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Washington County \*  
Small Creek \*  
Irrigation \*  
.3 of 1 second foot \*  
Priority 6-18-1903 \*  
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S T A T E O F I D A H O

Water License No. 726.

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WHEREAS, On the 18th day of June. A.D. 1904, JOHN F. MERRITT, of Meadows, County of Washington, and State of Idaho, duly made application ( No. 993) to me for a permit to use 3.2 cubic feet per second of the waters of a small creek emptying into Little Salmon River, County of Washington, State of Idaho, for irrigation and domestic purposes; and.

THEREAS, On the 6th day of August A.D. 1904 Permit No. 726, was issued to said applicant for the diversion of said water, and providing for the completion of the works of diversion therein described on or before the 6th day of August A.D. 1906, and for the application to beneficial use of said water on or before the 6th day of August A.D. 1908, and,

THEREAS, On the 6th day of August A.D. 1906, the holder of said permit duly made proof of the completion of adequate works for the diversion of 3.2 cubic feet per second of said waters, as evidenced by my Certificate No. 726, dated August 23, 1906, confirming the completion of works of sufficient capacity for diverting and conveying to the place of intended use 3.2 cubic feet per second of water, with date of priority of June 18, 1904, and,

WHEREAS, On the 12th day of September A.D. 1908, proof was duly made of the application to beneficial use of .3 of 1 cubic foot per second of said water;

NOW, THEREFORE, By virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the State of Idaho, I hereby grant and confirm to JOHN F. MERRITT, of Meadows, Idaho, the holder and owner of said Permit No. 726, a perpetual right, dating from June 18, 1904, to the use of .3 of 1 cubic foot per second of the waters of a small creek emptying into Salmon River, in the County of Washington, and State of Idaho, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purposes hereinbelow mentioned, to be diverted at a point in the SE<sup>1</sup><sub>4</sub> SW<sup>1</sup><sub>4</sub> Sec. 1. T. 20 N.R. 1 E.B.M., and SW<sup>1</sup><sub>4</sub> of SE<sup>1</sup><sub>4</sub> of section 2, township 20 north range 1 east of Boise meridian, and conducted to and upon (15 acres in the south half of south-east quarter of section 2, township 20 north, range 1 east of Boise Meridian, for the purpose of irrigation and domestic use, subject, however, to the laws of the State of Idaho applicable to a license for the use of the waters of the State, and subject, also the local or community customs, rules and regulations which have been or may be adopted from time to time by a majority of the users from a common source of supply, canal or lateral from which such water may be taken when such rules and regulations have for their object the economical use of such water.

WITNESS, My hand and the seal of my office at Boise, Idaho, this 8th day of October,  
A.D. Nineteen hundred and eight.

Jas. Stephenson, Jr.  
State Engineer.

(SEAL)

Recorded October 8, 1908

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## Record of Application

78-2002

10525 G&amp;P-STATEN

1. Name of applicant

John F. Merritt

Postoffice address: P. O.

Meadows

County

Washington

I. If applicant is a corporation give

- (a) Date and place of incorporation
- (b) The amount of capital stock
- (c) The amount paid in
- (d) The 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. The quantity of water claimed is 3.2 cubic feet per second

3. Source of water supply - a small creek emptying into Little Salmon River in Sec.

10 T<sub>20</sub> N. R. 1 E. Washington County.4. Location of point of diversion See plat S.E. 1/4 of S.W. 1/4 Sec. 1, T<sub>20</sub> N. R. 1 E. and S.W. 1/4 of S.E. 1/4 of Sec. 2 T<sub>20</sub> N. R. 1 E.

5. To be used for:

I. Irrigation and domestic use:

(a) Number of acres to be irrigated 160 acres

(b) In the following legal subdivisions S.E. 1/4 S.W. 1/4 + S.W. 1/4 S.E. 1/4 of Sec. 2 and

S.W. 1/4 S.W. 1/4 Sect. 1 Township 20 North Range 1 East

II. Mining, power, manufacturing or transportation purposes:

- (a) To be used for
- (b) Amount of power to be generated horse power
- (c) At what point
- (d) If water is to be returned to stream, ("yes" or "no")
- (e) If "yes" at what point

6. Estimated cost of works one hundred dollars

7. Description of works for diversion:

I. Kind of works (reservoir, dam, ditch, flume, pipes or otherwise) - 2 Ditches

II. Dimensions of works:

Head gates of each ditch will be of lumber 12 inches in wide with gates to raise or lower for the desired amt of water needed.

(a) Height of dam feet, length of dam at top feet

length of dam at bottom feet, material used in construction

(wood, earth, stone or concrete)

(b) Capacity of reservoir acre feet.

(c) Size of headgate, width feet, height feet.

(d) Ditch (flume or pipe) width at bottom feet, width at water

line feet, depth of water feet. Average

grade per mile is about 25 feet. Length of ditch is Each about 1200 ft.

miles, and they cross the following quarter sections practically lie all within the

S.E. 1/4 of S.W. 1/4 S.E. 1/4 Sec. 2, and S.W. 1/4 of S.W. 1/4 of Sec. 1 T<sub>20</sub> N. R. 1 E.

to which is the point of intended use.

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8. Time required for the completion of the construction of such work is two years. (The time must in no case exceed five years after date of approval of application.)
9. Time required for the complete application of the water to the proposed use is two years years. (The time must in no case exceed four years after the date set for the completion of works as defined in Section 8.)

Remarks:

# the Public Waters of the

## APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER.

The number of this permit is 725

Date of first receipt of application 12 m. July 12, 1904

Returned to applicant for correction 190

Corrected application received 190

Recorded in Book 3 Page 725

Approved August 6, 1904

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 grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

One-fifth of the work above specified to be completed on or before February 6, 1906

The whole of said work to be completed on or before August 6, 1907

The time for the proof of beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith, to extend to August 6, 1911

Witness my hand this sixth day of August 1904

Wayne Darlington  
State Engineer.

# the Public Waters of the

## APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER.

The number of this permit is—726—

Date of first receipt of application—5 a.m. June 18—1904

Returned to applicant for correction—June 18—1904

Corrected application received—July 13—1904

Recorded in Book—3—Page—726—

Approved August 6, 1904

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 grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

One-fifth of the work above specified to be completed on or before—August 6, 1905—

The whole of said work to be completed on or before—August 6, 1906—

The time for the proof of beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith, to extend to

—August 6, 1908—

Witness my hand this sixth day of August, 1904

Wayne Darlington  
State Engineer.

Form 103: Notice of Proof of Completion of Works mailed applicant May 1, 1906  
Notice of Proof of Completion received fixing August 6, 1906 as the date and  
Meadows Washington Co as the place of proof. Notice of publication sent  
to Meadows Eagle June 29, 1906 also blanks and instructions to applicant  
to make proof. Deposition of Witnesses and Holder received August 9, 1906  
also Affidavit of publication and Engineers report All papers being in  
Certificate was duly issued on the 23rd day of August 1906

# or Permit to Appropriate

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8. Time required for the completion of the construction of such work is 3 years. (The time must in no case exceed five years after date of approval of application.)

9. Time required for the complete application of the water to the proposed use is 3 years. (The time must in no case exceed four years after the date set for the completion of works as defined in Section 8.)

Remarks:

State of Idaho. No. 973.

Permit No 726

Certificate of Completion of Works-

To All Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that John F. Merritts of Meadows, County of Washington, and State of Idaho, the holder of Permit No 726, issued upon Application No 973, bearing date of priority of June 18, 1904, authorizing the diversion of 3.2 second-feet of the waters of an unnamed stream County of Washington, State of Idaho, at SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 1, and SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 2, Township 20 North, Range 1 East of Boise Meridian, 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 three and two-tenths second-feet of water; and that the lands proposed to be irrigated by the use of said water are described as follows, to-wit SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$ , S  $\frac{1}{2}$  of SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 2, and SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section One, Township 20 North, Range 1 East of Boise Meridian

Witness my hand this twenty-third day of August A.D. 1906

Jas Stephenson Jr  
State Engineer of the State of Idaho

License issued for  $\frac{3}{10}$  second feet

P. 370

# Record of Application

40525 CAP STATE

1. Name of applicant Carl Hanson  
Postoffice address: P. O. Carey  
County Blaine

CANCELLED pursuant to Sec. 5594,  
Compiled Statutes of Idaho, by  
order of Commissioner of Reclamation  
dated JAN 12 1922

I. If applicant is a corporation give no  
(a) Date and place of incorporation  
(b) The amount of capital stock  
(c) The amount paid in  
(d) The 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. The quantity of water claimed is the equivalent of a continuous flow of six cubic feet per second  
3. Source of water supply the surplus flood and winter flow of Fish Creek, Blaine County  
4. Location of point of diversion Immediately below dam marked on plat in N.W. 4 Sec. 3 T. 1 N. 22 E.

5. To be used for:  
I. Irrigation and domestic use:  
(a) Number of acres to be irrigated 300 acres  
(b) In the following legal subdivisions 1/2 S.W. 4 S.W. 4 N.W. 4 Sec. 3 S.E. 4 N.E. 4 Sec. 4 N.W. 4 S.E. 4 N.W. 4 N.E. 4 S.W. 4 Sec. 10 T. 1 N. R. 22 E. B.M. 320 acres = -  
(20 acres in willows - can't irrigate)  
II. Mining, power, manufacturing or transportation purposes:

(a) To be used for  
(b) Amount, of power to be generated \_\_\_\_\_ horse power  
(c) At what point  
(d) If water is to be returned to stream, ("yes" or "no")  
(e) If "yes" at what point

6. Estimated cost of works Five hundred dollars

7. Description of works for diversion:  
I. Kind of works (reservoir, dam, ditch, flume, pipes or otherwise) Dams and ditches now in use, small, see maps, dam to be built for storage.

II. Dimensions of works:  
(a) Height of dam 10 feet, length of dam at top 600 feet  
length of dam at bottom 500 feet, material used in construction  
(wood, earth, stone or concrete) earth and wood  
(b) Capacity of reservoir 20 acre feet.  
(c) Size of headgate, width 6 feet, height 4 feet.  
(d) Ditch (flume or pipe) width at bottom 3 feet, width at water line 2 feet, depth of water one feet. Average grade per mile is 100 feet. Length of ditch is 1 3/4 miles, and it crosses the following quarter sections 1/2 S.W. = S.W. N.W. N.W. S.W. Sec. 3 + N.W. N.W. S.E. N.W. N.E. S.W. Sec. 10, T. 1 N. 22 E. B.M.

to (except N.W. S.W. Sec. 3) which is the point of intended use.

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 78-2002

OWNER LAST NAME - MERRITT

FIRST NAME - JOHN F.

ORIG OWNER -

**VERIFIED LGS**

ADDRESS LINE 1 -

ADDRESS LINE 2 -

ADDRESS LINE 3 -

CITY - MEADOWS

STATE - ID ZIP CODE -

SOURCE - UNNAMED STREAM

TRIBUTARY OF - LITTLE SALMON RIVER

STAGE - LICENSE

STATUS -

PRIORITY - 06-18-1903 COUNTY - ADAMS

TOTAL DIV. RATE - .3000 -CFS

TOTAL DIV. VOLUME -

.00 AFA TRFR/AMEND -

WATER DIST. -

DLE/CAREY ACT -

RIGHT BASIS -

DIVERSION POINT - SESW 01 20N 01E LOT

REDIV -

272.0 92.0 104.0 27.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 1.7

SWSE 02 20N 01E LOT

REDIV -

272.0 92.0 104.0 26.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 1.0

FROM - TO -

USE - IRRIGATION

USE DIV. RATE -

.3000 CFS USE DIV. VOLUME - .00 AFA

FROM - TO -

USE - DOMESTIC

USE DIV. RATE -

.0000 CFS USE DIV. VOLUME - .00 AFA

USE - IRRIGATION

PLACE OF USE - TWN 20N RNG 01E SEC 02 TRACT SWSE LOT

AC 10 TRACT SESE LOT

AC 05

DECREE NAME -

DATE -

TOTAL ACRES

15

REMARKS - AC. IRR.=15.

NON IRRIG USE -

OTHER RIGHTS FOR SAME USE -

PROOF DUE -

PERMIT/DENIED -

PROTESTED -

HEARING -

OLD NO. - 726

PROOF MADE -

FLO EXAM -

COND. OF APPROVAL -

DIVERSION MEANS -

**01/30/85**

# WATER RIGHT ANALYSIS FORM

- DATA ENTRY -

Identification No. 726 1 78-2002  
 Old No. New No.

## Record

1. Original Owner: John F. Merritt

Present Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Address:

3. City: Meadows State: ID Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

4. A. Source of Water: Small Creek

B. Tributary of:

5. A. Stage (A,P,L,D,S,J): L

B. Status (D,L,R,C,A,I,F - leave blank if valid):

C. Priority Date: 6-18-1903

D. County: 87

E. Total Diversion Rate: .3

F. Total Diversion Volume:

G. Transfer/Amendment (P,T of A or blank):

H. Water District:

I. DLE/Carey Act (D,C or blank):

J. Right Basis (for adjudication claims A,B,C only):

|                          | Tract        | Sec.     | Twp.       | Rge.      | Gov't Lot | Rediv. |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| 6. A. Point of Diversion | <u>SE SW</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>20N</u> | <u>1E</u> |           |        |
|                          | <u>SW SE</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>20N</u> | <u>1E</u> |           |        |
|                          |              |          |            |           |           |        |
|                          |              |          |            |           |           |        |
|                          |              |          |            |           |           |        |

7. Period of Use, Use, Diversion Rate/Volume:

from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ for A purposes. Amount .3  
 (cfs or ~~AC-FT/yr~~)

from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ for 10 purposes. Amount \_\_\_\_\_

from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ purposes. Amount \_\_\_\_\_

from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ purposes. Amount \_\_\_\_\_

from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ purposes. Amount \_\_\_\_\_

from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ purposes. Amount \_\_\_\_\_

from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ purposes. Amount \_\_\_\_\_

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[illegible]

9. A. Decree Name:

B. Decree Date:

10. Remarks: A. *Ac. in.* = 15.  
B.  
C.  
D.  
E.

11. Other Uses (Non-irrigation explanatory information):

## 12. Other Rights for Same Use:

13. A. Proof Due Date:

B. Date Permit Approved or Denied:

C. Protested Date:

D. Hearing Date:

E. Old Number: 726

F. Proof Made (P or blank):

G. Field Exam Made (P,R,F or blank):

H. Conditions of Approval:

14. Diversion Means (brief narrative):