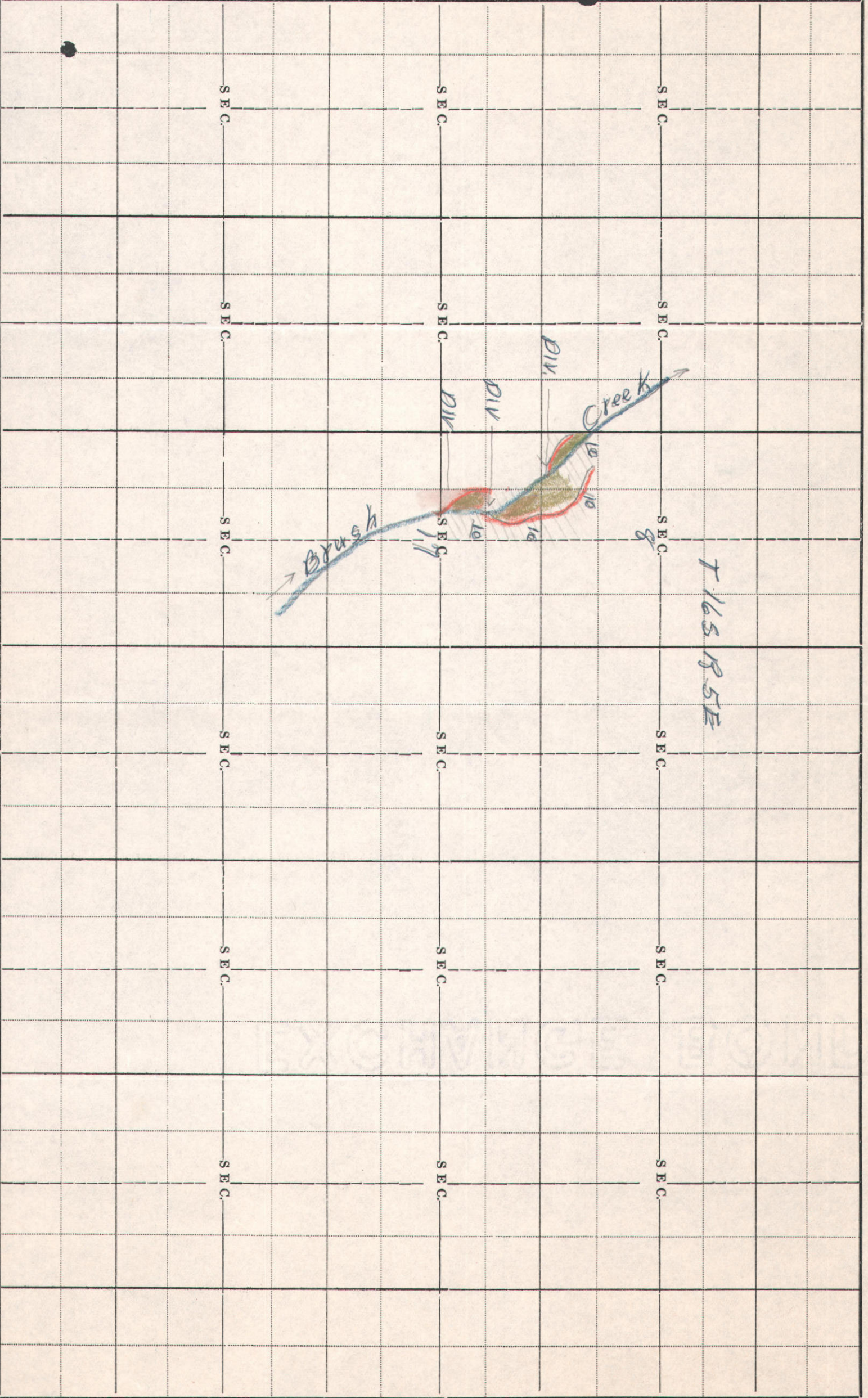


NAME OF APPLICANT Ed. F. Kretschmer #13915



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Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF IDAHO }
County of Owyhee } ss

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Notice of Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use.

Notice is hereby given that at 10 a.m. on the 9th day of May, 1919, at Bruneau, County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, before Charles Pascoe, U.S. Commissioner, proof will be submitted of the application to beneficial use of one cubic foot per second of the waters of Brush Creek, in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 13915 heretofore issued by the State Engineer of the State of Idaho.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit are Ed. F. Kretschmer, Bruneau, Idaho.

2. The use to which said water has been applied is irrigation and domestic.

3. The amount applied to beneficial use is one cubic foot.

4. The place where said water is used (if for irrigation, give full and accurate description of the lands irrigated) S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 8 and E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 17, Township 16 South, Range 5 East, B.M.

5. The date of the priority which said user is prepared to establish is April 10, 1915.

W. G. SWENDSEN,
Commissioner of Reclamation.

Apr 10—May 1

Charles Pascoe

being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the
publisher of OWYHEE NUGGET, a
weekly newspaper published at Bruneau, Idaho;
that the said newspaper is in general circulation in
Owyhee County; that a copy of the above notice, as
per clipping attached, was published in the regular
and entire issue of said newspaper for 4
consecutive weeks, beginning with the issue of
April 10,, 1919, and ending
with the issue of May 1, 1919.

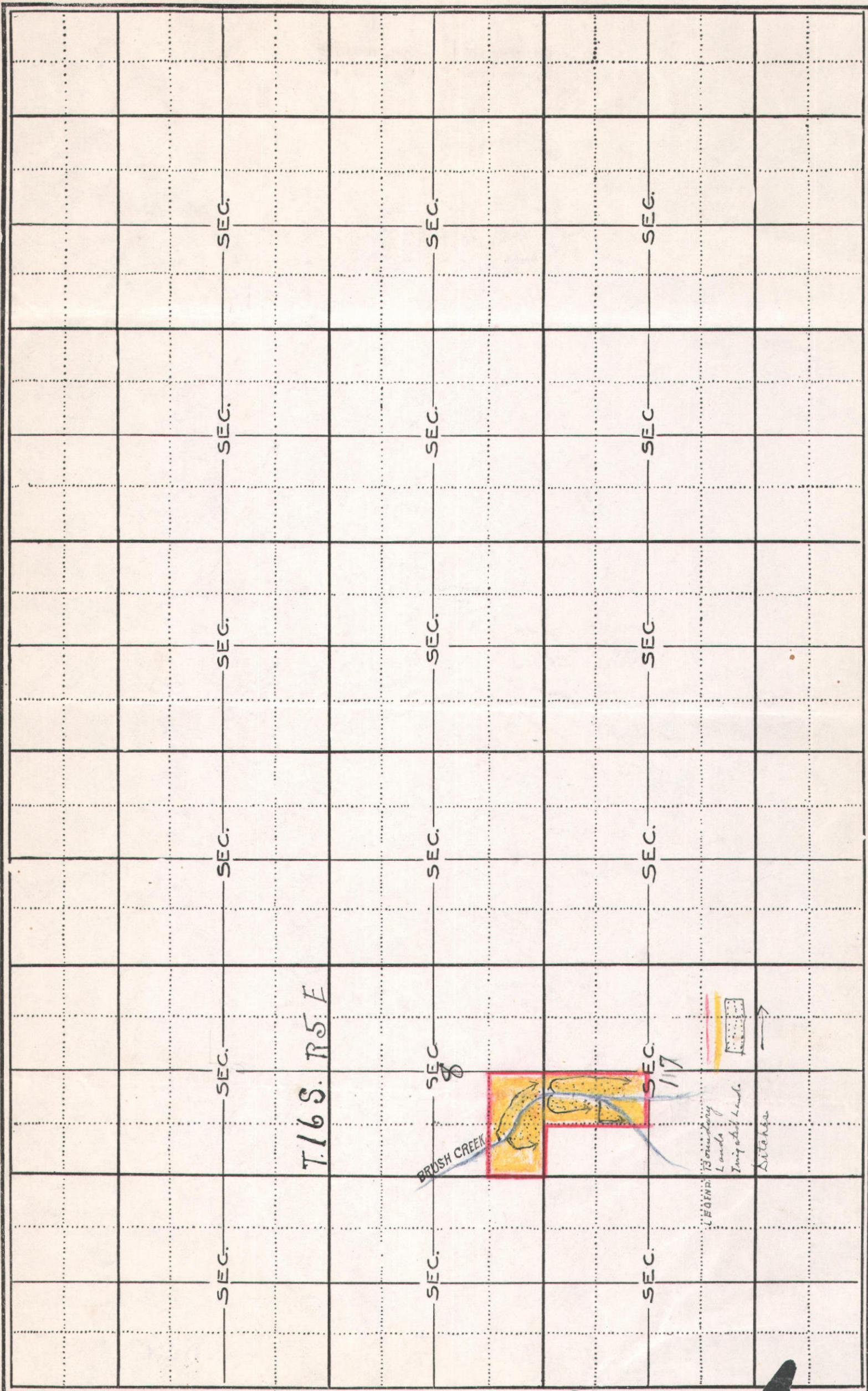
Charles Pascoe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd
day of May 1919

George R. Jones

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Name of Applicant *Ed. F. Hutchinson - Bureau of Reclamation*



State of Idaho
License and Certificate of Water Right

Water License No. 13915 Amount 1 sec. ft.
Water District No. 57- C Priority February 27, 1919

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that **Ed. F. Kretschmer,**
of **Bruneau, Idaho**, made application for a permit to appropriate the
public waters of the State of Idaho, dated **February 27, 1919**; that Permit No. **13915**
was issued under said application; that Certificate of Completion of works, with a carrying capacity of **1**
second feet, was issued thereunder on **April 12, 1919**, showing that said works
were completed on the **3rd** day of **April**, 1919; and that on the **9th**
day of **May**, 1919,
ED F. KRETSCHMER,

of **Bruneau, Idaho**, made proof to the satisfaction of the
~~Commissioner of Reclamation~~ **State Engineer** of Idaho, of a right to the use of the waters of **Brush Creek,**
a tributary of **Sheep Creek,** for the purpose of **Irrigation & Domestic Use**,
under Use Permit No. **13915** of the State Engineer, and that said right to the use of said
waters has been perfected in accordance with the laws of Idaho, and is hereby confirmed by the ~~State~~
~~Commissioner of Reclamation~~ **State Engineer** of Idaho and entered of record in Volume **5** of Licenses, at page **2685**, on the **13th**
day of **November**, 1920;

The right hereby confirmed dates from **February 27, 1919**;

The Point of Diversion is located
in the ^{(1) SW} ^{SW} ⁸
^{(2) NE} ^{1/4} ^{NW} ^{1/4}, Sec. **17**, Tp. **16 S**, R. **5 E.** **B. M.**
County of Owyhee

That the amount of water to which such right is entitled and hereby confirmed, for the purposes
aforesaid, is limited to an amount actually needed and beneficially used for said purposes, and shall not
exceed **1** cubic feet per second.

Description and location of use:

Twp.	Range	Sec.	Forty-acre Tract	No. Acres Described in Permit	No. Acres Actually Irrigated
16	5 E.	8	SW ¹ / ₄ SW ¹ / ₄	15	15
			SE ¹ / ₄ SW ¹ / ₄	15	10
		17	NE ¹ / ₄ NW ¹ / ₄	15	15
			SE ¹ / ₄ NW ¹ / ₄	15	10

The right to the use of the water aforesaid hereby confirmed is restricted to the lands or place of
use herein described, as provided by the laws of Idaho.

Commissioner of Reclamation

WITNESS the seal and signature of the ~~State Engineer~~, affixed at Boise, Idaho, this **13th**
day of **November**, 1920

W. G. SWENDSEN.
Commissioner of Reclamation **State Engineer.**
By **S. T. Baer,** Deputy,

(SEAL)

51 2064

51-1063

State of Idaho
License and Certificate of Water Right

Water License No. 10573 Amount 0.8 cu. ft.
Water District No. 34 Priority December 22, 1914

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that **FRIEDA STAATS**,
of **Soda Springs, Idaho**, made application for a permit to appropriate the
public waters of the State of Idaho, dated **August 22,** **1914**; that Permit No. **10573**
was issued under said application; that Certificate of Completion of works, with a carrying capacity of **1.36**
second feet, was issued thereunder on **October 17,** **1916**, showing that said works
were completed on the **11th** day of **October**, **1916**; and that on the **1st**
day of **October**, **1920**,

FRIEDA STAATS,
of **Soda Springs**, State of **Idaho**, made proof to the satisfaction of the
~~Commissioner of Reclamation~~
~~State Engineer~~ of Idaho, of a right to the use of the waters of **Unnamed Lakes or Springs**,
a tributary of **Salt Lake**, for the purpose of **Irrigation and Domestic Use**,
under Use Permit No. **10573** of the State Engineer, and that said right to the use of said
waters has been perfected in accordance with the laws of Idaho, and is hereby confirmed by the ~~State~~
~~Commissioner of Reclamation~~
~~Engineer~~ of Idaho and entered of record in Volume **5** of Licenses, at page **2684**, on the **10th**
day of **November**, **1920**;

The right hereby confirmed dates from **December 22,** **1914**;

The Point of Diversion is located
in the **SE** $\frac{1}{4}$ **NE** $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. **33**, Tp. **7 S.**, R. **42 E.**, B. M. **County of Bannock**

That the amount of water to which such right is entitled and hereby confirmed, for the purposes
aforesaid, is limited to an amount actually needed and beneficially used for said purposes, and shall not
exceed **0.8** cubic feet per second.

Description and location of use:

Twp.	Range	Sec.	Forty-acre Tract	No. Acres Described in Permit	No. Acres Actually Irrigated
7 S	42 E	33	Lot 6	) --78.10	25
			Lot 7		15

The right to the use of the water aforesaid hereby confirmed is restricted to the lands or place of
use herein described, as provided by the laws of Idaho.

Commissioner of Reclamation
WITNESS the seal and signature of the ~~State Engineer~~, affixed at Boise, Idaho, this **10th**
day of **November**, **1920**

W. G. Swendsen.
State Engineer.
Commissioner of Reclamation

(SEAL)

By **S. T. Baer**,
Deputy

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT 51-2064

TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

Application No. 19753
Permit No. 13915
District No. 570

1. Name of Applicant: **Ed. F. Kretschmer**

Postoffice address: **Bruneau** County: **Owyhee** State: **Idaho**

I. If applicant is a corporation, give:

- (a) Date and place of incorporation:
- (b) Amount of capital stock:
- (c) Amount paid in:
- (d) Names and addresses of directors:

II. The financial resources of the applicant are:

- (a) Cash on hand:
- (b) Treasury stock:
- (c) Bonds to be issued:
- (d) Other resources:

2. Quantity of water claimed: **1** cubic feet per second.

3. Source of water supply: **Brush Creek** which is a tributary of **Sheep Creek**

4. Location of point of diversion: **feet distant from the**
corner of Section , T. , R. , B. M., and is in the **See Remarks**
of Section **8**, T. **16 S.**, R. **5 E.**, B. M., County of **Owyhee**

5. Water is to be used for: **Irrigation.**

6. If for mining, milling, power or manufacturing purposes, give:

(a) Point of use of water: **feet distant from** **corner of Section**
T. , R. , B. M., in the **of Section**, T. , R. , B. M.

(b) Amount of power generated: **H. P., under** **feet head.**

(c) Water is to be returned to **at a point** **feet**
distant from the **corner of Section**, T. , R. , B. M., in the
of Section, T. , R. , B. M.

7. Estimated cost of works: **\$100.00**

8. Kind of works: **Ditches**

9. Height of dam **feet; length of dam at top** **feet; length of dam at bottom**
feet; material used in dam

10. Size of headgate: Width **feet; height** **feet.**

11. Ditch: Width at bottom **1½** feet; width at water line **3** feet; depth of water **1**
feet; dimensions of flume **none**
Diameter of pipe **none** inches; length of conduit **1½** miles.
Average grade per mile **5** feet.

12. The time required for the completion of such work is **1/2** years.

13. The time required for the complete application of the water to the proposed use is **one** additional years.

14. The land to be irrigated is described in the following tabulation: **See Remarks.**

15. (a) Is reservoir to be used? **No.** If so, fill in (b) and (c) below.
 (b) Name of reservoir and number of Storage Permit:
 (c) Date of filing of Application for Storage Permit and Name of Applicant:

BE IT KNOWN THAT the undersigned hereby makes application for permit to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho as herein set forth.

Ed. F. Kretschmer

Applicant.

By

Agent.

Date of first receipt at office of State Engineer 9:00 A.M. February 27, 1919.

Returned to applicant for correction

Corrected application received

APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

The number of this permit is 13915

Recorded in Book 49 Page 13915 Approved March 17, 1919.

This is to certify that I have examined the within application for a permit to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho, and hereby approve the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

Bond in the sum of \$ _____ to be filed on or before _____

Work to begin on or before May 16, 1919 and to continue diligently and uninterruptedly to completion, unless temporarily interrupted by circumstances over which permit holder has no control.

One-fifth of the work above specified to be completed on or before June 17, 1919.

The whole of said work to be completed on or before **September 17, 1919.**

Beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith, to be made on or before September 17, 1920.

Witness my hand this 17th day of March, 1919.

W. G. SWEN DSEN ,

State Engineer.

Remarks :

14 Twp	Range	Sec.	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				Totals
			NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	
16 S	5 E	8 17					15			15			15	15					30 30
Remarks:			Total number of acres to be irrigated																60
T. 16 S., R. 5 E.			Points of diversion are located in SW¼SW¼ Sec. 8, NE¼NW¼ Sec. 17, and SE¼NW¼ Sec. 17,																
			The amount asked for will be rotated from each point of diversion.																

			Permit No. 13915																
			CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION OF WORKS																

To All Whom It May Concern:																			
			This is to certify that Ed. F. Kretschmer of Bruneau, County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, the holder of Permit No. 13915, issued upon Application No. 19753 bearing date of priority of February 27, 1919, authorizing the diversion of one second foot of the waters of Brush Creek which is a tributary of Sheep Creek, County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, for irrigation and domestic purposes, has fully complied with the provisions of the laws of the State of Idaho relating to the proof of completion of the works of diversion set out and described in said Permit; that said works are adequate for diverting and conveying to the place of intended use one second foot of the waters of Brush Creek; that the points of diversion of said waters are located in the SW¼SW¼, Sec. 8; NE¼NW¼, Sec. 17, and SE¼NW¼, Sec. 17, T. 16 S., R. 5 E. B. M., and that the lands proposed to be irrigated by the use of said water are described as follows, to-wit: SW¼SW¼, SE¼SW¼, Sec. 8; NE¼NW¼, SE¼NW¼, Sec. 17, T. 16 S., R. 5 E. B. M.																
			Witness my hand this 12th day of April, A. D. 1919.																
			W. G. Swendsen, Commissioner of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.																
License issued for			1 second feet																
			Page 2685																

November 18, 1920.

Re Permit 13915.

Ed. P. Kretschmer,
Hot Springs, Idaho.

Dear Sir:--

Enclosing herewith water license issued under the
above permit, with receipt for fees paid.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWENDSEN,

Commissioner of Reclamation.

By _____

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Hot Springs
Idaho

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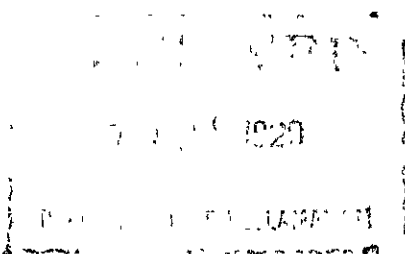
Boise

Idaho

Dear Sir. I rec'd a letter from you quite a while ago stating when I sent you \$5.00 for fees you would issue me a license for my water on Brush Creek. but as yet have not heard from you. I sent you a check for the amt and find the check has been paid. would like to hear from you in regard to it

Yours Respectly
Ed. F. Kristensen
Hot Springs
Idaho

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Hot Springs
Ida

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W. G. Swendsen

Boise

Ida

Dear Sir. First enclosed

check for \$8.00 as requested for license
for water Branch Creek please mail it
to Hot Springs Ida instead of Tindall
Ida. and oblige

Yours Respectly

Ed. J. Hestekoner

Hot Springs

Ida

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September 17,
1920

Re Permit No. 13915

Mr. Ed. F. Kretschmer
Tindall, Idaho

Dear Sir:

Upon receipt of fees in the sum of \$8.00
water license will be issued under the above number-
ed permit.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWENDSEN

Commissioner of Reclamation

By _____

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REPORT OF ENGINEER

This proof is for Beneficial Use.

In Water District No. 57 C.

1. State name of applicant and number of permit: Ed. F. Kretschmer, Permit # 13915.
2. State source of water supply: Brush Creek.
3. Location of point of diversion: SW₄ SW₄, Sec. 8, and NE₄ NW₄, SE₄ NW₄ Sec. 17,
T. 16 S. R. 5 E. B.M.
4. Describe works as they exist, giving dimensions and capacities of same:
 - #1 Earth and rock dam, 3' H. 12' long; No H.G.
Ditch, 1' x 1' Cap. 1 S.F.
 - #2, E. and R. dam, 3.5 H. 18' L. No, H.G.
Ditch, 1' x 1'. Cap. 1 S&F.
 - #3, E. and R. dam, 3' H. 15' L. No H.G.
Ditch, 1' x 1' Cap. 1 S.F.
5. State whether or not water has been turned into works of diversion: Yes.
6. Give exact location of lands to be irrigated. If proof is for beneficial use, give exact number of acres under cultivation in each forty-acre tract. (Describe manner and place of use if for other than irrigation): S₂ SW₄ Sec. 8 and E₂ NW₄ Sec. 17, T. 16 S. R. 5 E. B.M.
10 A. in cultivation in each forty.
7. Submit map on enclosed plat, showing location and details of above description.
8. How many parties conduct water in this system? One.
9. Give names and amount of each right:
10. What large stream would the water here appropriated finally reach? Snake River.
11. Describe the various tributaries en route, from point of diversion to the principal drainage stream: From land to Brush Creek, to Bruneau River, -to Snake River.

Remarks:

This examination was made on the 31 st day of July 19 20.

(Signed)

L. R. Annett.
L. R. Annett.

Examiner.

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(This report must be sworn to when not made by an attache of the office)

STATE OF IDAHO,

ss.

County of

....., being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the statements contained in the within report are correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 19.....

My commission expires

Notary Public.

DIST. 57 C

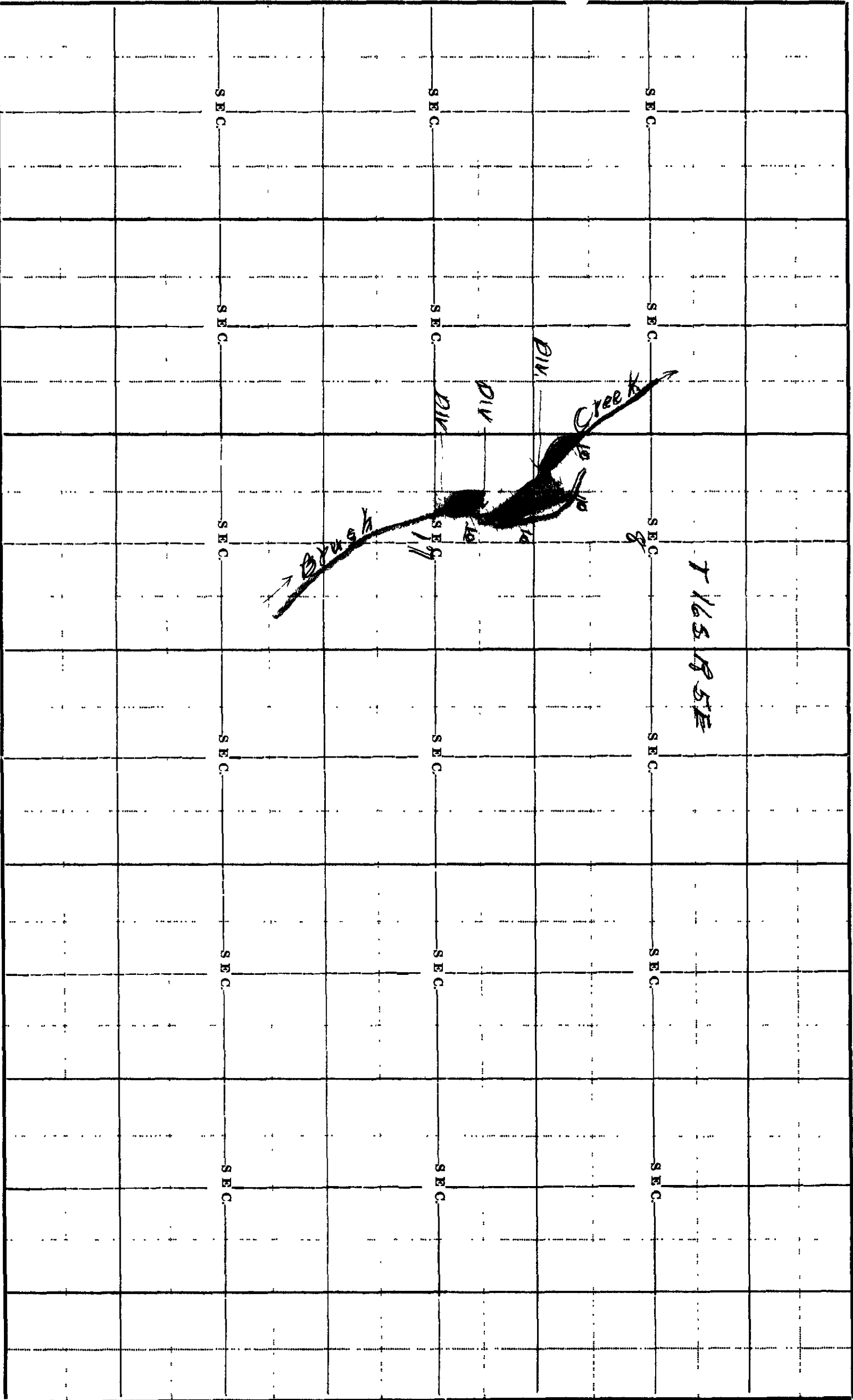
Ed. F. Kretschmer,
Bruneau, Ida.

Permit 15915.

Instructions to Examiners

1. Examiners will not be permitted to examine any of the receipts in the office pertaining to this permit. They are to furnish a report of the facts and conditions as they exist, from their own observations and inquiries.
2. Always carefully note the location of the point of diversion, and accurately plat same
3. Find out how many parties own right in the ditch or canal and give their names and amount of right
4. When proof is for beneficial use, carefully check up the number of acres actually irrigated in each forty and accurately plat same
5. Make a map showing the correct location of streams and ditches, and the irrigated lands, and any adjacent permanent landmarks, such as towns, lakes, large streams and public roads
6. If any unusual conditions are discovered, make a plain statement of them under remarks.
7. Always see the holder, if possible, and go over the whole ground with him, and make your report only upon actual existing facts and conditions.

NAME OF APPLICANT Ed. F. Letsgiller # 134-5



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May 24th
1919

In re: Permit 13915

Ed. F. Kretschmer
Tindall, Idaho

Dear sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of publication affidavit requested by our letter of May 13th.

The matter of issuing license will be taken up after an examination and report by an engineer from this Department, as required by statutes.

This examination cannot be made in the near future because of the fact that during the past three years there has been allowed to accumulate some two hundred examinations, the reason for this accumulation is unknown to the writer; consequently it will take our field men some time to make all of the examinations.

The examination of your place under the permit will be made as soon as possible under the circumstances.

Yours very truly,

W. G. Swendsen,
Commissioner of
Reclamation.

By:

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Charles Pascoe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd
day of May 19 19.

George R. Jones

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May 13th
1919

In re: Permit: 13915

Ed. F. Kretschmer
Tindall, Idaho.

Dear sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of proof papers under the above permit; but inasmuch as no publisher's affidavit has been received showing publication of the intention to submit proof; the proof is suspended in this office until such affidavit is received.

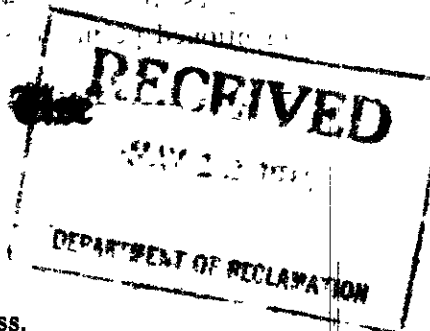
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W. G. Swendsen,
Commissioner of
Reclamation.

By:

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PERMIT NO. _____

Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use**DEPOSITION OF HOLDER**

Ques. 1. State your name, age, residence, occupation and postoffice address.

Ans. Edw. F. Kretschmer, 42 years, farmer and stockman, Tindall,
Idaho

Ques. 2. If acting in behalf of a corporation, state its name, principal place of business (if a foreign corporation, give name and postoffice of statutory agent), your position with reference to same, and your authority for appearing in its behalf.

Ans. Acting for self

Ques. 3. State number and date of permit, and date of priority you propose to establish under the permit.

Ans. 13915; March 17, 1910; April 10, 1915

Ques. 4. State source of water supply and give exact location of point of diversion.

Ans. Brush Creek; SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec.

17, Township 16 South, Range 5 East, B.M.

Ques. 5. Describe your works of diversion, and state amount of water they are capable of conveying from point of diversion to place of use, and give name of canal or ditch or other works by which water is conducted to such place of use.

Ans. Ditch 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft wide at bottom, 3 ft wide at water line and 1
ft deep; one cubic foot; Kretschmer Ditch

Ques. 6. State for what purpose water is used and describe place of use. (If for irrigation, name each subdivision in which used, and number of acres in each subdivision that have actually been irrigated with said water.) State whether cultivated or natural meadow land and the nature of all improvements which have been made as a direct result of said use.

Ans. Irrigation; S $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8 and E $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Township #16 S.,
Range 5 East, B.M.; cultivated land; results have been profitable
hay crops: SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres in Sec. 8; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15
acres, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres, in Sec. 17

Ques. 7. If for other than irrigation purposes, state how applied, amount of horse power generated, etc.

Ans. For irrigation only

Ques. 8. What is the minimum amount of water required for the use specified above?

Ans. One cubic foot

Ques. 9. If you are not the person or representative of the corporation to whom above mentioned permit was originally issued, please state how ownership was acquired by present holder.

Ans. I am the identical person to whom said permit was issued

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Ques. 10. State when, how, in what amount and to what extent the water diverted under above mentioned permit has been used.

Ans. ~~Annually from and during 1915 to and during the present year,~~
of 1919, by irrigation, using all the water

Ques. 11. State when, how, in what amount and to what extent waters other than those diverted under the above mentioned permit have been diverted and applied to beneficial use upon the lands herein described. Give full particulars regarding such other appropriations and rights claimed thereunder.

Ans. None

(Sign)

Ed. F. Kretschmer

I hereby certify that the foregoing testimony was read to the above subscribed before its signing, that I believe him to be the person he represents himself to be, and that said testimony was subscribed and sworn to before me, at my office in Bruneau, County of Owyhee State of Idaho, on this 9th day of May A. D. 1919.

Charles Pascoe

U. S. Commissioner

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Permit No.-----

Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use

DEPOSITION OF WITNESS

Ques. 1. State your name, age, residence, occupation and postoffice address

Ans. Lydia W. Eastman, 37 years, stockman, Hot Spring, Idaho

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with Ed. F. Kletschmer, the

holder of Permit No. 13915? How long have you known him and where does he reside?

Ans. Yes; about twenty years

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 13915, and are you familiar with its provisions and conditions?

Ans. Yes

Ques. 4. State source of water supply, place of diversion, and describe works for conveying water from point of diversion to place of use.

Ans. Brush Creek; SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Township 16 South, Range 5 East, B.M.

Ques. 5. How many second-feet of water do you estimate said works will safely conduct to place of use, and how much water have you seen being so conveyed?

Ans. More than a cubic foot; I have seen a full cubic foot of same so conveyed.

Ques. 6. State for what purpose water is used and at what place. (If for irrigation, give each subdivision in which water has been used and number of acres irrigated in each subdivision.) State whether cultivated or natural meadow land and the nature of all improvements which have been made as a direct result of said use.

Ans. Irrigation; S $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8 and E $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Township 16 S. Range 5 East, B.M.; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres; cultivated land

Ques. 7. If for power or other purposes than irrigation, state how water has been applied and to what extent.

Ans. For irrigation only

Ques. 8. (If for irrigation) state character of land that has been reclaimed, and give your estimate of the amount of water required for its profitable cultivation.

Ans. Cleared sagebrush land; all the water filed upon is needed for its cultivation

Ques. 9. Have you any interest in the works, water or lands above mentioned? If so, in what way and to what extent?

Ans. No

Ques. 10. State when, how, in what amount and to what extent you have witnessed the application to beneficial use of water diverted under said permit.

Ans. For four or five years past I have seen the water used to its full capacity; latterly over about sixty acres

(Sign) Lydia W. Eastman

I hereby certify that the foregoing testimony was read to the above subscriber before its signing, that I believe him to be the person he represents himself to be, and that said testimony was subscribed and sworn to before me in Bruneau, County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, on this 9th day of May A. D. 1919

Charles P. Brown
U.S. Commissioner ~~Notary Public~~

My commission expires _____

13915

Permit No. _____

Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use

DEPOSITION OF WITNESS

Ques. 1. State your name, age, residence, occupation and postoffice address.

Ans. William L. Ratliff, 38 years, farmer, Hot Spring, Idaho

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with Ed. F. Kretschmer, the holder of Permit No. 13915? How long have you known him and where does he reside?

Ans. Ten years: am well acquainted with him.

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 13915, and are you familiar with its provisions and conditions?

Ans. Yes

Ques. 4. State source of water supply, place of diversion, and describe works for conveying water from point of diversion to place of use.

Ans. Brush Creek; SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Township 16 South, Range 5 East, B.M.

Ques. 5. How many second-feet of water do you estimate said works will safely conduct to place of use, and how much water have you seen being so conveyed?

Ans. A cubic foot nicely; have seen that much conveyed

Ques. 6. State for what purpose water is used and at what place. (If for irrigation, give each subdivision in which water has been used and number of acres irrigated in each subdivision.) State whether cultivated or natural meadow land and the nature of all improvements which have been made as a direct result of said use.

Ans. Irrigation of S $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8 and E $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Township 16 S., Range 5 East, B.M.; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 15 acres: it is cultivated land resulting in good hay crops

Ques. 7. If for power or other purposes than irrigation, state how water has been applied and to what extent.

Ans. It is for irrigation

Ques. 8. (If for irrigation) state character of land that has been reclaimed, and give your estimate of the amount of water required for its profitable cultivation.

Ans. Cleared sagebrush land; all the water filed on is required for proper and profitable cultivation

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Ques. 9. Have you any interest in the works, water or lands above mentioned? If so, in what way and to what extent?

Ans. No

Ques. 10 State when, how, in what amount and to what extent you have witnessed the application to beneficial use of water diverted under said permit.

Ans. Have seen all the water used for the past four or five years
in irrigating the land mentioned

(Sign) William L. Ratliff

I hereby certify that the foregoing testimony was read to the above subscriber before its signing, that I believe him to be the person he represents himself to be, and that said testimony was subscribed and sworn to before me in Bruncan, County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, on this 9th day of May A. D. 1919

Charles Pearson
U.S. Commissioner ~~Notary Public~~

My commission expires _____

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April 12th
1919

In re: Permit 13915

Ed. E. Kretschmer,
Bruneau, Idaho.

Dear sir:

Herewith find certificate of completion of works covering above permit; also receipt covering fees received.

Yours very truly,

W. G. Swendsen,
Commissioner of
Reclamation.

By:

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State of Idaho
ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
BOISE

INSTRUCTIONS

PROOF OF BENEFICIAL USE

BOISE, IDAHO,

April 10th
1919

Ed. F. Kretschmer,
Care: Charles Pascoe,
Bruneau, Idaho.

DEAR SIR:

I enclose herewith the following forms to be used in connection with proof of application of water to beneficial use under Permit No. **13915**

DEPOSITION OF PERMIT HOLDER.

DEPOSITIONS OF TWO WITNESSES.

In submitting this proof the following instructions should be CAREFULLY followed out, since failure to do so may result in the loss of the permit holder's rights:

1. On May 9th, 1919....., the date set for the proof of application of water to beneficial use, the enclosed deposition forms (one for permit holder and one each for two witnesses) should be filled out and sworn to at the office of Charles Pascoe, U. S. Comm.,
at Bruneau, Idaho

2. When the depositions have been taken they should be mailed to this office, together with affidavit of publication of notice. When these have been received, together with report of examining engineer, you will be further advised as to fees due before issuing license.

Yours truly,

W. G. Swendsen,
Commissioner of
Reclamation *State Engineer*

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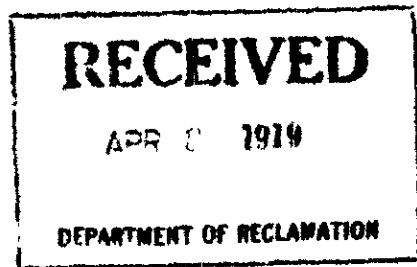
(P. O.) Brumley, Idaho

(Date) April 5, 1919

State Engineer, Boise.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of April 4 enclosing Notice of Proof of Completion of Works and Beneficial Use of Water under Permit No. 13915 which will be published as you request, beginning with our issue of April 19



Charles Porcos
Prop. Douglas Nugget

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April 7th
1919

In re: Permit 13915

Charles Rasco,
United States Commissioner,
Bruneau, Idaho.

Dear sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 5th inclosing corrected proof of completion of works Ed. F. Kretschmer. Certificate will be issued in due time.

One copy of claimant's notice of publication of application of water to beneficial use has been mailed to the Owyhee Nugget for publication; blank deposition forms will be forwarded to you before date of proof.

Yours very truly,

W. G. Swendsen,
Commissioner of
Reclamation.

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CHARLES PASCOE
U. S. COMMISSIONER

BRUNEAU, IDAHO

April 5, 1919

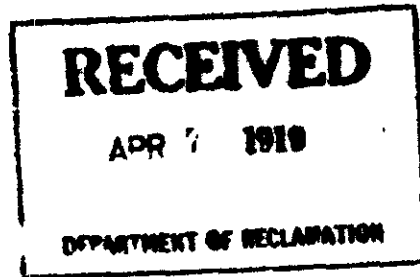
W.G.Swendsen
Commissioner of Reclamation
Boise, Idaho.

Gentlemen: I am returning herewith Proof of Completion of Works of ED. F. Kretschmer, with corrections as directed. Thank you.

Also the check for five dollars, which I presume is the correct amount, if I read the manual aright.

Respectfully,

Charles Pascoe



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Permit No. _____

OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS

AFFIDAVIT OF HOLDER

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STATE OF IDAHO,

County of Owyhee

} ss.

Ed. F. Kretschmer

, being first duly sworn, upon his oath deposes and says:

First: That he is the holder and owner of Permit to appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho, No. 13915, and that his postoffice address is Bruneau, Idaho
State of Idaho

Second: That the name of the stream from which said water is to be diverted is Brush Creek

Third: That the point of diversion of said water is SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Township 16 South, Range 5 East.

Fourth: That under the terms and conditions of said permit, construction thereunder was required to be completed by Sept. 17th, 1919.

Fifth: That the use for which said water is intended is irrigation and domestic.

Sixth: That on the date above mentioned, the works constructed under said permit were (or were not) fully completed and consisted of the following:

I. Kind of works: Ditches

(Reservoir, dam, ditch, flume, pipe or otherwise.)

II. Dimensions of work:

(a) Height of dam _____ feet, length of dam at top _____ feet, length of dam at bottom _____ feet. Material used in construction _____

(State whether wood, earth, stone or concrete.)

(b) Capacity of reservoir _____ acre feet.

(c) Size of headgate: Width _____ feet, height _____ feet.

(d) Conduit Ditch width at bottom 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet, width at water line 3 feet, depth of water 1 feet; diameter of pipe _____ inches; average grade per mile is 5 feet in 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

Seventh: That said works are capable of conducting to the place of intended use 1 second feet of water.

Eighth: That water appropriated under said permit is available for 60 acres of land described as follows: NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17; SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8, Township 16 S., Range 5 E., B.M.

Ninth: Remarks: That all of said above described irrigation works have been completed

Ed. F. Kretschmer
(Sign here)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of April, 1919

My commission expires _____

George R. Jones
Notary Public.

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April 4th
1919

In re: Permit 13915

Charles Pascoe,
United States Commissioner,
Bruneau, Idaho.

Dear sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 3d, inclosing the following: proof of completion of works, notice of proof of application of water to beneficial use, check in the sum of five dollars, in re applicant Ed. F. Kretschmer.

I am returning to you proof of completion of works for correction of statement eight, inasmuch as the land therein described does not check with the land described in the permit, which reads: NW¹/₄ NW¹/₄, SE¹/₄ NW¹/₄, Section 17; SW¹/₄ SW¹/₄, SE¹/₄ SW¹/₄, Section 8, Township 16 South, Range 5 East, B. M. Kindly have the correction made and return to this office.

Also enclosed you will find check in the sum of five dollars.

Yours very truly,

W. G. Swendsen,
Commissioner of Reclamation.

By:

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CHARLES PASCOE

U. S. COMMISSIONER

BRUNEAU, IDAHO

April 3, 1919

W. J. Swendsen, State Engineer
Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir: Enclosed are the filled-in blanks in the matter of ED.
F. Kretschmer, together with the fee of \$5 for certificate of Completion
of Works and I trust the same will be found to be correct.
Sincerely yours,

Charles Pascoe

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DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

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NOTICE TO ACCOMPANY THIS LETTER MUST BE MADE IN DUPLICATE

(Date) April 3, 1919

(P. O.) Bruneau, Idaho

TO THE STATE ENGINEER:

Boise, Idaho.

DEAR SIR:

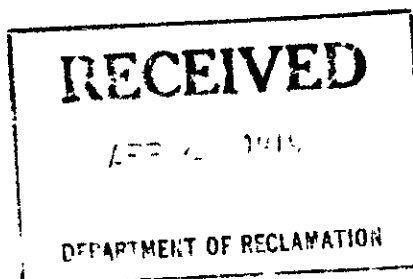
You are hereby authorized to have the attached notice published at my expense in the.....
Owyhee Nugget.....of Bruneau, Idaho....., published
in the county in which the works are situated.

Ed. F. Krichmer

(In case of canals or other works designed to divert and carry more than 50 cubic feet of water
per second, the following certificate must be signed by a well-known and competent engineer.)

I hereby certify that the facts set forth in the attached notice are true.

.....
Engineer.



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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

NOTICE OF PROOF OF APPLICATION OF WATER
TO BENEFICIAL USE

Notice is hereby given that at 10 a. m. on the 9th day of May, 1910,
at Bruneau, County of Owyhee, State of Idaho,
before Charles Pascoe, U. S. Commissioner, proof will be submitted
of the application to beneficial use of 1 cubic ~~foot~~^{foot} per second of the
waters of Brush Creek in accordance with the terms and conditions of
Permit No. 13915 heretofore issued by the State Engineer of the State of Idaho.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit are
Ed. F. Kretschmer, Bruneau, Idaho.
2. The use to which said water has been applied is irrigation and domestic.
3. The amount applied to beneficial use is 1 cubic foot.
4. The place where said water is used (if for irrigation, give full and accurate description of the
lands irrigated) S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8 and E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Township 16 South, Range
5 East, B.M.
5. The name of the canal or ditch or other works by which said water is conducted to such place
of use is Kretschmer Ditch.
6. The right to take water from such works is based upon Permit No. 13915
7. The source of supply from which such water is diverted is Brush Creek
8. The date of the priority which said user is prepared to establish is April 10, 1915.

W. G. Swenson,
Commissioner of
Reclamation.

State Engineer

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March 29, 1919.

Re Permit 13915-Kretschmer.

Mr. Charles Pascoe,
Bruneau, Idaho.

Dear Sir:--

Per your request the 26th inst., I herewith
enclose affidavit form for proof of completion of works
under above permit, together with blank notices for final
proof under the above permit.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWENDSEN,

State Engineer.

By _____

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CHARLES PASCOE
U. S. COMMISSIONER

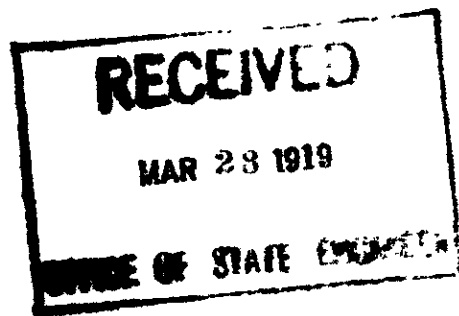
BRUNEAU, IDAHO

March 26, 1919

W.G.Swendsen
State Engineer
Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir: Mr. E. F. Kretschmer desires to make proof of application of water to beneficial use as early as may be, and has asked me to act therein for him. Will you kindly send down the blanks necessary to be prepared in duplicate, I believe, which I will fill out and return at once, so that his proof may be delayed as little as possible? Thanking you, I am, very truly yours,

Charles Pascoe



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State of Idaho
ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
BOISE

Re Permit No. 13915.

Charles Pascoe,
Bruneau, Idaho.

Boise, Idaho, March 20, 1919.

Dear Sir:

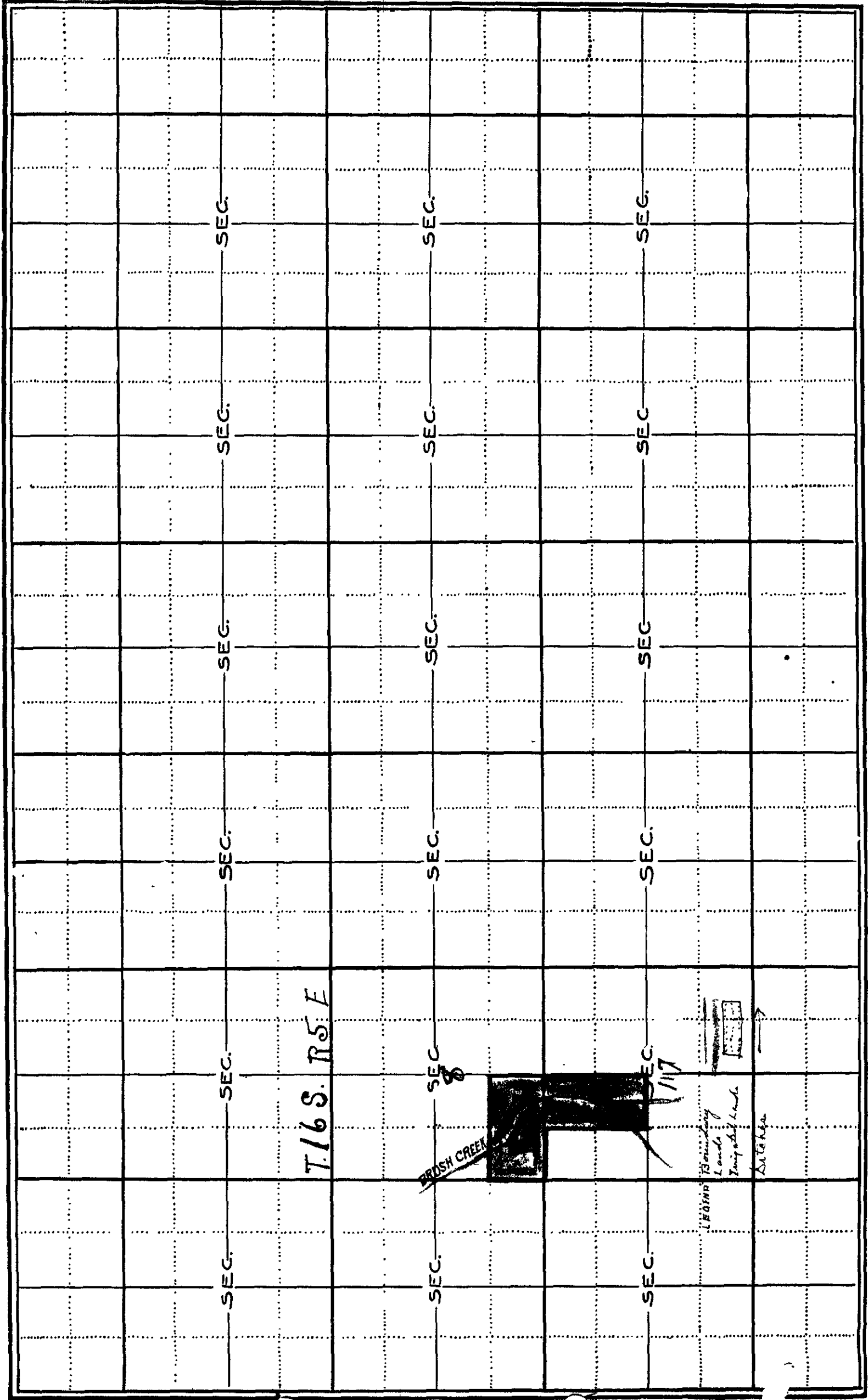
I enclose herewith above numbered permit. **BE SURE TO NOTE LIMITATIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SAME** as given under approval of State Engineer on the third page.

R-#2813.

~~J. H. SMITH~~

W. G. SWENDSEN
State Engineer.

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March 4, 1919.

Re: Application 19753.

Mr. Chas. Pascoe,
Bruneau, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter under date of February 28th,
Re: M. F. Kretschmer application for permit, 19753,
will state that this office cannot predate an appli-
cation for water right. The date of priority takes
place from the date that the application was received
at this office.

Very truly yours,

FRED A. WILKIE,

State Engineer.

STB/MB

By

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CHARLES PASCOE

U. S. COMMISSIONER

BRUNEAU, IDAHO

Feb. 28, 1919

Fred A. Wilkie
State Engineer
Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir: Referring to the L.H. F. Kretschmer application for permit I have to report that applicant was in here yesterday and called my attention to the fact that he made a priority claim of April#1, 1916, which he alleges was not set out in the application. I don't remember whether it was so inserted or not; but thinking it might be as he stated, I am in this manner calling your attention thereto as his agent.

Very truly,

Charles Pascoe

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CHARLES PASCOE

U. S. COMMISSIONER

BRUNEAU, IDAHO

Feb. 26, 1919

The State Engineer
Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir: Return of Ed. F. Kretschmer application for permit ~~##~~ also ~~herewith~~ herewith, if I may be permitted to say so; and you will find the fee there by the time this again reaches you. I am sorry that an oversight delayed remission of that same fee to the day following mailing of Mr. Kretschmer's application, but so it happened, and owing to forgetfulness. I hope this will correct the fault, of which I alone am to blame and herewith apologize. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Charles Pascoe

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CHARLES PASCOE
U. S. COMMISSIONER

BRUNEAU, IDAHO

Feb. 22, 1919

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The State Engineer
Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir: With reference to the application for permit of Ed. F. Kretschmer, the fee was not enclosed, I believe, with the papers, and so I am sending it herewith.

Very truly,

Charles Pascoe

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