resources Department has already been notified that you would not be representing me regarding the Snake River Basin matters.

As mentioned in former correspondence he and Mr. George Castle have been in touch and details have been taken care of concerning water use with much information having been supplied Mr. Merritt.

Also, Mr. Merritt is aware of some of the difficulties I had in the past with regard to "beneficial use"; e.g., someone planting several small fish in the large reservoir with resultant need for cleaning out, discouraging people thinking it was a fishing pond. There was the mysterious changing of the U.S. Forest Service road from one side of main cabin to the other side, blocking entrance to the cabin and piled high with the road, along with the bulldozing down of a well-constructed lower sleeping cabin (of these conditions I took pictures showing the broken screen doors, etc.; then after my notifying the Internal Revenue Service at tax-time, the road was replaced allowing entrance to the cabin) but the vandalism had already done its harm. A Forest Service road for a long period of time was on top of one of the gravitational ditches leading to the claims from reservoir - a condition that prevented use of the water! On another occasion some party had pitched a tent and in a location of Kelly Creek not visible from the road, had darned the creek with heavy canvas and had set up an operating plant - which could have been running 24 hours a day. My records contain diaries, pictures, and there was always someone with me who can verify these statements. The man who came from the tent came towards me with a hatchet; fortunately Mr. and Mrs. Fred Snook, atty, was with me. And you will remember the summer that I had received notice that it was all right for campers to set up camp for period not longer than two weeks and prospect (a situation which would allow a party to move out for a few days and return and stay another 14 days, and I could go on and on.

Mr. Merritt is also aware of my surprise as to whom he went to interview regarding the work on my properties - rather than to people who were informed and were not engaged in some business and who did not like mining; and one who was in a state of "conflict" because closely related to people involved in some of the problems..(a USFS employee). People in Stanley who were not employees could have verified a great deal of

CONVERSATION MEMORANDUM

EMPLOYEE: Allen Mervitt

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A72-02074A71-02056A71-04054RE: Phone Conv. with George Castle regarding his
use of water on Viola Evans' mining claims.DATE 8/30/93

NAME OF PARTY

George Castle

George described his water use for mining purposes.

In 1987 he worked the Stanley CK area. He diverted water from the CK using a 6" pipe that reduced down to 1 1/2". He indicated the P/D from the CK was approx. 400' above the pad. In 1988 he worked the Kelly CK area. He took water out of the Spring Gulch Reservoir for his operation just downstream along the Kelly CK banks.

George indicated his use of the water was probably the most diverted since the area was mined in the 30's. He estimated his diversions to his operation was in the range of 300 to 400 gallons per minute. He indicated he had a diesel pump with 4" intake & 3" discharge. He indicated he generally worked 8-10 hrs/day and was in operation from May to early October.

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Dear Mr. Merritt

I am regarding to the useage of
water from Stanley Creek No. A71-04054
Stanley Creek A71-02056 ~~at~~ ^{at} Stanley Creek
and Sawmill Gulch-Spring Gulch

A72-02074. I worked this property
Stanley Creek SNRR in 1987 and Kelly
in 1988 using waters from Thine
water rights. In claud is a copy
on picture taken by USBAL-MLA69
my workings at Kelly Creek.

Wanda Evans asked me to send
this information, other testing
ing water was done later.

Yours truly
George C. Smith

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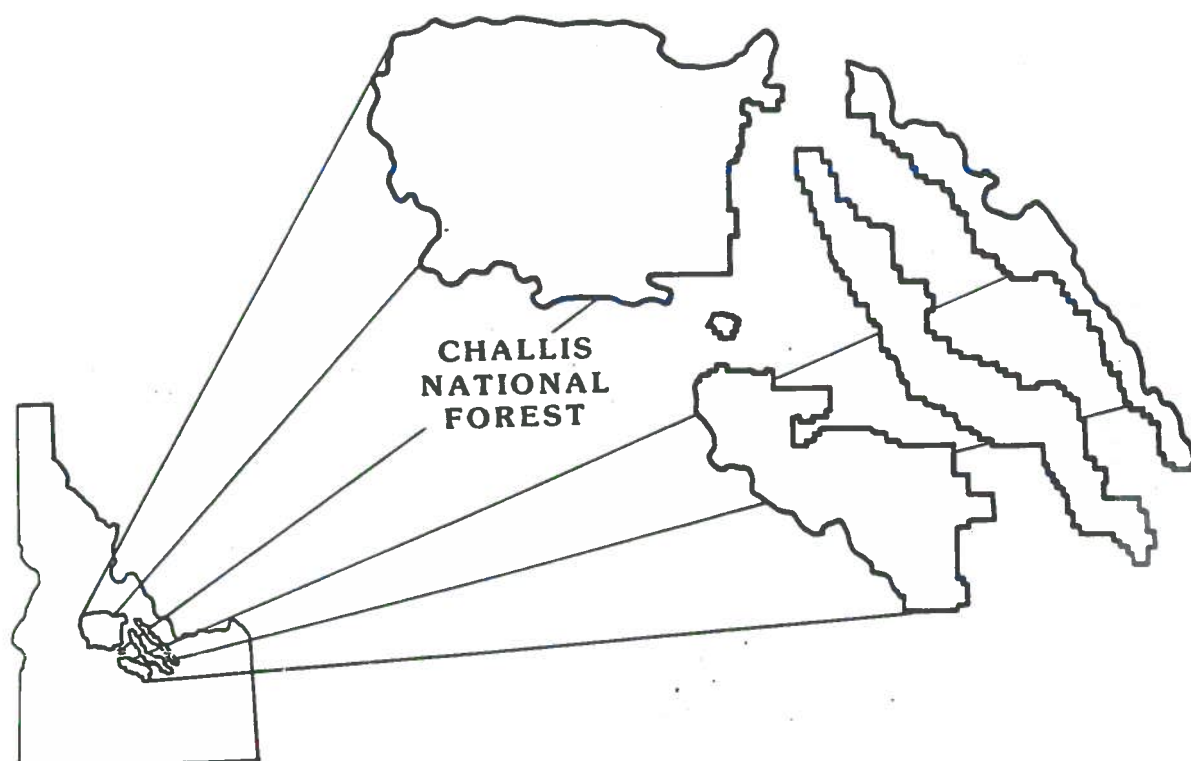
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Mineral Resource Appraisal of the Challis National Forest, Idaho



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rare earths from these deposits is the presence of thorium in the monazite. Thorium is not in demand now, and the radioactive byproduct from rare earth extraction is a disposal problem (Hedrick, 1985).

World and domestic demand for ilmenite, garnet, zircon and rare earths increased in 1987 and 1988, and is expected to increase through 1990. Demand for individual rare earths is expected to change at varying rates as a result of the wide variety of uses. The domestic and world demand pattern for rare earths continued to shift towards individual compounds and metals and special mixtures, and the capacities to separate and produce these products were increasing to meet the changing demand pattern.

Current activity

During 1988, three gold placer operations employing heavy equipment were active in the Yankee Fork Ranger District. George Castle, leasing a portion of the 400 acre claim block held by Viola Evans near the head of Kelly Creek (363, fig. 11), uses a bulldozer and front-end loader to



FIGURE 11.--Placer mining operation at the Weidman property (Faith No. 4) near Kelly Creek (plate 1, No. 363).

supply material to a 20-ton/hour capacity spiral trommel. A Wilfley table and mechanical gold screw are used for final gold separation. The operation uses water from holding ponds. Because no stream flow is available to recharge the ponds, years with little rainfall result in water capture insufficient to operate at design capacity. According to Mr. Castle, previous testing indicates the area currently being placered contains gold-bearing gravel which would support his operations for many years at the current rate of production.

About 2 miles south of the Castle operation, Mark Anderson is currently (1988) processing placer gravel from Joes Gulch (371). A tractor-loader supplies gravel to a wash plant which consists of a spiral trommel for rough concentration and a sluice for final separation and recovery. The operation relies on recirculated water from temporary holding ponds constructed in the bottom of the gulch. Water is hauled to the site because there is normally no surface flow in the gulch. Gold-bearing material remaining in Joes Gulch is sufficient to support only a small operation of the kind currently under way. Water limitations could force suspension of operations during periods of depressed gold prices.

Placer work at the New Deal and Square Deal property (459) on Jordan Creek continued in 1988. The owners of the recently patented property tested a small area with full scale operating equipment. A 1.5 yd³, track-mounted excavator supplied material to a 50-ton/day capacity wash plant. The operation relies on recirculated water supplied from Jordan Creek, which is a steady source of recharge for system water. The operators indicated that test results were encouraging, with recovery of coarse, angular gold up to 3/8 in. in diameter.

The New Deal and Square Deal patent owners also have claim interest along 2.5 mi of Jordan Creek at the Olga Marie (Moonbeam) (458), between the New Deal and Square Deal patents and the upper extension of the dredge tailings. The portable wash plant and excavator were moved to an area just above the dredge tailings for further testing and evaluation in 1988. Placer gravel along Jordan Creek could support small scale placer operations, using heavy equipment, for many years.

Since small quantities of gold can be sold at market prices, there is incentive for small scale operations. The economies of scale enjoyed by high capacity mines do not place competitive pressure on the small operator. The profitability of small scale placer operations is determined by the cost to produce each ounce and the market price for gold. During periods of high gold prices, significant levels of small scale and recreational placer mining is likely. The productive history and accessibility of streams in the areas north of Stanley and Sunbeam will likely attract many small scale operators to these areas. Operations which can sustain themselves on impounded and recirculated

August 4, 1993 Wedn.

Allen Merritt, P.E.
Supervisor
dept. of Water Resources
222 Shoshone Street, East
Twin Falls, Idaho 83301

Dear Mr. Merritt:

RE: SRBA - Claims on
Stanley - Kelly Creeks
& Stanley Gulch

In the package I mailed yesterday by certified mail the enclosed material was inadvertently omitted, and I apologize for this error.

The material reports on George C. Castle's lease and operations in the year 1987 - from his early May used to get his equipment in shape, etc., and the day-by-day diary-like information through Nov. 10, 1987. His check for the royalty is also included. It is lengthy and if you don't need it, will you kindly return it please.

This morning I telephoned his answering message center and asked that he phone me when convenient - and I gave your name and ph. number to the operator "to give to George Castle." I hope all the information now in your hands will be sufficient so that if you and he make an appointment to meet on the claims, it will lessen the hours he would be away from his business, as well as easier for you - okay?

This is hurriedly written, as I wish to mail it today. Don't work too hard!

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Sincerely yours,

Viola C. Evans
Viola C. Evans

Enclosures

P.S. Am enclosing a page re the topic we mentioned the other day - and look forward to receiving the picture. vce

file

12-4-87

Dear Viola,

Received Payment on Stony Creek Gold to day. sending you a Royalty Payment of \$396.52
Sorry it isn't three thousand.

Enclaved is a settlement sheet from Idaho Precious Metals, they seem to be good people to deal with, I went and interviewed them before letting them have the gold.

Also am sending you the gold from the four samples taken in meadow up stream from Busby and the only nugget that I found this summer. The test from meadow loop was good - want you to have some gold from Busby's.

Hope all is going well with you, will call you soon.

Have been putting things away for winter and working on my house on the Hill.

Best Regards Geo.

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3770.20 at 100% = \$377.02
13 items at 15% Profit = 195.00

\$396.52

CASTLE CONSTRUCTION GEORGE C. CASTLE P. O. BOX 3070 KETCHUM, ID 83340		3482 MICROFILMED NOV 01 1994 92-8-029 1241
PAY TO THE ORDER OF <u>Viola Ewert</u>		12-4-87 \$396.52
<u>Three hundred ninety six and 52/100</u> DOLLARS		
First Security Bank of Idaho NATIONAL ASSOCIATION	KETCHUM OFFICE 600 SUN VALLEY ROAD, KETCHUM, IDAHO 83340	<u>George Castle</u>



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STATEMENT OF RECOVERY AND SETTLEMENT

Date Received: 11-17-87

Material Received:

Weight Receipt:

IPM No. 4590

Placer Gold

14.670 Troy Oz. Gross

From: George C. Castle

 Troy Oz.

Box 3070

Net: Troy Oz.

Ketchum, ID 83340

Post Melt Weight

726-3770

Net: 14.224 Troy Oz.

RECOVERY:

FINENESS:*

PERCENTAGES:

Gold: 8.663 FTO

609.042

: FTO

*Material purity using 999+ standard

SETTLEMENT:

Terms: 94% Return

Date:

Gold Return: 8.143 FTO

Price: \$463.00

Total: \$3,770.20

Return: FTO

Price:

Total:

LESS:

Minimum Fee: - 19.00

Fabrication Fee:

Assay Fee:

:

NET PROCEEDS: \$3,751.20

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By GEORGE CASTLE, LESSEE

Set Trommel up and hauled samples from different places on Kelly Creek and Dening Gulch.

Dam over the bank where old cat is setting, south of large storage dam. 1st sample taken from bedrock on the east side of little road leading down there; three (3) yards ran approx. \$3.00 per yard, 3 yards.

2nd sample taken from the bank that hadnot been worked same area ran approx. \$6.00 per yard, 1-1/2 yards sample taken where ditch crosses into Big Pipe line above Cabins, ran approx. \$7.25 per yard, with a greater amount of than any other samples.

In the area where road turns into old workings, near the lower end of the big pipes, six (6) samples of three (3) yards each ran \$6.00 range.

JOHN
Seven (7) samples in Denining Gulch of two (2) yards each, ran approx. \$2.50 per yard with lots of black sand. Three (3) samples were taken in the bottom of the Gulch where in early days samples had run tailings down there. These samples are not really accurate; the material was not weighed -- just estimated by the amounts of a full bucket on Bachoe held. Only a general idea of values can be obtained by running small amounts.

Each time a sample was run through the trommel, until reduced the size down to 3/8 inch screen, which was washed down a 16 foot sluice box with riffles and rugs under them, which was taken out after each sample and washed into tub, then run through Gold Screw Concentrator, three (3) samples estimated values by the amount of gold in each 10-25 grams; and I surveyed Corners in Faith #1 and #2; put up Corner markers 10-30. Chris (Hoosick) and I surveyed Faith #3, found Joe Swayne's claim overlapping Faith #3.

SWANER
On November 2, 1987 I talked to Joe Swaner about this matter. He said he did not find Faith #3 in that area, when he made his first check in Boise; but he made another check last November and found it there and would go over it with me next Spring.

Attached pages of notes, dated May 29, 1987
through Nov. 2, 1987

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Report on Testing in Kelly Creek Testing 1981 #2
by G. C. Downing D. R. in May.

Set Trommel up and hauled samples from ~~different~~ place in Kelly Creek end, Downing Gulch.

Dam on the bank where a lot of it is sitting south of large storage Dam, 1st sample taken from bed rock on the east side of little road leading down there. Three yards ran a p. \$3.00 P. & 2nd sample taken from the bank that had no ~~been~~ work some area ran a p. \$6.00 P. & 4th one ^{1st} sample taken where ditch ~~and~~ crosses under Big Pipe line a few cabins ran a p. \$7.25 P. & 1 with a greater amount of concentrate than any other samples.

In the area where road turns in to old work near the lower end of Big Pipe six samples of three yards each ran 6. range.

Seven samples ~~on~~ Downing Gulch of three yards each ran a p. \$2.50 with lots of black sand, these samples were taken in the bottom of gulch where heavy clays above had run tailings down it. These samples are not real accurate the material was not weighed - just estimated by the amount of a full bucket on Backhoe held.

Only a general idea of values can be obtained by run small amounts.

Each time a sample was run through the Trommel, with reduced to size down to 3/8 inch screen, with ^{was} washed down a section of 1/2 inch with riddle and rags under them, ~~and~~ we were taken out after each sample and washed in to tub then run through Gold Screen Cone.

Then samples estimated values by the amount of gold - last 10-25 Doan and I ~~sampled~~ ^{sampled} corners on Faith 10-25 But at 10-25

10-25 Chris and I ~~sampled~~ ^{sampled} Faith Three found Joe. Success claim ~~and~~ 11-2-87 Talked to Joe Swanson about, said he didn't find it. Claim in that area when he made his final check in Fair But he made another check last ^{year} and found it there. would go run it with me next spring.

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Doan
G. C.

June - July Stanley Creek Plant 1987

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5/29 moved cat in

6/1 started cutting trees; it took 7 days to cut tree and skid it to make room for final point of settle Pondex - finished final pond 6/8/87 called Heath and Welford to come O.K. it before could be used moved equipment in place 8-9th of June, and started to lay 2000 ft of Plastic Pipe line with 40 ft of 6" steel reduced down to two in" for 200 ft then 1 1/2 inch pipe for the rest of the way, from 10 to 13 1/2

worked on plant and made a quick trip to Boise for parts 6/14 to 6/17 cut and removed trees, from 17 to 6/20 Ran. and made changes and adjustments on Sluice Boxes.

6/21-6/22 Repaired and adjusted equipment, cut and removed trees

6-23 Ran Plant 20B. 6-24 went to Mining Association meeting

6-23 to 6-25 cut trees and removed

6-26 ran Concentrator Through Gold Screen Concentrate were taken from Sluice Boxes each day and put in barrels, The final gravel run was taken at the mouth end of old worked areas show good returns and good ~~returns~~ recovery.

As space allowed two more little ponds were build with rock dams in between each to fill out as much pine needles and roots as possible and settle out as much clay mud, These small ponds were cleared out last morning before starting Plant (Bucket balls, 2 1/2 ft. 190 in 2)

6-26 to 6-30 Ran) Brake the Hoister cat.

6-30 7-2 replaced cut on equipment change oil etc.

7-2 - 7-3 Ran) and started, move plant - Jeff Done came.

7-4 moved plant up higher and started cutting trees more 9 times to 7-6

7-7 Ran 20B. Nichols Land Dept. 40

7-8 Ran 30B. Mr. Seath and Tom mentioned from lunch came K. 4

7-9 Ran 30B. went to Chellis for Diesel oil. 6

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7-10 - Rained all day Ran 30 B. dug hole to set
Desical tank in with plastic liners.

7-11 Ran 20 B (Beckley) went to Ketchum in evening.

7-12 Ran 30 B

7-13 Forest Service inspected Plan for Kelly Creek 5 People.

7-14 Ran 30 buckets

7-15 Ran 28 B.

7-16 Ran 48 B from north west corner very little gold.

7-17 Rained hard all day.

7-18 Rained hard. went to Boise for pents gravel was
getting so muddy it wouldn't screen and good.

7-19 Returned from Boise skidder timber

7-20 went to Ketchum for more pents - called Rick.

7-21 Repaired E pump

7-22 Ran 15 B. Water very muddy not good Recovery, ^{H.} Cris come by.

7-23 Ran 31 B. cut timber, call S.M.P.A. about Bond is not
agreeable, want different wording, the Bank and the
S.M.P.A. Can't get to gather on letter of Credit, I put 100,000
Cash in Bank before I started working, they changed me
240,000 to write letter of Credit

7-25 Ran 20 buckets, 2 1/2 B. with equal

7-26 Ran 30 B. Ber, Mine people came. by wanted to
check on all mine workings in this area.

Cris and I went down in evening and started measuring Faith 8.

7-27 Ran 31 B. not good Recovery, clay would not break up
material to west

7-28 Re Ran 19 B. of wet and mixed 9 B of dry material from south
side of plant, Tom Mansley and Hydratist con

7-29 Ran 9 B. of old working went to Boise for supply

7-30 Returned to Claims

7-31 Ran 20 B. went to Ketchum ~~but~~ wrote S.M.P.A. with letter
they asked for in regard to making Test on Faith 7-8-9.
They returned letter of Credit again to Bank, wouldn't
accept it.

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in inch

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- 8-1 Changing pump from screening plant to Trommel
- 8-2 worked on changing Plant, just took vibrating screen out and set Trommel in its place still using Bath conveyors and hopper.
- 8-3 Ran 25 B. McMaster's from Heath and Wilfane inspected Pond and O.K. it 50 gals
- 8-4 Ran 28 B. went to base, broke Belts on Black Cylinder on Cat, 56 gals
- 8-5 Repaired Cat
- 8-6 Ran 17 B. of Reg. and Ran 15 B 64 gals
- 8-7 Ran 20 B 40 gals
- 8-8 Ran 18 B. 36 gals
- 8-9 Ran 24 B. 48 gals
- 8-10 Ran 28 B - cut trees, Ran concentrator very little gold came from North west corner of pond. About $\frac{1}{2}$ of an oz in over 200 gals. 56 gals
- 8-11 Pump broke down took to Ketchikan
- 8-12 Brought back another spent most of day installing it.
- 8-13 Rained all day needed more parts went back to Ketchikan, Received Permit to Test on 7, 8, 9 gals
- 8-14 got pump to working Ran 7 B. 1 gals
 Saw Barton from B.M.A. had to come out on approach Bona, so it didn't interfere with tests they were making in lower Stony Creek.
 Larry Dee from B.L.M. (Crown Gully) any of the prospects good for Patent should try and get him to make mineral test.
- 8-15 Ran 7 B Repaired Equipment, went after trees to Hunt sample from Faith 7-8-9 2
- 8-16 Ran 10 B, Eric helped in digging sample on Faith 7. Dug 4 test pits and sampled In am survey later only two were on Faith 7. Both conveyed Fair gold - some clay. MICROFILMED NOV 01 1994
- 8-17 Ran 22 B Dug another test hole to the far south end of Faith 7. There was gold in clay that wouldn't rise up. 4

- 8-18 Ben 10 B Repaired Equipment went to Kitchen for 20¢
 parts and Diesel oil, Had chain saw Repaired
- 8-19 Ben 12 B. from Mouth mat corner,
- 8-20 Ben 32 B cleaned up after 80 yd and only got $\frac{1}{4}$ of Gold. 65
- 8-21 Ben 18 B, cleared ~~port~~ changed Boop demo. (cleared ^{out} the Port
 Cris came out we moved Back home down to Faith 8.
 dug one hole on Mouth in up on Ben, Hit water
 at 5' dug on down to 9 ft brought sample $1\frac{1}{2}$ yds
 to run in concentrator, It had very fine gold not
 to rich.
- 8-22 Ben 7 B worked on Pump Port, another $1\frac{1}{2}$ " water 17
 line in to Trommel, (Pumped hard, - called Rick,
 talked Martin P. about giving us a just claim
 deed of any interest he had on any of the claims
 if we should go for patent, He indicated that
 he might.
- 8-23 Ben 50 B. clay very sticky - dug four test 40
 pits on Faith 8 as 9 in machine a long creek
 Good Gold values in each.
- 8-24 worked on changing Plant, went to Kitchen for more
 parts, tried to call Rick.
- 8-29 Ben 2 B for test needed more changes 10
 checked on corners on Faith 7, went to Ben for
 more parts
- 9-30 worked on Equipment
- 9-1 Ben 20 B.
- 9-2 Ben 22 B Rain is letting up after two weeks 56¢
- 9-3 Ben 25 B Jacamar left mat on door Cris went to 50¢
 Calif on Ficus
- 9-4
- 9-5 Ben 18 B mouth end mat wash gold. Went to Kitchen 3¢
 for wheels on Trommel. worked on Trommel
- 9-6 Can't run enough Gravel to make it pay
 old workings, Pine needles and pine roots
 get in Trommel screen and have to be cleaned
 out every little while or the clay goes right thru

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62.6 yd.
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9/7

Dug sample test hole at left upper end of meadow up creek from present workings, 9 ft deep to bed Rock with 6 ft of Gold bearing gravel. 394s ran through Trommel very good value estimated to run 8 to 10. ^{Barber}

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9/8

Left ^{Barber} ~~San Francisco~~ Mineral man from Forest Service, and Randy from S.N.R.A. Randy was happy with the way I started to Reclaim.

Went to Kelly Creek below pipe line near Road took 394 sample estimated it was $\frac{1}{24}$ oz, which is a good Run too more sample ^{was not} quite as good.

9/10

Went to Boise for new wheels the Trommel humms on and other parts.

9/11

Returned by Ketchikan to Pick up more parts.

9/12

Worked on Reclaiming mouth west corner of area while James Kelly was putting new wheels on Trommel. Ran 20 B. ⁴ worked more on Reclaiming.

9/13

Left ~~San Francisco~~ ^{Barber} Come by and helped with legals on Faith 7-8-9. He showed me in Kelly Creek where a very good sample was taken when making mineral report for Viola.

9/14

Ran 25 B. washed it out and found less than $\frac{1}{24}$ oz. 5 Did more Reclaiming - better Viola.

9/15

Ran 20 B. Dug test hole on M.E. corner 8 ft deep no gold. Took Pump to Ketchikan.

9/16

Returned. Reclaimed area cleared out upon Pond.

9/17

Ran 20 B. Reclaimed

9/18

Reclaimed area sent maps to Viola ^{on Faith 7-8-9} cut more trees on South East looking for better gr.

9/19

Ran 30 B. from South East. showing better results.

9/20

Ran 20 B. cut more timber. Shaded it out.

9/21

Ran 20 B. moved more extra equipment back to Ketchikan. Chris came by.

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- 9/22 Ben 10B. went to Forest Service meeting at W.S. (204)
Antony Milk office. went to Ketchikan after
- 9/23 went to Base for more points.
- 9/24 to B.H.M. It looks as though Joe Sawyer may be our
lap in on Faith 2.33 Got Fittings for Pump.
Viola called, I called her back about Segals on
Faith 7-8-9. Bought Antifreeze for
Engine and Freezer ^{hard every} night.
- 9/25 Returned to Ketchikan
- 9/26 Returned to claims Ben 11B. (2)
- 9/27 Put antifreeze in all Engine. About Boxes
Dug two Test holes in meadow up creek more in
~~center of valley~~ to meet to Hillman old pitish 7 ft at
top soil 4 ft of very good Gold Gravel some Clay.
second sample above old Creek channel 4 ft
very good Gold gravel.
- 9/29 Ben 28B. Reclaimed some water in Pipes (50)
would freeze up and would not thaw till about
11 or 12 o'clock in day.
- 9/30 Ben 20B. one Reclaiming, went to Ketchikan (40)
stopped at MRA check on what was to be done to
close up for winter, Got Viola letter with Segal.
Swetstone materials
- 10/1 Ben 30B Reclaimed (60)
run 6.50
- 10/2 Ben 5Gds from south side of unworked Box, Ben 10B
about 50-60-ft wide showed very good gold values.
Bandy from Forest land by end went over reclaiming
and gave me types of grass seed to use.
started to Dismantle and store Engine for
winter.
- 10/3 more Engine
- 10/4 more Reclaiming
- 10/5 from Maryland from Land Dep. Come by and
told me to make a couple more things on A.K. rest.

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- 10/6 Went Fishing.
- 10-7 Went to Beine all goodie for Grass seed.
- 10-8 Returned.
- 10/9 Put more equipment away.
- 10/10 Cris helped survey claims, Two 100 acre panels fell upon Hill no good.
- 10/11 Toap Beckhoe and bucket of Poits and set them on Faith 7-8-9
- 10/12 move Tractor house Horse to Ketchikan
Called Vicil wants to change Faith 7.
- 10-13 move Beckhoe to Ketchikan worked on legals
to change 3:40 acres panels on Faith 7.
- 10/14 Went back to Stony Creek and layed at
Faith 7 different one put in 10 corners
- 10/15 Finished up Repairs Panels and Putting equipment away. ^{and see}
- 11/16 Jeff Jones, Ronny and a sail men from Forest Service
inspected the Declaring looking all O.K. for winter.
- 10/17
- 10/18 Weighed samples from mechanics - about 7,25^g 4.
Cleaned up more sands and magnetic iron from
gold, total of Gold recovered this summer 12¹/₂ oz to 16³/₄
using 31 Grams per oz. Will have Cris go over it
with me when he comes over.
- 10/25 Jacarra help me measure and corners on Faith 1 and I
didn't find all the corners but put up snittle markers
on ones found. Rem eye of corner markers all under
some more. Chris had to go on a fix up trail over
- 10/30 Chris and I measured out Faith 3 corner found for sure
located on South East corner with claim called Kelly's
not.
- 11/2 Mike called. I told her Chris went over the mining
of gold taken from Stony Creek this year. We came u
with 469.18 Grams

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to pick up with end loader and run through plant, would fill the hopper on the plant, then it would take twenty minutes to run that, would give me time check water in boxes and the Panjox pump out of the settling pond, as the summer present the settling pond picked up a lot of pine needles and roots, all so become very thick much water which in turn made it hard to recover the very fine gold.

With ~~no way~~ way to change water in pond. When if this could be a leaching operation most of gold would be recovered. The S.M.B.A. would mean let it be leached there. All so if the pine needles or roots could be pushed out of way it would wash out better, I can see there was a lot of pine oil come from the roots and pine needles that would tend to float the fine gold or out in to the pond.

a lot of gravel would pile it up and let it dry some then rerun trying to get as much of the gold as possible. If just clean water could be used it would be much better recovery of gold.

Next year plan to run that area that wasn't worked in early days, then move to Kelly Creek, that don't have so many trees and more improved area.

The area in the middle of Creek, as for working would be very good, but could be won in late summer after water had gone down. Also would need new permits.

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Isa June & Ram	190 gds
Imb	918 gds
ang -	626 gds
best	650 gds
Total	<u>2384 gds</u>

Gold Recovered
469.18 Grams = 5.17 + pengal

12/23/87

Employees:

- 1) James Kelly - Tex -
- 2) Kyle ~~Robert~~ Graedem,
Gannett, Idaho
- 3) Chris Hooke, _____
- 4) Joanna Hughes _____
- 5) Angie Fairbanks

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Started out cutting trees and skidding them up on the meadow to the west, cut enough to give me enough room to make settling ponds and set plant, ~~up~~, put in a water line up the creek about 2000 ft to get the water to gravity flow, filled up the pond then started to run the screening plant. I had pushed the gravel from where the pond was made into a pile, ran the plant through plant, this was gravel that had been run before by the old timers located near east side of claim, and gravel from north side about half way up, was the best gold values found in the whole area, except the very last run, taken near last line that hadnt been completely run by the old timers was as good as the first run.

The gravel on the west side, the top Pond of it was dry as soon as small bed rock was out and with the rain would just plug up the screen.

would cut timber as I worked just ahead of operations, Of a morning before the sun would come up, would start first clean out the Pond from the day before run and return wash gravel to area to be reclaimed or stock pile it. would keep the plant running till dark would stop longer to clean out Shice Boxes and put in a bar to run through Concentator when there was no S.M.B.A. didn't want me to cut ahead of operation very far, the trees cut down the limbs cut off and piled, then then pushed out with Cat, and the Gravel pushed in P.

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Dear Viola!

Now 9 Toop Gold to Kimberly Idaho to Metals Research Corp. they wouldn't buy the gold, so went to Alpine assay had them run Finestest, Clayton Stewart was with me on this trip. Metal Research People were still taking gold to Idaho Precious Metals at 5120 antelope Drive in Boise Idaho said they were honest to deal with.

Had Metals Research weigh the gold come out at 15.23 oz. Will take it to Boise today and check with Idaho Precious Metals and if I sell will send you part as soon as they pay.

It is snowing now, (the Wild goose says go south Dec.)

Hope all is well with you.

Try to call but my phone has been out for a week

Best Regards

Geo.

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Ph: (415) 863-6137
August 3, 1993

Certified Mail (Return Card) P 871 378 130

Allen Merritt, P.E.
Water Rights Supervisor
Dept. of Water Resources
222 Shoshone Street, East
Twin Falls, Idaho 83301

RE: SRBA Claims A71-04054 Stanley Cree
A71-02056 Stanley Cree
A72-02074 Sawmill Gulch
& Spring Gulch

Dear Mr. Merritt:

Per your recent instructions and our telephone conversations, I am enclosing an Affidavit, executed this date, along with supporting evidence of water use relating to my unpatented claims on Kelly and Stanley Creeks in Custer County, Idaho, identified above.

The material has been organized in sections, which I hope will make reading and evaluating easier and less time-consuming and fit within your desired deadline. I think there is enough evidence to satisfy the requirements; but if not, please let me know and I will do more researching in my many files. Hence:

- .. A copy of the letter I mailed to Atty Ringer, Boise, because it indicates the materials I sent to him - and the copy serves to avoid a lot of repetition at this time.

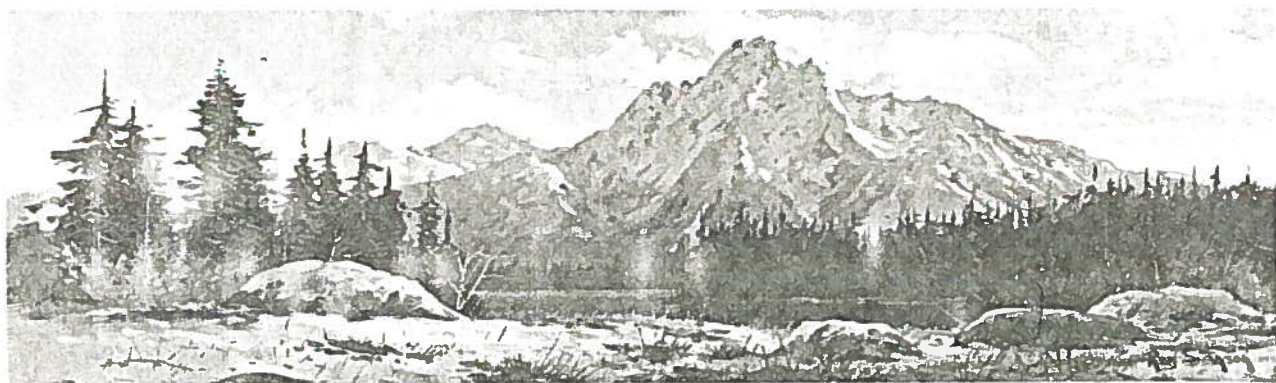
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- Copies of George C. Castle, Lessee, 1986- 1987 - showing his difficulty in obtaining the approval, later approval, operations/reports and royalty payment, etc.
Along with copies of the Amended Faith #6 and #10 that I executed in compliance with federal regulations, etc.
- Copies of 1988 operations and reports - George C. Castle Report covers Jun 1, 1988 - through September 10, 1988. *
- .. Reports involving Mr. Chris Hoosick's various years helping with assessment work and related, seeding, etc. with report information re hours worked, where, etc. 1986 - and other
- .. Letters re my relationship with the USFS and SNRA - and at times going to higher officials for assistance.
- .. A certified statement by Joanna (Hamm) Tugliesa, an employee for several years - assessment work and related - describing Pollock's location posts on my claims - trespassing. (Mr. Pollock is deceased.)
- .. A page of Contacts in the '80s - have more in my files and will supply later if desired. Page #2 of letter to Mr. Ringert names more recent promotional work and contacts
Excerpt fr. Bur. of Mines - 6/14/1991
- *Mr. Castle's (Lessee) reports are very lengthy, but I will send you copies if you desire - just enclosing here the page that shows final results and royalty payment. Other documents are in safe boxes and can be researched, if more is needed. I hope this has been prepared in proper order.

Very truly yours,
Viola C. Evans
(Mrs.) Viola C. Evans

Enclosures - various

1988



11/24/88

Dear Viola,

This wasn't a very good year for me
not quite as bad as last year, worked hard
but short on water and didn't have enough
rooms to make large settling ponds.

Lots of mud that would go in to ponds
and would settle in few days, but would
still plug up my pumps and I wouldn't get
Good Recovery, I about broke even on
my fuels and repairs, Had to put up about
\$6500, cash bench. Don't know if I can work
there next year or not, (see what comes)

Here is a copy of Mining Report for 1988
on Kelly Creek, if you can read it.

Also a copy of settlement of the gold claim
to make precious metals, it was ^{higher} gold 166
finer than on Kelly Creek
Enclosed is check for \$429.37 - 100%
net proceeds received - total yards run 2278
2x the like I only received \$189 per yard 2x

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The test that Ray Wallis ran on Field 7
for the S.N.R.A. the sample above the road
ran # 13 per yard, the one in middle of valley near creek
ran # 27 per yard, the one east side valley in bottom
land near Squash Cabin ran # 22 a yard
Ray said he would recommend it as a
valid claim to S.N.R.A.

J. C. Jackson and his wife were present
while Ray ran the samples.

I winterized my equipment and left it
in place at Kelly Creek.

Hope you are feeling better, don't take
any chances with the flu, I think
that's what took you.

Thank you for the note card letter.

Love Doc.

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P.S. George: All enclosing copy of Don Cutler's appointment as Dir. - your files. and a cc of a copy of a letter I received from SHRA - self-explanatory, also for your files, (re - your Bond, etc.)

Fox Plaza, Apt. 2028
1390 Market Street
San Francisco CA 94102
December 9, 1988

Mr. George C. Castle
Lessee
PO Box 3070
Ketchum, Idaho 83340

(Unsigned Check) →

Dear George:

Thank you for your thoughtful telephone call the other evening. My laryngitis condition is improving although I still cough some, and it makes me rather weak; however, I am sure I will be okay very soon.

As mentioned on the telephone tel am enclosing the following for your attention and return same to me for my files:

1. Your check (#3903) for your signature, please - and please correct the spelling of EVANS - you can change 'e' to an 'a' - and be sure you put your initials above it to make it okay for me to present to bank. Thank you.
2. Page #7 of your report is also enclosed, so that you can make it official by:
Signing it. Use full name - not just "George", please.
Dating it. Your letter was dated 11/24/88.

I am not being overly detail-concerned, but these are official documents, as we know, and it only prevents problems by being business-like about the details - okay? Thanks a lot. You know one reason I am careful to have records in proper order is because of the negative attitude of my sister, a Director. All the records and correspondence in my files reflect a business-like manner - "Dear _____", "Sincerely yours, or "Yours truly," etc.

How are you feeling now? I know you must have been under a great deal of tension, hurry, and stress - and then to have the shocking news of the passing of your Beloved Mother - just added to the situation. I do hope you are not working too hard and that each day makes it easier to adjust to the physical loss of your Mother, but that won't be easy. She was a wonderfully attractive person and I am so glad that I had an opportunity to meet her and know her - even though slightly. My sympathy enfolds you and the family.

Am enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope for your return of the above-mentioned documents - okay?

Thank you again for the Report - and I think you did a great job this year - and things will improve - less interruptions from others - and let's keep encouraged. Mother Nature will "calm down" one of these days - and the environmental conditions will be normal - making it easier next year.

Thanking you, my good friend,

Sincerely yours,

Viola C. Evans, Pres.
Weidman Faith Mining Co., Inc.

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Check for signature

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by 8 o'clock & ~~equipped~~ to Baine
not supply to Kelly Creek
Wind filled ponds with Pine
logged up my Pump screens
water very muddy.

Pipe froze up still noon
lines closed down for the year.

(See Lease file for

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Signed checks

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1988 REPORT by LESSEE

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let hauling & over equipment to B
Fuel and supply to Kelly Creek
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and Rained. Closed down P.

George,
Please.
sign &
return to
VCE -

do you
wish copy
of your
Report?

Submitted by:

George C. Castle
George C. Castle, Lessee

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Dated:

November 24, 1988

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ed to Viola C. Evans, Lessor
e of Faith Mining Claims, etc.

Report p.#7 was
rec'd on 12/28/88.
VCE.

1988

Viola C. Evans received a hand-written letter/report from George C. Castle, Lessee, dated 11/24/88, and is copied below - for more rapid reading, if desired:

"11/24/88

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"Dear Viola:

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Here is a copy of Mining Report for 1988 on Kelly Creek, If you can read it. also a copy of settlement of the gold sold to Idaho Precious Metals. It was higher grade (sic) Gold 669 finner (sic) than on Stanley/ Creek

Inclosed is Check for \$429.37 - 10% of Net Proceeds Received - Total yards run 2278 It looks like I only recovered \$1.89 per yard

The test that Ray Wallis ran on Faith #7 ^{over} for the SNRA., the sample above the road ran \$.13 per yard, the one in middle of valley near creek ran \$.27 per yard, the one east side valley in bottom land near Lynch Cabin ran \$.22 a yard Ray said he would recommend it as a valid claim to SNRA.

L.A. Jackson and his wife were present while Ray ran the samples.

I winterized my Equipment and left it in place at Kelly Creek.

Hope you are feeling better, don't take any chances with the flew (sic). I think that's what took Mom.

Thank you for nice Card - letter.

Love Geo. "

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Viola C. Evans received a hand-written report/letter from
George C. Castle, see, dated 7-9-87, postmarked 7/12/87 and is
copied below - for more rapid reading, if desired. It follows:

" 7-9-87 **RECEIVE**

"Dear Viola!

Receive your last Packet* of Claims and your letter
Thank you.

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Finally got pretty well set up and running.
The Health and Welfare haven't been up
to inspect Settling Ponds yet. But I called them
Said to go a head and start. Yesterday
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Idaho Falls and were here and inspected
my set up and were pleased, allso (sic) took
them to Kelly Creek Faith #4, showed
them my plant there, Took Monthia (spell?)
from the Clayton Ranger station over
there about a week ago. The Forest service
are Planning on making inspection next week
there.

(Note: In some
lines there
appear commas,
but a period
is meant, just
a slip of his
pen. vce)

J. Jones and Ranger from Stanly Station
were Here 7-6-87. They were satisfied
Just a few changes.

(p)

(Chris
Hoosick)

Chris Comes up quite often and helds,
he cut timber on the 5th of July he is very
good with the saw Cutting Timber.

Haven't seen Joanna, Soon as I get
a little time when Chris is off we will
start working on Faith 7 - 8 - 9 -- May have
to get another Permit to dig test holes.

Hope all is wel with you.

Best Regards Geo. "

*- Packet of Claims refers to the copies of LOcation Notices
(each claims' legal description) so that Mr. Castle
would have a ready supply, if needed, when he inspected
the Location Boxe on each claim - to save him time and
expense. vce)

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7-9-87

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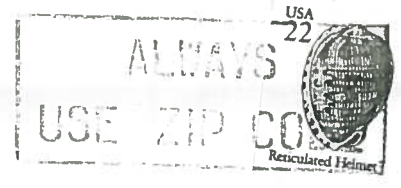
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Hope all is well with you.

Best Regards. Steve

Steve C. Scott
Box 3070
Ketchikan Id
99929



Viola Evans
Fox Plaza ap. 2028
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San Francisco Cal. 94104

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GENERAL

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF

SAN FRANCISCO } ss.

VIOLA C. EVANS aka VIOLA WEIDMAN EVANS

Being First Duly Sworn, deposes and says:

I, VIOLA C. EVANS, aka VIOLA WEIDMAN EVANS, having been duly sworn state that the documents attached are copies of originals that have been viewed by others.

Some of the materials are included to give insight into background, history and collaborating evidence in support of my claim.

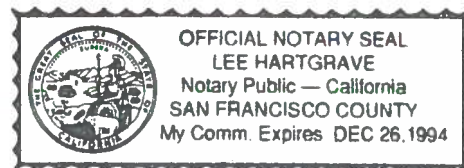
Supporting evidence to show "beneficial use" of the water over the years include names of employees, their reports of hours worked, places needing road improvement for access, ditch repair and cleaning out brush, fallen trees, replacement of location posts where cattle have cause them to fall down, reservoirs put in operational shape, etc.; including leases' information and relative reports and royalty payments where applicable, and other pertinent information, names of individuals/groups contacted by promotional letters with maps and supporting information. A professional person has viewed my office files, contents, and has seen originals of materials enclosed herewith, including past tax reports of income, and there is more evidence in safe boxes at my bank, if more is needed.

An effort has been made to supply this enclosed information to meet the deadline given to me, as I do not wish to ask for a post-ponement but cooperate to the best of my ability with the Water Resources Department.

Michael S. Keck
WITNESS

Michael S. Keck, Esq.
Fox Plaza - Suite 228
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94102
(415) 861-2267

Viola C. Evans
Viola C. Evans, aka Viola Weidman Evans



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd
day of August, 1993

Lee Hartgrave
Notary Public in and for said State.

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8/3/93: Note: DON CUTLER, Stanley, worked for VCE
yearly (except if claims under lease
from 19 doing backhoe work, and
related, to the present; is Repr. and
now Secy. of the Corp.- VCE

CE Mr. Allen Merritt
Fox Plaza, Apt. 2028
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 9410
Ph: (415) 863-6137

July 27, 1993

Mr. William F. Ringert
RINGERT & CLARK
Chartered Lawyers
P.O. Box #2773
Boise, Idaho 83701

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Department of Water Resources
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RE: Weidman Faith Mining Co.,
& Faiths, etc.
Stanley & Kelly Creeks
Data for Reports-Deadline

Dear Bill:

Relating to our telephone conversation yesterday, I am enclosing documents and zerox copies of information that supports the need to show "beneficial use" of the water during the last 10 years of the above-listed unpatented mining claims located on the Stanley and Kelly Creeks in Custer County, Idaho.

First, I wish to enclosed my executed two (2) application to receive "Exemption Forms" that apply to the final regulations for procedures for payment of the rental fees and filing the small-miners exemption from the rental fees...for your use in handling this important matter.

The 10-year period, embracing years 1984 thru 1988 and 1989 - 1993, is presented with the last five (5) years listed first. My files are filled with a great deal of supportive data, but due to the time-limits I have selected items which can readily be read and evaluated - in consideration of your busy schedule. Thus:

On 9/4/86 George C. Castle and I signed a Lease/With Option to/ involving all the cla
Leased renew from 9/4/87 - 9/4/89 and Option to Purchase. He
Both creeks operated during that period; renewal for part of period.
involved. Enclosed are confidential letters: "Statement and Recovery and
Settlement" dated 11/17/87 and Castle's letter of 12/4/87
reporting and royalty payment (copy of check #3482 for \$396.52).
Bur. Of Mines Report of 6/14/1991 describes the "current activity" and
Lease names both George Castle and Viola Evans in the report, copy of
which is enclosed. This involved Kelly Creek.

Note: George C. advised me by phone that he had already sent in information to the Water Resources Department (Allen Merritt) and a letter to me; however, I have not received his letter yet. (A new or substitute postal clerk here at Fox Plaza returns mail that does have the Apt. 2028 - as "insufficient address". I hope this has not happened and will yet arrive said letter; but in your report to the Water Dept.'s Mr. Merritt, please include this information from George Castle. vce

Bill:

Concerning "Beneficial Use" as used in the attached copy of No. 42-222 from PERMITS, CERTIFICATES AND LICENSES, page 51, (sent to me by Mr. Merritt and received on 7/24/93 - please see the portion Mr. Merritt (or somebody) cover with yellow pencil, and note wording towards bottom of page. You no doubt have a copy of this but am enclosing to save time - okay!

The term "beneficial use" would include the amount of work required to keep the claims in operational condition, e.g., access roads to sites, reservoirs, clean ditches, gravitational ditches, free from brush, fallen trees, junk left by tourists, and so on - all of which would entail the employment of people to carry out such tasks (assessment work) including seeding, beautification, - all to create a favorable condition for lease/s. I am presenting some information in brief to report my efforts during this period to lease/options, etc. I sincerely wished to find the proper and qualified person(s) with equipment, mining knowledge, finances, experience,
Continued on P.#2.

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Mr. William F. Ringert -2- VCE's Tues., July 27, 1993
Beneficial use of the water was made by: /Employees and Potential Lessees:

1986 Attached are pages reporting on agreement with
Larry Lawson (Atty. Snook's mining partner), who employed two men:
Albert Phillips and L.R. Ross, both of Clayton - copies showing
details and amount paid, etc. Lawson was President of the
Salmon River Gold & Copper, Inc. - (home in Elk, Wn. and in
charge of Atty. Snook's properties).

1986 .. CHRIS HOOSICK also did assessment work; his reports-hrs.etc.on fi

1973 & Martin Pollock was interested and proposed a deal, sending me a
1984 long lease/option in 1973, though ellegedly told others it was

8/3/93 Note: "mined out"; but in 1984, after unauthorized activity and lots
See attached of prospecting, he claim-jumped (trespassed on my placer
certified state-claims and located some lode claims). I researched his claims
ment by Joanna and have copies.

VCE went to Attorney Charles L. Roos, of Challis, Idaho to
re Pollock's file protest and Mr. Roos served as my attorney from 8/23/84 -
trespassing 9/8/84 when he wrote me that I "needed a mining attorney to
& location proceed with your case." (Paid atty Roos on 8/30/84 (ck#530.)
posts, 8/24/84 - Then found Atty. Ringert of Boise who wrote Pollock on 9/26/85.

8/20/84 Agreement with Gary T. Garner/(first contact in 1982) for Faiths
wanted a #1 - #5 and at that time Jess Elgan and Larry Stensaas were &
99-yr in with Mr. Garner. - did extensive sampling; also present at 7/2
lease!! 1982 "validation by USFS and SNRA." (Mr. Garner's son was killed
in March of 1984 - tragic.) Copy of their work- "Rough Map, 8/19/8
enclosed..

1990 -
6/25/91 Mr. R. Kirk Hansen and Mr. Arch Sherwood, Clayton, Idaho mailed
VCE Proposal, after previous contact in July, 1990. which was
mailed 5/20/91 (after sever phone calls when I asked for chance
to review and offer any changes) a complete formal document
ignoring my request, with other objective features, and so VCE
sent by certified mail my letter of 5/25/91, rejecting the proposi

6/22/90 Mike Ford, Spokane, WN, wrote of interest, had been recommended
Mr. L. to write by John L. Lawrence, United States Antimony Corp. of
wrote me Thompson Falls, Montana in 5/4/83. I replied with maps, etc.,
5/5/83.. and he intended to visit claims, but this was not finalized.

Also: A Mr. Darr during latter part of this 10-year period wrote
3./7/83 several times and planned trip, etc., but I at the moment have just
L.D.Ph. from/ uncovered his folder (among the several folders) and his call,
suggested by Mr. Mullins, formerly of Bur. of Mines, spoke of his
interest, and I suggested he send me a proposal and explained
the delay to reply to Mr. Mullin's ltr. due to a cold, but sent
a letter. His phone number was (208) 549-0710 at that time.

9/12/82 Kirk L. DuShane, Jr., Sun Valley, Idaho, had phoned me on 9/9/82
and I suggested he send me a proposal plan.

VCE's
Promotional letters mailed in 1984, per enclosed section, to: ret. 8/06/84
1) Coastal Mining Company, Salt Lake City, Utah mailed 10/1/84;
2) Union Carbide Exp. Corp., Reno, Nevada, (returned on 10/11/84;
3) Phelps Dodge Corporation, Salt Lake City, (ret. 10/5/84;
4) Marcona Corp., San Francisco, 10/2/84 (ret. "unable to forward")

Will close this as I want to get this into the mail today, Bill. Hope it
will be helpful; have more if desired.

Like an accountant, an attorney, doctor, etc., not acceptable to have
several different clients/patients/lessees all at same time when "operating
therefore, efforts to keep claims in favorable condition necessary to
promote the business potential - right?

3 Exempt Blessing you, my long-time friend and guide, I am *Viola L. Green*
Encl = 5 sections

Mining operation approved

Conditional approval has been granted for a proposed placer mining operation in the Sawtooth National Recreation Area (SNRA).

The operation was proposed last fall for a seven acre site in the Stanley Creek drainage north of Stanley by George Castle, according to a news release from the Sawtooth National Forest.

The SNRA recently completed its environmental analysis of the proposal and, according to SNRA Superintendent Al Ashton, Castle's operating plan will be approved with two stipulations.

"We will approve the operating plan and issue a letter of authorization as soon as two actions are accomplished," Ashton said, "Number one, we will survey the mining site to determine if there are any sensitive plants present. If any of these plants are found, a biological evaluation of the significance of the impact of the proposal on the species will be done before any excavation is allowed."

Ashton said that the second stipulation is that Castle must post a bond to cover the cost of reclaiming the site to a more natural condition, once mining operations are completed.

According to the news release, the mining activities should go on over a period of two years, with approximately an acre and a half at a time being worked.

The operation will involve the construction of a series of settling ponds that will measure about 100 feet square, the press release said. It also said that each pond will be reclaimed by contouring, spreading of topsoil and seeding before the next pond is built.

The settling ponds are a matter of some concern to conservationists, according to Rick Johnson, public lands coordinator for the Idaho Conservation League. He said the mining site's location on a tributary of the Salmon River is significant because of the drainage's importance as an anadromous fishery.

Johnson said that ICL

members did make comments on the Castle proposal during the public comment period prior to completion of the environmental assessment. While he admitted to a lack of enthusiasm about the project, Johnson said that the Mining Act of 1872 gives Castle the right to operate on public land and the ICL does not oppose the operation.

"We don't see any tremendously significant effects from this," Johnson said, adding that the group will be following the efforts of the Forest Service in this matter. The Forest Service has jurisdiction over the SNRA.

According to the Forest Service news release, a team of resource specialists from the forest service and other agencies have been involved in the environmental assessment. Based on their work and public comments, "There were no significant issues or concerns which could not be mitigated, nor substantial impairment of the values the SNRA was created to protect."

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Dear Mike:

After this winter when the Fall
Paper Sunday 9-1986

Hope we can get the upper claim straightened
out and if you want start a painted over
by cabins next year.

Hope you are feeling O.K. now.

Am just leaving to take a load
of things to Kington, need to make
two trips, will be back in a few days.

Best Regards

Geo

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Ketchum man desires mine inside the SNRA

By DAVE LEWIS
Times-News correspondent

STANLEY — A proposal from a Ketchum man for a placer mining operation on Stanley Creek has been received by the Sawtooth National Recreation Area.

George Castle of Ketchum proposes to mine about 10 acres on two mining claims about four miles up Stanley Creek from Highway 21 on the north end of the recreation area. The claims were mined in the 1800s.

The SNRA will do an environmental assessment on the proposal and is asking for any interested parties to respond to the proposal by Nov. 28. Copies of the proposal are available for review at the Forest Service office in Stanley and the SNRA headquarters office north of Ketchum, says Al Ashton,

superintendent of the recreation area.

The area Castle proposes to mine consists of a series of ditches up to 10 feet deep with intervening, unmined benches where early miners piled rocks from their work, says Jeff Jones, geologist for the SNRA.

Castle proposes to build a settling pond about 75 feet by 75 feet large near the southeastern corner of the area. Mining would take place immediately north of the pond, where processed material would be placed.

The mining operation would create a second pond, and as the first pond fills, the second pond would be used with others to follow as the mining proceeds. Jones says Castle proposes to reclaim each settling pond as it is filled.

The operation would use water

Mine

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from Stanley Creek to wash the rock. Although water would be recirculated to the creek from the pond, Jones says no process or settling pond water will be allowed to enter the creek. No mining will take place in the creek or a nearby meadow, he says.

Castle has told Forest Service officials that he plans to use a medium-sized bulldozer, small dragline and a backhoe with a loader bucket in the operation.

The two-man operation will last about two years and will process between 100 and 200 cubic yards of material each day, Castle says.

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Viola C. Evans
Fox Plaza, Apartment 1905
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, California 94102

Dear Viola:

Thank you for sending me a copy of your recent letter to the Supervisor of the Challis National Forest concerning your problems with the Forest Service.

So that the Forest Service might be aware of my interest in this matter, I have taken the liberty of forwarding your letter on to the appropriate Forest Service regional officials in Ogden, Utah. When I have received a report back from them, I will contact you again.

In the meantime, I hope all is well with you. I'm glad you got to spend some time in Idaho this Fall. I always feel soothed and healed upon returning to the Sawtooths, and I'm sure you do too.

Bethine joins me in sending best wishes for the Holiday Season,

Sincerely,



Frank Church

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VCE'S reporting
to higher
officials re
USFS and SNRA

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FOREST SERVICE
324 25th Street
Ogden, Utah 84401

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Senator Frank Church
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Church:

This is in response to your letter we received December 19, 1979, concerning Ms. Viola C. Evans' October 9, 1979, letter to Jack Bills, Forest Supervisor of the Challis National Forest. Ms. Evans is concerned about her unpatented placer and lode mining claims situated on Kelley and Stanley Creeks in Custer County, Idaho.

We are pleased to report that personnel from the Challis National Forest have already contacted Ms. Evans and have agreed to repair the ditch and place a culvert beneath the road so the water can flow from the reservoir site into the ditch system.

We have requested the Forest Supervisor to furnish us a report about the debris dump and the siphoning of water from Ms. Evans' reservoir. You will receive our further report when this information is received from the Forest Supervisor.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Sanders

VERA HAMRE
Regional Forester

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January 7, 1980

Viola C. Evans
Fox Plaza, Apartment 1905
1390 Market Street
San Francisco, California 94102

Dear Viola:

Enclosed is the response I have received from Vern Hamre, Regional Forester for the Forest Service in Ogden, Utah.

This is a positive response. I'm glad to learn that officials from the Challis National Forest have contacted you personally, and agreed to a course of action which will resolve many of your concerns. As you will note, a further report has been promised me about the remainder of the concerns which you raised. When I have that additional report in hand, I will pass it along to you.

With best wishes for the New Year,

Sincerely,


Frank Church

Enclosure

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**Succeeded Aug. 27, 1984 for. Atty Charles L. Roe
to share Faith #3. JH Initials the
changed VCE.*

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that I, Joanna Tugliesa, aka
Joanna Hamm, drove Mrs. Viola Weidman Evans, on
August 17, 1984, to her placer claim Faith #4, and we
took pictures of an upright post marked N.W. Cor. #2,
Kelly #3, with an arrow pointing 1500' towards Mrs. Evans'
main cabin, located on her Faith #2. **Faith #3*

Previously, on July 28, 1984, I saw Mr. Martin Pollock
on Faith #2 *Faith #3*
walking around inside the area/of Mrs. Evans' cabin, and
I reported this to Mrs. Evans when she telephoned me
from San Francisco on August 7, 1984.

For several years I have been employed (short terms)
to assist in the inspection and assessment work on
Mrs. Evans' Faith claims and am, therefore, familiar
with the area above-mentioned.

Mr. Chris Hoosick was with me on July 28, 1984,
as he was also assisting in the assessment work
for Mrs. Evans.

Joan Broderick
WITNESS

Joanna Tugliesa
JOANNA TUGLIESA, AKA
JOANNA HAMM

P.O. Box #3
Stanley, Idaho 83278

DATE: August 24, 1984.

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8/3/93 - Mr. Allen Merritt - re CONTACTS

Promotional letters/maps, etc., sent to the following individuals, if not handled by telephone, at various times/years. VCE

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OVER

SUMMARY - INQUIRIES/PROSPECTIVE
LESSEES/Etc

* (Some may have separate files/folders)

* 1980 - Met New Orleans Group -
Tom McDaniel, Les Anderson, Cort Knight,
Bobby Odem -

(corresp/negot - 1982)

* 1981 - Nugget Exploration Co., Inc.
Casper, Wyoming...

John MacGuire, Pres.
John Martin, Vice Pres, Manager
(corresp. 1982)
1/14/82 (via telephone:) *(file file)*
Jess B. Elgin - Clifton, Idaho

8/10/81 Gary Garner / Larry Stensaas
Allan H. Lippman, Jr. Ogden, Utah
W.R. Tollefson
(3/15/82 Surinder N. Tikoo - Tucson, Ar.
(resume - wanted job) Engr. *2*)

* 5/1982 Cliff Everett Dexter, Oregon
(thru Terry Lorenz)

5/1982 - Bill Bishop SF & Sun Valley, Idaho
(for friends of his)
* 5/5/82 - Ray Mullins Weiser, Idaho *12/1*
(long-time interest in Pr. #13)

*1982 - Donald Curran, a member
of group - (504) 943-8886
phoned me 7-26-82.*

* See file.

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the following individuals, if not handled

*7/23/82
Brief by Tom F.H. Leber
8230-12324 H.E.
Lake Stevens, Wash. 92258
8/10/82 - phone call
from Jack & Ann, Challis.
John Reid 8/14/82 →*

PHONE CALL &

Letter from KIRK L. DU SHANE, JR
SunValley, Idaho.

Bishop Job Service - Bgate of Cal.
re contact to recruit employees.

Contacts:

'83 Philip J. Rush - Amer. Copper & Nickel
Company, Inc.

who introduced:

'83 John C. Lawrence, Pres. United States
Antimony Corp, Introud. ltr. 5/14/83)
(VCE sent maps and Introud. ltr. 5/14/83)

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*from: U.S. Dept. of Interior Letters
Bureau of Mines
June 14, 1991*

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rare earths from these deposits is the presence of thorium in the monazite. Thorium is not in demand now, and the radioactive byproduct from rare earth extraction is a disposal problem (Hedrick, 1985).

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World and domestic demand for ilmenite, garnet, zircon and rare earths increased in 1987 and 1988, and is expected to increase through 1990. Demand for individual rare earths is expected to change at varying rates as a result of the wide variety of uses. The domestic and world demand pattern for rare earths continued to shift towards individual compounds and metals and special mixtures, and the capacities to separate and produce these products were increasing to meet the changing demand pattern.

Current activity

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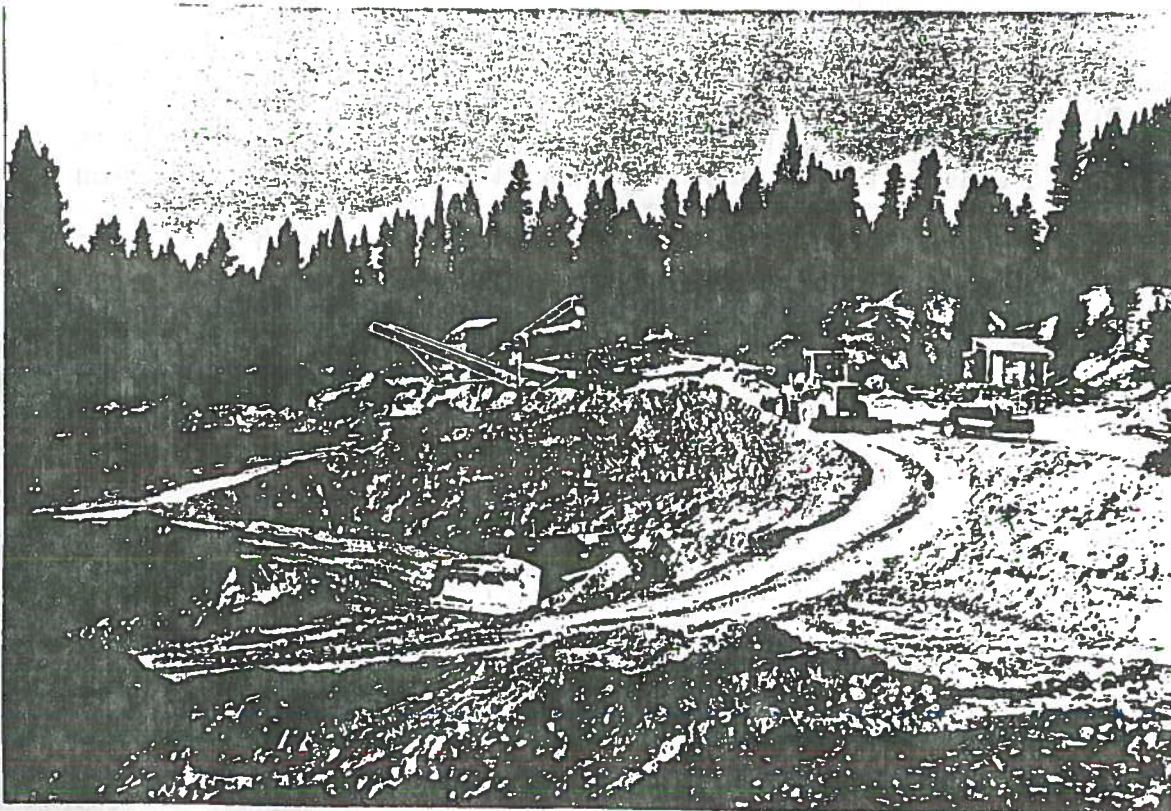


FIGURE 11.--Placer mining operation at the Weidman property (Pat. No. 4) near Kelly Creek (plate 1, No. 363).

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Table A-3. Minerals and prospects in the Yankee Fork Ranger District--Continued

Map No.	Name (Location) Owner/Operator	Geology	Workings and Production	Sample and Resource Data
363	Weidman placer (Faith # 4) (T11N, R13E, sec. 15) Viola Evans, George Castle	Placer ground lies on a wide pass between Kelly Creek and Doran Gulch. The average thickness of overburden is 10 ft. Bedrock is granitic rock which is deeply weathered and iron stained and locally silicified. Several porphyritic dikes cross the placer. Weidman stated that pay dirt started at 4.5 ft above bedrock and was richest in the lower 18 in (Choate, 1962, p. 110).	Placered ground is about 1,600 ft long by 400 ft wide. The ground was mostly worked in the 1930's with a giant and sluice box for gold recovery (Choate, 1962, p. 110). Viola Evans owns about 400 acres of placer claims. George Castle currently leases a small portion of the claim block and has a seasonal placer gold recovery operation. Overburden is removed with a bulldozer and placer material is fed to a 20 ton/hour maximum capacity wash plant with a front end loader. The plant consists of a spiral trommel, Wilfley table, and a final stage spiral concentrator.	Weidman could not estimate production and his only test of the material had a grade of \$1.63/yard ³ gold (Choate, 1962, p. 110). A 1.9 million yard ³ placer gravel resource was identified during a 1952 USBM drilling study. The gravel was estimated to contain 8.16 lb/yard ³ black sand. The black sand contains 4.92 lb/yard ³ ilmenite, 1.41 lb/yard ³ magnetite, 0.13 lb/yard ³ monazite, 0.03 lb/yard ³ garnet, and 0.01 lb/yard ³ zircon. Monazite from one churn drill sample was 4.94% ThO ₂ and 0.21% U ₃ O ₈ . A plan of operations for continued work was filed in 1987 (USFS, 1988).

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Production figures are not available. Mr. Castle indicated that he is interested in maintaining the long term lease agreement to continue operations and that testing indicates that there are resources to support many years of operation (USBM, 1988).

364 Sturkey placer
(T11N, R13E, sec. 15)

Placered ground, 420 ft in diameter, with depth to bedrock of about 15 ft, lies on the northwest side of Kelly Creek, 2.8 mi from the creek mouth. Placer ground was reported to contain 8.2 lb/yard³ black sands (Choate, 1962, p. 109).

Water for hydraulic operations was stored in an earth-fill reservoir. Water was supplied by 7.5 mi of hand dug ditches from Stanley and Sawmill Creeks. Overburden above pay dirt was removed by two giants; pay dirt was sluiced.

John Weidman, of Stanley, stated that Sturkey only used a rise of 0.5 in/ft for his sluice box; therefore, much of the gold was lost because of the heavy load of black sands (Choate, 1962, p. 109).

Notes
Silver 1/2 of US
Production

2) Antimony
3) Lead
4) Colcoast
5) Garnet
6) Phosphate Rock
7) Vanadium
8) Zinc
9) Mercury
(Cinnabar)
largest all kinds

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July 29, 1993

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Jeffrey R. Christenson
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Samuel Kaufman (1921-1986)

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Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

Mr. Allen D. Merritt, P.E.
Water Rights Supervisor
Southern Region
Department of Water Resources
222 Shoshone St. East
Twin Falls, ID 83301

Re: SRBA Claims A71-04054 Stanley Creek
 A71-02056 Stanley Creek
 A72-02074 Sawmill Gulch & Spring Gulch

Dear Mr. Merritt:

Mrs. Viola Evans of San Francisco, California, has retained my services to assist her in providing evidence in support of her Snake River Basin Adjudication claims which are listed above.

As a preliminary indication of recent use of the water, I am enclosing a copy of a letter written to Mrs. Evans by George C. Castle, regarding his operations of her mining claims in 1988. Attached to Mr. Castle's letter are two pages from a report by the Bureau of Mines, which refer to his operations and comment on the water situation.

This matter is, of course, influenced by the absence of water in the stream channels during the mining season during the recent drought years.

I am attempting to coordinate a field trip to investigate some SRBA claims for another client in the Stanley Basin, and a range investigation in the Challis area in connection with a pending BLM grazing appeal, and expect to be in the Stanley area some time during the month of August. I would like to meet on the ground with Mr. George Castle at that time and obtain from him the information necessary to prepare an affidavit to submit to your office, regarding his use of the water covered by Mrs. Evans' water rights.

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Mr. Allen D. Merritt
July 29, 1993
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I doubt very much that I will be able to schedule the trip and assemble the information within the 30 days allowed by your letter of 8 July 1993 to Mrs. Evans. Accordingly, I request an extension to September 8, 1993, for submitting evidence to your office in support of Mrs. Evans' SRBA claims A71-04054, A71-02056, and A72-02074.

Please advise.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "W. F. Ringert", with a stylized flourish at the end.

W. F. Ringert

WFR:am
Enclosures
cc: Viola Evans

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Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

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Dear Viola

am sending a copy of Prof of
use of water in Rights no. A71-04054
Stony Creek and A71-02-056 Stony Creek
and -A72-02074 Th the water
Resources in Twin Falls. I went to
the water Resources in Boise
yesterday. They said I would need
send the information to Twin Falls.

Here is a couple of pages from
pictures and Prof I went there in 1988
from Bureau of mines. M.L.A. 6-91

As of to day I haven't heard from
Mrs. Van Hooen.

I hope this information will help.
Love you and over your sbness

Best Regards

Geary C. Castle

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rare earths from these deposits is the presence of thorium in the monazite. Thorium is not in demand now, and the radioactive byproduct from rare earth extraction is a disposal problem (Hedrick, 1985).

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supply material to a 20-ton/hour capacity spiral trommel. A Wilfley table and mechanical gold screw are used for final gold separation. The operation uses water from holding ponds. Because no stream flow is available to recharge the ponds, years with little rainfall result in water capture insufficient to operate at design capacity. According to Mr. Castle, previous testing indicates the area currently being placered contains gold-bearing gravel which would support his operations for many years at the current rate of production.

About 2 miles south of the Castle operation, Mark Anderson is currently (1988) processing placer gravel from Joes Gulch (371). A tractor-loader supplies gravel to a wash plant which consists of a spiral trommel for rough concentration and a sluice for final separation and recovery. The operation relies on recirculated water from temporary holding ponds constructed in the bottom of the gulch. Water is hauled to the site because there is normally no surface flow in the gulch. Gold-bearing material remaining in Joes Gulch is sufficient to support only a small operation of the kind currently under way. Water limitations could force suspension of operations during periods of depressed gold prices.

Placer work at the New Deal and Square Deal property (459) on Jordan Creek continued in 1988. The owners of the recently patented property tested a small area with full scale operating equipment. A 1.5 yd³, track-mounted excavator supplied material to a 50-ton/day capacity wash plant. The operation relies on recirculated water supplied from Jordan Creek, which is a steady source of recharge for system water. The operators indicated that test results were encouraging, with recovery of coarse, angular gold up to 3/8 in. in diameter.

The New Deal and Square Deal patent owners also have claim interest along 2.5 mi of Jordan Creek at the Olga Marie (Moonbeam) (458), between the New Deal and Square Deal patents and the upper extension of the dredge tailings. The portable wash plant and excavator were moved to an area just above the dredge tailings for further testing and evaluation in 1988. Placer gravel along Jordan Creek could support small scale placer operations, using heavy equipment, for many years.

Since small quantities of gold can be sold at market prices, there is incentive for small scale operations. The economies of scale enjoyed by high capacity mines do not place competitive pressure on the small operator. The profitability of small scale placer operations is determined by the cost to produce each ounce and the market price for gold. During periods of high gold prices, significant levels of small scale and recreational placer mining is likely. The productive history and accessibility of streams in the areas north of Stanley and Sunbeam will likely attract many small scale operators to these areas. Operations which can sustain themselves on impounded and recirculated

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Reservoir on
Spring Gulch.

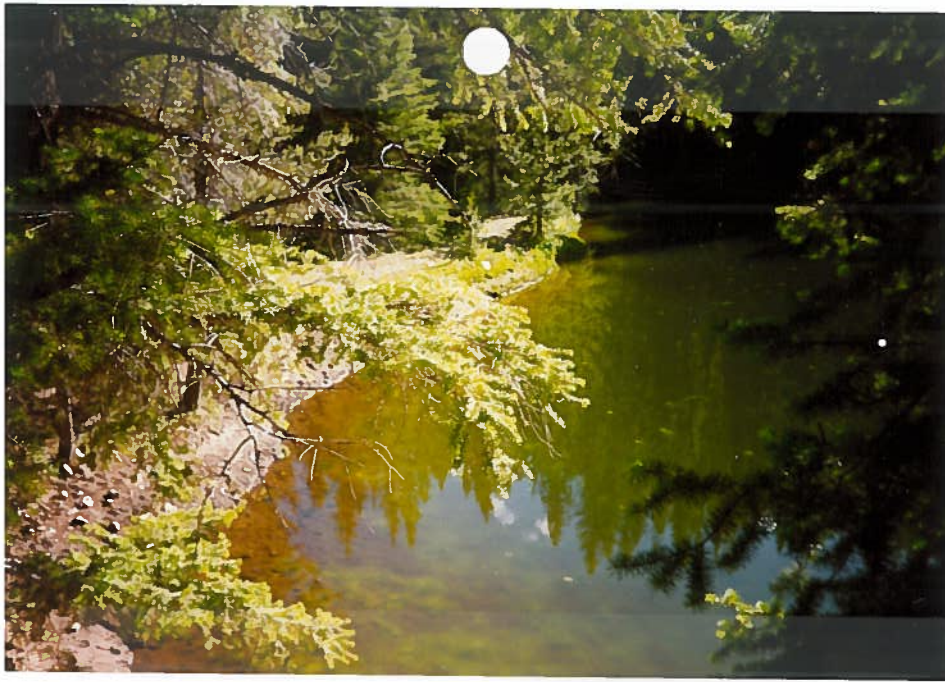
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old pipe at
toe of dam.

Pipe from reservoir.
Note pipe not
connected to old
miner's cabin.

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Reservoir in
Sawmill CK.



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Div. from Sawmill ck.
to ditch



Without 2 few hundred
feet below reservoir.

Appears ditch not used
for many years



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Flume over old
washout in
Sawmill CK.

Appears not used
for many years.



Ditch on side hill
in Sawmill CK,
going towards
Spring Gulch
drainage.

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Ditch from Sawmill
CK in Spring Gulch
drainage

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Southern Region, 222 Shoshone St. East, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301 (208) 736-3033

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R. KEITH HIGGINSON
Director

22-Jul-1993 13:11

Viola Evans
Fox Plaza, Apt. 2028
1390 Market St.
San Francisco, CA 94102

RE: SRBA Claims A71-04054 Stanley Creek
A71-02056 Stanley Creek
A72-02074 Sawmill Gulch & Spring Gulch

Dear Ms. Evans:

Thank you for your phone call this morning. Since our discussion I have attempted to contact George Castle at the phone number you gave me but nobody answers. (208-888-0857) I will try again but please understand that your burden is still to provide me evidence of the continued water use for the above referenced claims as I have requested in my letter to you dated July 8, 1993. You are requested to do so as soon as you are able given that I must draft my recommendation within the next few months.

As we discussed and as my earlier letter indicates the particular question IDWR has regarding your claims is whether or not the water uses have been forfeited under Idaho State Law. **As you requested please find enclosed Section 42-222 of the IDAHO CODE which describes how a water right can be forfeited.** Based on my field visit and subsequent discussions with those individuals of which we spoke that indicate there may have been extended periods of over five years in which the water has not been used for the purposes you have claimed, I am presently inclined to believe that the rights have been forfeited. However, before I finalize such a recommendation I again would give you the opportunity to provide evidence to persuade IDWR that over the last ten years there has **not** been a consecutive period of five years in which water was not beneficially used.

Assuming you can provide IDWR evidence that the rights have not been forfeited the next question will be to what extent has the water been used. This will require that you provide evidence so that IDWR can quantify the use. (Diversion amounts, days of operation, ect.) As you know the water is presently not used so IDWR cannot measure what is diverted and observe the extent of the use. IDWR may need to rely on the evidence you provide to make these determinations. It will be to your advantage to provide as clear and convincing evidence as possible so it can stand up in court.

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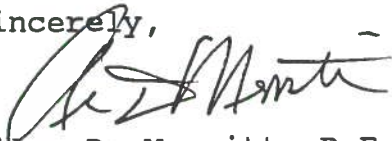
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In our phone conversation you commented that my earlier letter seemed somewhat adversarial. As we discussed the Snake River Basin Adjudication is a court case to determine the water rights in the basin and you are a party in the lawsuit. It is IDWR's responsibility to review the claims you have filed and prepare a recommendation to the court as to the extent of your existing uses. Once IDWR has drafted our recommendation you will have the opportunity to review it and comment in what is known as the "Notice of Error" procedure. This is a process in which clerical errors can be corrected. After that the IDWR files its recommendations with the court in what is known as the "Director's Report". Once it is in the court there can be further objections, trials, etc. Ultimately the court will decree the water right. As can well be expected in some situations this process can be viewed as adversarial. To protect your interests you may wish to consult an attorney. Please find enclosed a brochure and a copy of the court's recent rules of procedure which may be beneficial for you and your attorney to review.

I wish you well in your effort to collect the evidence I have requested. If you have questions please let us know.

Sincerely,



Allen D. Merritt, P.E.
Water Rights Supervisor

Encl:

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Water Right Number - R72-02074

Prefix Translation:

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Old (D) Number -

*** C - CURRENT OWNER ***
EVANS

VIOLA WEIDMAN

1 - AKA VIOLA C. EVANS
2 - FOX PLAZA, APT. 2028
3 - 1390 MARKET STREET
City- SAN FRANCISCO
Phone - 415-863-6137

State- CA Zip- 94102

*** O - ORIGINAL OWNER ***
WEIDMAN

JOHN

1 -
2 -
3 -
City- STANLEY
Phone - 208-000-0000

State- ID Zip- X

+ - - Priority Date - - +
07/30/1931

+ - - Region - - +
17 SOUTHERN

+ - - Stage - - +

+ - - Status - - +
I - DISALLOWED

Source - - - - -
SAMMILL GULCH
SPRING GULCH

+ - - Tributary - - - - -
KELLY CREEK
KELLY CREEK

Twn	Rng	Sec	Tract	Lot	Rflg	County	Point of Diversion
11N	13E	10	SE NE			(37) CUSTER	
		15	NE NW			(37) CUSTER	

Code	Description	Period From	Period To	Water Use	Diversion Rate	Diversion Volume
13 - MINING		01/01	12/31		2.000	

+ - Total Div. Rate - + - Total Div. Volume - + - Total Consumptive Use - + - KW Usage - +
2.000 0.0

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11N	13E	15	SW SE			13 MINING	(37) CUSTER	
11N	13E	15	SE SE			13 MINING	(37) CUSTER	
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11N	13E	22	NE NW			13 MINING	(37) CUSTER	

Total Acres:

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Prof. Dr. Translation: RESEARCH

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Date: 01/08/1993 User ID: MERN111 Subject: FIELD REVIEW & RECOMMENDATION FOR DISALLOW
ON 6/28/93 I VISITED THE SITE OF THIS CLAIM AND THE OTHERS IN STANLEY CREEK. I OBSERVED THAT THERE WAS NO PRESENT MINING
ACTIVITY IN THE AREA AND THAT THE OLD MINING WORKS WERE IN A STATE OF DISPAIR. THE RESERVOIR INWHICH THE DIVERSIONS FOR
BUT IN MY DISCUSSIONS WITH LOCALS AND SNRA PERSONNEL I GOT AN INDICATION THAT ACTIVE MINING IN THE AREA HAD NOT OCCURED FOR
MORE THAN 30 YEARS. (SEE MEMO 7/8/93). I RECOMMEND THIS RIGHT BE DISALLOWED UNLESS THE CLAIMANT PROVIDES EVIDENCE OF USE OVER
THE LAST TEN YEARS AS MY LETTER THIS DATE INDICATES.

Adjudication Rights Dates and Flags Area

Court Report Filing	-	00/00/0000	Field Inspection Made	-	06/28/1993	Civil Case Number	-	39576
Objection Filed Date	-	00/00/0000	Field Inspection Flag	-		Old Case Number	-	
Response Filed Date	-	00/00/0000	Verified Date	-	07/08/1993	Old Judicial District	-	
Claim Received Date	-	01/22/1990	Last Amended Date	-	00/00/0000	Temporary Right	-	P
			Receipt Number	-	S011035	Water District	-	
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			Name Connector	-		Presumption Flag	-	C
				-		Notice of Error Flag	-	

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08-Jul-1993 12:43

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San Francisco, CA 94102

RE: SRBA Claims A71-04054 Stanley Creek
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Dear Ms. Evans:

I am responsible for the field review of your above referenced Snake River Basin Adjudication Claims and for the preparation of the Director's Recommendation to the court for these same claims. On June 28, 1993 I was in the Stanley area and had time to field visit the old mining developments in the Stanley Creek and Kelly Creek drainages where your SRBA claims are located.

As part of my review I must evaluate your claims with regard to the issue of forfeiture. As you may know in Idaho to hold a water right one must continue to put the water to beneficial use. If the water is not used for an extended period of time (normally five years) the water right may be lost due to forfeiture. Based on my observations and discussions with individuals who live in the area and who have worked in the area for the Forest Service I have concluded that the water uses you have claimed have not been used for many years.

Before I draft my recommendation that your claims be disallowed I would like to afford you the opportunity to supply me evidence as to the extent of the water use within the last ten years. If you have persuasive evidence of actual use of the water please submit this to my office within the next 30 days. Also, if you feel it would be beneficial, I would be willing to meet with you or your representative at the site of the water diversions to discuss what water has been used over the last ten years. If I do not hear from you or you cannot show that there has been continued beneficial use of the water I will be forced to recommend your claims be disallowed.

If you have questions please feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,


Allen D. Merritt, P.E.
Water Rights Supervisor

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ON 6/28/93 I VISITED THE SITE AND FOUND THAT OLD DITCHES FROM PAST FOR HYDROLIC MINING OF THE AREA. IT WAS EVIDENT THAT THIS DITCHES WERE WASHED OUT AND NOT MAINTAINED. ON 7/8/93 A LETTER THE WATER OVER THE LAST 10 YEARS. ON THE DAY OF THE FIELD REVIEW IN THE AREA AND I ASKED IF HE KNEW OF ANY USE OF THE WATER FOR FOR THIRTY YEARS AND SAID THAT DURING THAT PERIOD TO HIS PIERO PIVA, A LOCAL RANCHER AND HE SAID THAT THE OLD MINING DRAINAGES FOR AT LEAST 30 YEARS. ON 7/6/93 ON RETURN TO THE THAT ACTIVE MINING OF THE CLAIMS HAD NOT OCCURED IN THE LAST 2 I PHONED MR. JONES AND HE INDICATED BASED ON HIS OBSERVATIONS AT LEAST 30 YEARS. HE INDICATED THAT MAYBE OCCASIONALLY THERE OF WATER HAS OCCURED.

STANLEY CREEK AND A TRIB TO STANLEY CREEK HAD BEEN USED IN THE USE WAS A LONG TIME IN THE PAST AND IT WAS OBSERVED THAT THE WAS WRITTEN TO MS EVANS TO SEE IF SHE COULD DOCUMENT THE USE OF I TALKED TO MIKE MCGOWEN, A LOCAL. HE WAS DOING SOME HIKING, ECT MINING IN THE AREA. HE INDICATED THAT HE HAD LIVE IN THE AREA KNOWLEDGE THE WATER HAD NOT BEEN USED. ON 6/29/93 I TALKED WITH CLAIMS HAD NOT BEEN ACTIVE IN THE STANLEY CREEK AND KELLY CREEK OFFICE I TALKED WITH RAY NEIWERT OF THE SNRA AND HE INDICATED YEARS BUT HE ASKED THAT I CONTACT JEFF JONES, RETIRED SNRA. THAT THE MINING AND USE OF THE WATER HAD NOT BEEN ACTIVE FOR MAY BE SOME PANNING FOR ASSESSMENT WORK BUT NO SUBSTANCIAL USE

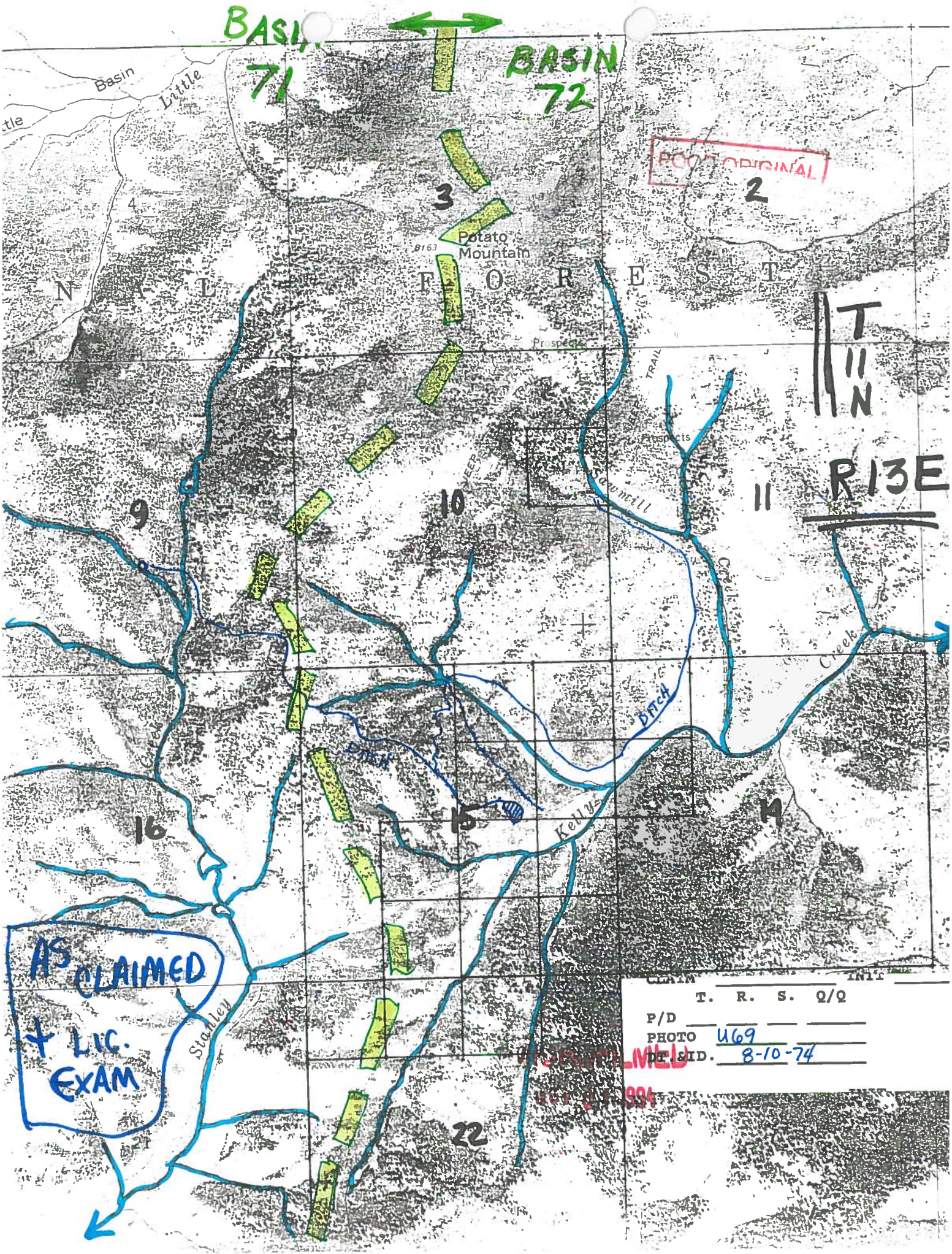
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BASIN
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BASIN
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Potato Mountain

N E L F O R E S T

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RISE

AS CLAIMED

LIC. EXAM

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
ADJUDICATION CLAIM VERIFICATION REPORT

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GENERAL INFORMATION

CLAIM NUMBER: A72-02074

LAST: EVANS
ADDRESS: AKA VIOLA C. EVANS
FOX PLAZA, APT. 2028
1390 MARKET STREET
CITY: SAN FRANCISCO
PHONE NUMBER: 415-863-6137

FIRST: VIOLA WEIDMAN

STATE: CA ZIP: 94102

OWNER CODE: C

ST: WEIDMAN
ADDRESS: STANLEY
CITY: STANLEY
PHONE NUMBER: 208-000-0000

FIRST: JOHN
STATE: ID ZIP: X

OWNER CODE: 0

FIELD EXAM REQUIRED?

FIELD
EXAMINER

VERIFICATION REQUIRED DUE TO REMARKS?

DATABASE
Y

CLAIM REMARKS: SEE ATTACHED MAP FOR ORIGINAL P/U.
REDUCED ORIGINAL CES FROM 4.0 TO 2.0.

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CONTACT PERSON:

DATE OF FIELD EXAM: 6/25/93

ACCOMPANIED BY:

RELATIONSHIP TO CLAIMANT:

DIRECTIONS TO PROPERTY / REMARKS:

PHONE NUMBER: () -

APPOINTMENT MADE: Y() N() TIME: : A() P()

PHONE NUMBER: () -

Use appears to be forfeited.
Reservoir pipes observed to be
disconnected & no mixing, use
observed. Conversations with locals
indicated no mixing for many
years. (see memo 7/8/93).

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A. AJ CLAIM: # A72-02074 PRIORITY DATE: 07-30-1931 STAGE: L
B. WR RECORD: # 72-02074 PRIORITY DATE: 07-30-1931 STAGE: L
C. FIELD EXAM REQUIRED? FIELD EXAMINER
DUE TO PRIORITY DATE DISCREPANCY? (Y/N) DATAEASE N

ARE THERE OBVIOUS REASONS TO QUESTION THE PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED? Y() N()
IF YES EXPLAIN.

REMARKS:

Forfeited

RECOMMENDED PRIORITY DATE:

07-30-1931

REVIEWED BY

Adm

DATE

7/8/93

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A. AJ CLAIM POINT OF DIVERSION AND SOURCE:

RIGHT	TWP.	RGE.	SEC.	1/4	1/4	1/4	LOT	CNTY
A72-02074	11N	13E	10	SE	NE			CUSTER
A72-02074	11N	13E	15	NE	NW			CUSTER
OTHER AJ CLAIMS WITH SAME AJ POD A PREFIX R PREFIX NONE NONE								
WR RECORDS IN SAME 40 ACRE TRACT								

SOURCE: SAWMILL GULCH
SPRING GULCH

TRIB: KELLY CREEK
KELLY CREEK

B. WR POINT OF DIVERSION AND SOURCE:

RIGHT	TWP.	RGE.	SEC.	1/4	1/4	1/4	LOT	CNTY
72-02074	11N	13E	10	SE	NE			CUSTER
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OTHER WR RECORDS WITH SAME WR POD NONE NONE								
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SOURCE: SAWMILL GULCH
SPRING GULCH

TRIB: KELLY CREEK
KELLY CREEK

C. FIELD EXAM REQUIRED?

DUE TO POD DISCREPANCY?	(Y/N)	DATABASE	FIELD EXAMINER
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REMARKS:

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A. ROOT WATER RIGHT NUMBERS: A72-02074
B. FOU LISTING

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11N	13E	15	NE	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A72-02074	/				
			NE	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-02056	/				
			NE	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-04054	/				
11N	13E	15	NE	SE		POLLOCK, MARTIN W.		72-07379	/			
			NE	SE								
			NE	SE								
11N	13E	15	NW	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A72-02074	/				
			NW	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-02056	/				
			NW	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-04054	/				
11N	13E	15	NW	SE		POLLOCK, MARTIN W.		72-07379	/			
			NW	SE								
			NW	SE								
11N	13E	15	SW	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A72-02074	/				
			SW	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-02056	/				
			SW	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-04054	/				
11N	13E	15	SW	SE		POLLOCK, MARTIN W.		72-07379	/			
			SW	SE								
			SW	SE								
11N	13E	15	SE	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A72-02074	/				
			SE	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-02056	/				
			SE	SE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-04054	/				
11N	13E	15	SE	SE		POLLOCK, MARTIN W.		72-07379	/			
			SE	SE								
			SE	SE								
11N	13E	22	NW	NE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A72-02074	/				
			NW	NE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-02056	/				
			NW	NE		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-04054	/				
11N	13E	22	NW	NE		POLLOCK, MARTIN W.		72-07379	/			
			NW	NE								
			NW	NE								
11N	13E	22	NE	NW		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A72-02074	/				
			NE	NW		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-02056	/				
			NE	NW		EVANS, VIOLA WEIDMAN	A71-04054	/				
11N	13E	22	NE	NW		BARNES, WILLIAM P.		72-07411	/			
			NE	NW								
			NE	NW								

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ARE IRRIGATED ACRES FOUND IN TRACTS OTHER THAN INDICATED ABOVE, Y() N()
IF YES SEE ATTACHED SHEET:

C. FIELD EXAM REQUIRED? FIELD EXAMINER POU COUNTY: CUSTER
DATABASE Y

DUE TO POU DISCREPANCY? (Y/N)

PRESUMPTION FLAG: C

REMARKS:

RECOMMENDATIONS:

TOTAL ACRES:

REVIEWED BY:

DATE:

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A. AJ CLAIMED USES:

PURPOSES, A72-02074 MINING	FROM	MONTH/DAY 01-01 TO 12-31	DIVERSION QUANTITY 2,000 CFS
TOTAL DIVERSION RATE/VOLUME CLAIMED			2,000 CFS

B. WR RECORDED USES:

PURPOSES, 72-02074 MINING	FROM	MONTH/DAY TO	DIVERSION QUANTITY 4,000 CFS
TOTAL DIVERSION RATE/VOLUME CLAIMED			4,000 CFS

SUMPTION FLAG: C

C. FIELD EXAM REQUIRED?

	FIELD EXAMINER	DATABASE
DUE TO WATER-USE DISCREPANCY?		N
DUE TO DIVERSION RATE DISCREPANCY?		Y
DUE TO PERIOD FROM/TO DISCREPANCY?		Y

D. PERIOD OF USE:

RECOMMEND AS CLAIMED?	Y() N()
RECOMMEND TO WR STANDARDS OR OTHER?	Y() N() Explain in remarks, below.

REMARKS:

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A. DOES DIVERSION RATE CLAIMED AGREE WITH EXISTING RECORDS?

Y() N(☒)

AJ TOTAL CLAIMED DIVERSION RATE: 2.000 CFS

WR ROOT RIGHT TOTAL DIVERSION RATE: 4.000 CFS

*** IF NO or IF STATUTORY CLAIM or BENEFICIAL USE then flow measurement required. ***

AA If an amount smaller than the original diversion rate is **

AA claimed and an exam is NOT required, explain in remarks. **

FLOW MEASUREMENT REQUIRED?

FIELD EXAMINER DATABASE EXAMINER

Y Y ☒

DUE TO STAGE OR DIVERSION RATE DISCREPANCY? (Y/N)

FLOW MEASUREMENT

MEASUREMENT METHOD SEE ATTACHED CALCULATIONS.

C. ARE OTHER WATER RIGHTS USED? ☒ (Y) N() IF YES COMPLETE OVERLAP REVIEW.

OTHER RIGHTS LISTED IN CLAIM: A71-02056, A71-04054

NOTE: OTHER BASIN WRS

NO CLAIMS FOUND WITH SAME FOU AND IRRIGATION USAGE

LIST ALL RIGHTS WITH SAME FOU BUT NOT USED FOR IRRIGATION.

CLAIM NO.	PURPOSES	NAME	MONTH/DAY	RATE	VOLUME
A71-02056	MINING	EVANS , VIOLA WEIDMAN	FROM 01-01 TO 12-31	2.000 CFS	

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B.

RATE/VOLUME CALCULATIONS: (IRRIGATION)

1b. CALCULATIONS

1a. IRRIGATION RATE

ACRES

x 0.02 CFS/ACRE =

CFS

(Taken from p/u review)

DOES AMOUNT CLAIMED EXCEED 0.02 CFS/ACRE?

Y() N()

*** IF YES ADDITIONAL WATER USE FORM FILED AND ATTACHED? Y() N() ***

2. IRRIGATION CONSUMPTIVE USE

CLAIMED CONSUMPTIVE USE =

AE/A

ACRES x CONSUMPTIVE VOL. AE/A FOR AREA =

TOTAL CONSUMPTIVE USE

AE/A

3. IRRIGATION DIVERSION VOLUME

CLAIMED DIVERSION VOLUME =

AE/A

ACRES x DIVERSION VOL. AE/A FOR AREA =

TOTAL DIVERSION VOLUME

AE/A

4. CALCULATIONS FOR USES OTHER THAN IRRIGATION:

SEE ATTACHED SHEET? Y() N()

REMARKS: (Include limitations on CONSUMPTIVE USE for combined rights.)

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RECOMMENDATIONS:

REC. PURPOSES	REC. PERIOD FROM TO	REC. DIV RATE CES	REC. DIV VOL. AE/A	REC. CONS. USE
MINING	01-01 12-31	DATABASE EXAMINER 2.000	DATABASE EXAMINER	DATABASE EXAMINER 0.0
TOTAL FOR THIS RIGHT		2.000		0.0

REVIEWED BY: DATE:

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A. CHECK ONLY THE FOLLOWING THAT APPLY:

OWNERSHIP
FORFEIT/ABANDON
ADDITIONAL DIV. AMOUNT

ACCEPTED
AS CLAIMED
()
()
()

NEEDS
REVIEW
()
()
()

*Appears to be forfeited.
(see memo 7/8/93)*

B. SPLIT WATER RIGHT REVIEW

ROOT WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 72-02074

TOTAL DIVERSION RATE OF WR SPLITS

DATABASE
4.000

EXAMINER

CES

SPLITS:

OLD RIGHT
NUMBERS

CURRENT
CLAIM NUMBERS

DIVERSION
RATE

CURRENT "R"
CLAIM NUM.

"R" DIV.
RATE

WR RIGHT
NUMBERS

DIVERSION
RATE

A72-02074

2.000

72-02074

4.000

TOTAL CES

2.000

4.000

DIVERSION RATE REVIEW

FIELD
EXAMINER

DATABASE
N

DO THE SUM CES RATE OF THE SPLITS EQUAL THE ROOT RIGHT CES RATE? (Y/N)
IF NO, is the written review sheet attached? (Y/N)

REMARKS:

*Recommends disallow unless
client provides water use verification
of continued use over last ten years.*

AUTHENTICATION:

SIGNATURE:

NAME OF FIELD EXAMINER:

[Signature]

DATE:

TITLE:

7/8/93

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
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PROFILE REPORT

CLAIM NUMBER: A72-02074

OWNER CODE	NAME & ADDRESS	PRIORITY DATE	WATER USE	USE PERIOD FROM TO	DIVERSION RATE	DIVERSION VOLUME
C	VIOLA WEIDMAN EVANS AKA VIOLA C. EVANS FOX PLAZA, APT. 202B 1390 MARKET STREET SAN FRANCISCO CA 94102 (415) 863-6137	07/30/1931	MINING	01-01 12-31	2.00 CFS	
				TOTAL DIVERSION:		
				2.00 CFS		

Water Source: SAWMILL GULCH
SPRING GULCH

Tributary to: KELLY CREEK
KELLY CREEK

Stage: LICENSE

Point(s) of Diversion: T11N R13E S10 S15

CUSTER County
CUSTER County

Place of use Legal Description for: MINING

		NE		NW		SW		SE	
T	R S	NENE	NWNE	SWNE	SENE	NENW	NWNW	SWNW	SESW
		Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac
11N 13E 14	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
11N 13E 15	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
11N 13E 22	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

POU County: CUSTER

Non-Irrigation Uses: X/PLACER MINING

Other Rights: A71-02056, A71-04054

Non-Irrigation Use: X/PLACER MINING

Remarks: SEE ATTACHED MAP FOR ORIGINAL P/U.
REDUCED ORIGINAL CFS FROM 4.0 TO 2.0.

Dates: Exam Made Date: Verified Date: 02/11/1985

Misc: Water District Number: Field Inspection Flag: C
Presumption Flag:

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
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QUICKLOOK INFORMATION

CLAIM NUMBER: A72-02074

WR ELEMENT	FIELD EXAM Y/N	CORRESPONDENCE SENT/RECEIVED BY WHOM/DATE	FIELD EXAM BY WHOM/DATE	CHANGE CLAIM Y/N	VERIFIED BY CODE	COMPLETED REVIEW WHOM/DATE	COMPLETED DATA ENTRY WHOM/DATE	VERIFIED DATE WHOM/DATE
PRIORITY DATE	N		AD 6/28/93				AD 7/8/93	
POINT OF DIV	(Y)							
SOURCE	(Y)							
AGE OF USE	(Y)							
DIV. AMOUNT CFS/VOLUME	(Y)				Dis 2/1/92			
CONSUMPTIVE USE	-							
PURPOSES								
PERIOD OF USE	Y							
BASIS OF CLAIM	Y							
REMARKS	Y							

"VERIFIED BY" CODES

TOPO MAP/ORTHO-PQ = 1
ASCS MAP = 2
WATERMASTER RECORDS = 3
NAPP PHOTOS = 4
FIELD EXAM = 5
OTHER (SEE REMARKS) = 6

SP 4-93
2-4-92

THESE CODES ARE USED TO INDICATE HOW THE FIELD EXAMINER VERIFIED THE INFORMATION
USED FOR THIS FIELD EXAMINATION. INDICATED ARE ALL CODES WHICH APPLY.

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Water Right Number - 72-02074

Prefix Translation: WATER RIGHT

Old (D) Number - 17498

*** C - CURRENT OWNER ***
WEIDMAN

JOHN

1 -
2 -
3 -

City- STANLEY

State- ID Zip-

Phone -

Address -

Priority Date - 07/30/1931

Region - 17 SOUTHERN

Stage - L - LICENSE

Status -

Source - SAWMILL GULCH
SPRING GULCH

Tributary - KELLY CREEK
KELLY CREEK

TwN Rng Sec Tract Lot RFlg County

11N 13E 10 SE NE (37) CUSTER

15 NE NW (37) CUSTER

Point of Diversion - Stream Index (Blank if no Index Code)

Code Description Period From Period To Water Use Diversion Rate Diversion Volume

13 - MINING 4.000

Total Div. Rate - 4.000

Total Div. Volume - 4.000

Total Div. Capacity -

TwN Rng Sec Tract Lot Acres Code Description County

Diversion Means -

Non-Irrigation Use -

Other Rights for Same Use - LIC. 71-2056.

Remarks - SOURCES FOR THIS RT. ARE SAWMILL GULCH & SPRING GULCH.
P/U SAME AS IN LIC. 72-2074.

Old Water Right Numbers - No Old Water Right Numbers found.

Conditions of Approval - No Conditions of Approval found.

Decree Plaintiff - Decree Defendant - Decree Date - 00/00/0000 UV 0 1 1994

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WATER RIGHT

- - -Comments- - -
No Comments Found

+ - - Audit Fields - 02/11/85 05/28/88 CONVERT

Field Exam Fee	-
Swan Falls	-
Temporary Right	- P
DLE/Carey Act	-
Water District	- 72F
Transfer/Amended	-

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