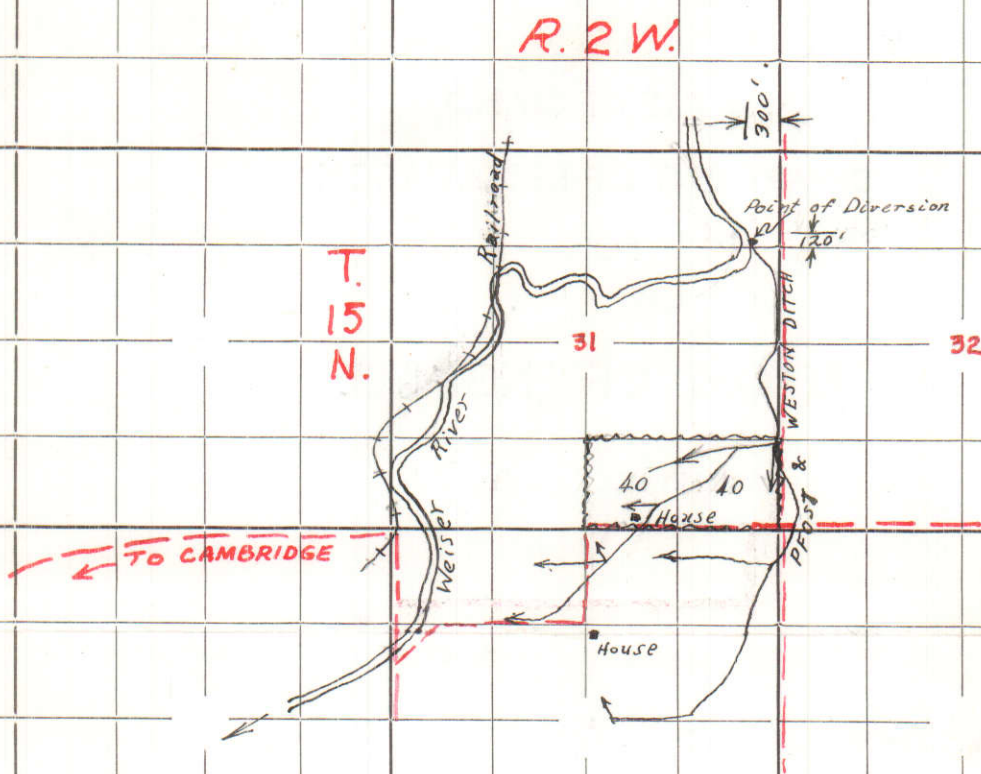




Area Irrigated = 80 Acres

allow 30 inches

James M. Thomason

Cambridge, Idaho

Permit No. 22612

Examination for Completion of Works
and Beneficial Use

County Washington

S. 31 - 15N. - 2W

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Q = 1.6 cfs

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P.D. = NE. NE. Sec 31, T. 15N., R. 2W.

Use - Irrigation

Priority = Feb. 25, 1952
Due - Aug. 25, 1952

**NOTICE OF PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS
and
APPLICATION OF WATER TO
BENEFICIAL USE**

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1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit is James M. Thomason, Cambridge, Idaho.

2. Said works of diversion will be fully completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conveying to the place of use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is, 1.6 cubic feet per second.

3. The use to which said water has been applied is Irrigation purposes, and the amount applied to beneficial use is 1.6 cubic feet per second.

4. The place where said water is used is S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 31, Twp. 15 N. R. 2 W.

5. The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is February 20, 1952.

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

State of Idaho
County of Washington } ss.

Stuart Dopf, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the publisher, foreman, principal clerk, of THE NEWS-REPORTER, a weekly newspaper published at Cambridge, Washington County, Idaho, and that said paper has been published continuously for more than 78 weeks immediately preceding the first publication of the attached notice; that said paper is in general circulation in the county aforesaid and in the vicinity of Cambridge, Idaho; that the notice, a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in said newspaper once a week for four consecutive weeks in the regular and entire issue of every number thereof during the period and time of publication, and was published in the newspaper proper and not in a supplement thereto; that the publication of said notice began with the issue of July 24, 1952, and ended with the issue of Aug. 14, 1952

Stuart Dopf

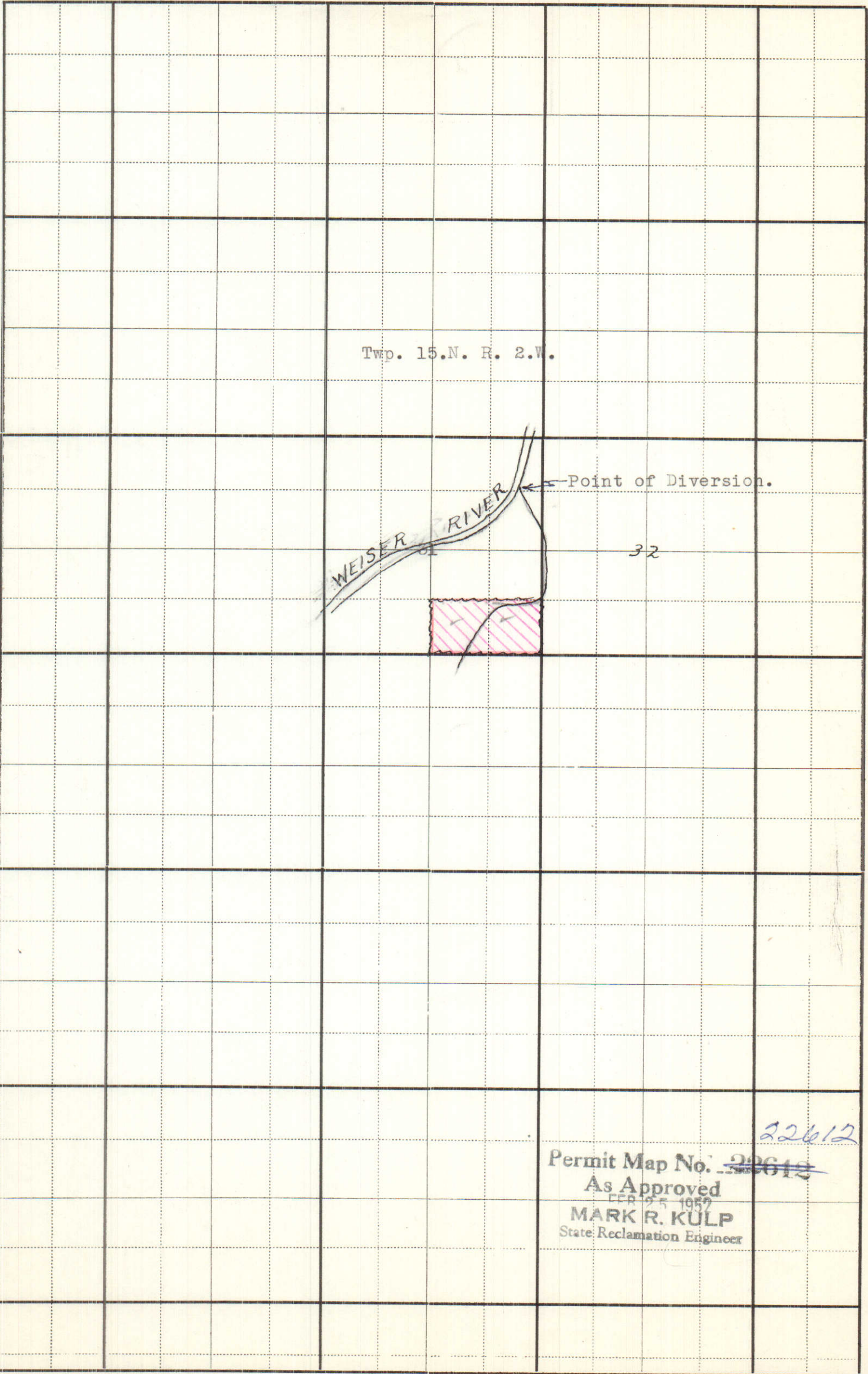
Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22 day of August, 1952

Arthur Wilson

Notary Public for Idaho, residing at
Cambridge, Idaho

22612



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7-24-52

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MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer

7-24-52

State of Idaho
License and Certificate of Water Right

Water License No. 22612 Amount 0.6 second foot
Water District No. _____ Priority February 20, 1952

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that **JAMES M. THOMASON**
of **Cambridge, Idaho**, made application for a permit to appropriate the
public waters of the State of Idaho, dated **February 20**, 19 **52**; that Permit No. **22612**
was issued under said application; that Certificate of Completion of works, with a carrying capacity of
1.6 second feet, was issued thereunder on **January 6**, 19 **53**, showing that said works
were completed on the **22nd** day of **August**, 19 **52**, and that on the **22nd**
day of **August**, 19 **52**,

JAMES M. THOMASON
of **Cambridge**, State of **Idaho**, made proof to the satisfaction of the
State Reclamation Engineer of Idaho, of the right to use the waters of **Main**
Weiser River, ~~for the purpose of~~ **irrigation**
under Use Permit No. **22612** of the **Department of Reclamation**
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 Reclamation Engineer of Idaho and entered of record in Volume
8 of Licenses at page **5043**, on the **6th** day of **January**, 19 **53**;
The right hereby confirmed dates from **February 20**, 19 **52**;

The Point of Diversion is located
in the **NE 1/4 NE 1/4**, Sec. **31**, Tp. **15 N**, R. **2 W**, B. M. **Washington County**
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 **0.6** cubic foot per second.

Description and location of use:

Twp.	Range	Sec.	Forty-acre Tract	No. Acres Described in Permit	No. Acres Actually Irrigated
15 N	2 W	31	SW 1/4 SE 1/4	40	40
			SE 1/4 SE 1/4	40	40
			Number of Acres Actually Irrigated/		80

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.

WITNESS the seal and signature of the State Reclamation Engineer, affixed at Boise, Idaho, this
6th day of **January**, 19**53**.

(SEAL) **MARK R. KULP**
State Reclamation Engineer

State of Idaho

License and Certificate of Water Right

Water License No. 20931 Amount 0.46 second foot
Water District No. Priority April 7, 1950

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that ELMER F. OWENS
of Weiser, Idaho, made application for a permit to appropriate the
public waters of the State of Idaho, dated January 31, 1949; that Permit No. 20931
was issued under said application; that Certificate of Completion of works, with a carrying capacity of
0.6 second foot, was issued thereunder on February 1, 1950, showing that said works
were completed on the 13th day of January, 1950; and that on the 11th
day of April, 1952,

ELMER F. OWENS
of Weiser, State of Idaho, made proof to the satisfaction of the
State Reclamation Engineer of Idaho, of the right to use the waters of a well
~~xxtributary~~ (subterranean flow), for the purpose of irrigation
, under Use Permit No. 20931 of the Department of Reclamation
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 Reclamation Engineer of Idaho and entered of record in Volume
8 of Licenses at page 5044, on the 14th day of January, 1953;
The right hereby confirmed dates from April 7, 1950;

The Point of Diversion is located
in the SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 23, Tp. 10 N., R. 5 West, B. M. Washington County

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 0.46 cubic foot per second.

Description and location of use:

Twp.	Range	Sec.	Forty-acre Tract	No. Acres Described in Permit	No. Acres Actually Irrigated
10 N.	5 W.	23	SW 1/4 SE 1/4	19	18
			SE 1/4 SE 1/4	9	10
			Number of Acres Actually Irrigated -		28

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.

WITNESS the seal and signature of the State Reclamation Engineer, affixed at Boise, Idaho, this
14th day of January, 1953.

(SEAL) MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT 67-2212

To Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho

APPLICATION No. 30354
 PERMIT No. 22612
 DISTRICT No.

1. Name of Applicant: JAMES M. THOMASON

Postoffice address: Cambridge

County: Washington

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:

- (b) Treasury stock:
- (d) Other resources: 80 acre farm

(a) Cash on hand: \$1,000.00

(c) Bonds to be issued:

2. Quantity of water claimed: 1.6

cubic feet per second.

3. Source of water supply: Main Weiser River

which is a tributary of

4. Location of point of diversion: 500 ft. W.

feet distant from the Southeast

of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$

corner/of Section 31, T. 15 N., R. 2 W., B.M., and is in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$

of Section 31, T. 15 N., R. 2 W., B.M., County of Washington

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: \$ Ditch and headgate already in use, since 8-27-1910

8. Kind of works: Headgate and open ditch

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 feet; width at water line feet; depth of water feet;

dimensions of flume:

Diameter of pipe inches; length of conduit miles.

Average grade per mile feet.

12. The time required for the completion of such work is years.

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

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

15. Existing water rights and/or valid permits appurtenant to the lands to be irrigated are: 50 in. right dates 8-27-1910-
 Priority No. 127- Main Weiser River.

16. (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 water of the State of Idaho as herein set forth.

JAMES M. THOMASON

Applicant.

By

Agent.

Date of first receipt at Department of Reclamation: 4:30 P. M. February 20, 1952

Returned to applicant for correction:

Corrected application received:

Approval of State Reclamation Engineer

The number of this permit is 22612

Recorded in Book 81

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Approved February 25, 1952

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 April 25, 1952

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 **May 25, 1952**

The whole of said work to be completed on or before August 25, 1952

Beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith, to be made on or before August 25, 1952

WITNESS My hand this 25th day of February, 1952

MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, WE, LEN JORDAN, Governor of the State of Idaho,

and IRA H. MASTERS, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, have caused this instrument to

be executed in the name of the State of Idaho, and caused the Great Seal of the State of Idaho to be hereunto affixed, this 25th

day of February, 19 52.

STATE OF IDAHO

Countersigned:

(SEAL)

By LEN JORDAN

By IRA H. MASTERS

Governor.

Secretary of State.

This application is for priority to flood waters of the Weiser River.

REMARKS:

I have examined the water rights, dates of priority, claims of use, and find them to be as stated. The land to which this water is to go needs this added amount and is available during runoff of Weiser River

T. C. Woods

Watermaster Dist. 41

Twp.	Range	Sec.	NE1/4				NW1/4				SW1/4				SE1/4				Totals		
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15 N.	2 W.	31	CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION OF WORKS TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: This is to certify that James M. Thomason of Cambridge, County of Washington, and State of Idaho, the holder of Permit No. 22612, issued upon Application No. 30354 bearing date of priority of February 20, 1952, authorizing the diversion of 1.6 second feet of the waters of Main Weiser River, County of Washington, State of Idaho, for irrigation 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 1.6 second feet of the waters of Main Weiser River; that the point of diversion of said waters is in the NE1/4 NE1/4 Section 31, Township 15 North, Range 2 West, B.M. and that the lands proposed to be irrigated by the use of said water are described as follows to-wit: S1/2 SE1/4 Section 31, Township 15 North, Range 2 West, B.M. Witness my hand this 6th day of January, A.D. 1953. Mark R. Kulp State Reclamation Engineer Proof of completion of works made August 22, 1952. Certificate of Completion of Works issued Jan. 6, 1953.																40	40	80

PERMIT ISSUED FOR 0.6 SEC. FT.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 67-2212

OWNER LAST NAME - THOMASON

FIRST NAME - JAMES M.

ORIG OWNER -

ADDRESS LINE 1 -

ADDRESS LINE 2 -

ADDRESS LINE 3 -

CITY - CAMBRIDGE

STATE - ID ZIP CODE -

SOURCE - WEISER RIVER

TRIBUTARY OF - SNAKE RIVER

STAGE - LICENSE

STATUS -

PRIORITY - 02-20-1952 COUNTY - WASHINGTON TOTAL DIV. RATE - .6000 -CFS

TOTAL DIV. VOLUME -

.00 AFA TRFR/AMEND -

WATER DIST. - 67 DLE/CAREY ACT - RIGHT BASIS -

DIVERSION POINT - NENE 31 15N 02W LOT REDIV - 272.0 288.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 51.0

FROM - TO -

USE - IRRIGATION

USE DIV. RATE -

.6000 CFS USE DIV. VOLUME - .00 AFA

USE - IRRIGATION

PLACE OF USE - TWN 15N RNG 02W SEC 31 TRACT SWSE LOT AC 40 TRACT SESE LOT AC 40

DECREE NAME -

DATE -

TOTAL ACRES 80

REMARKS -

NON IRRIG USE -

OTHER RIGHTS FOR SAME USE -

PROOF DUE -

PERMIT/DENIED -

PROTESTED -

HEARING -

OLD NO. - 22612

PROOF MADE -

FLO EXAM -

COND. OF APPROVAL -

DIVERSION MEANS -

IDENT. 67-2212

WATER RIGHT
DATA ENTRY LOG

[illegible]

January 13, 1953

RE: Permit No. 22612

Mr. James M. Thomason
Cambridge
Idaho

Dear Mr. Thomason:

We enclose Certificate of Completion of Works, also License and Certificate of Water Right issued under Permit No. 22612, confirming your right to the use of 0.6 of a second foot of water from Main Weiser River with point of diversion in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 31, Township 15 North, Range 2 West, B.M., and priority of February 20, 1952, for irrigation of land in the S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 31.

We also enclose departmental receipt No. 25344 for the \$9.00 fees paid in connection with proof of completion of works and license.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:fg
Enc.

22612

December 11, 1932

RE: Permit No. 22612

Mr. James M. Thomason
Cambridge
Idaho

Dear Mr. Thomason:

The report of our field engineer on examination for completion of works and beneficial use on Permit No. 22612, shows that you have irrigated 80 acres in the S¹ SE¹ Section 31, Township 15 North, Range 2 West, B.M.

Since you already have a decreed right for 50 inches of water from Weiser River for use on this land, a license can be issued for an additional 30 inches, or 0.6 of a second foot, making a total of 80 inches, or 1 inch per acre.

The fee for Certificate of Completion of Works is \$5.00, and \$4.00 for license fee or a total of \$9.00.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:fg

22612

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE

REPORT OF ENGINEER

PERMIT NO. 22612

REPORT ON PROOF OF Completion of works
and Beneficial use

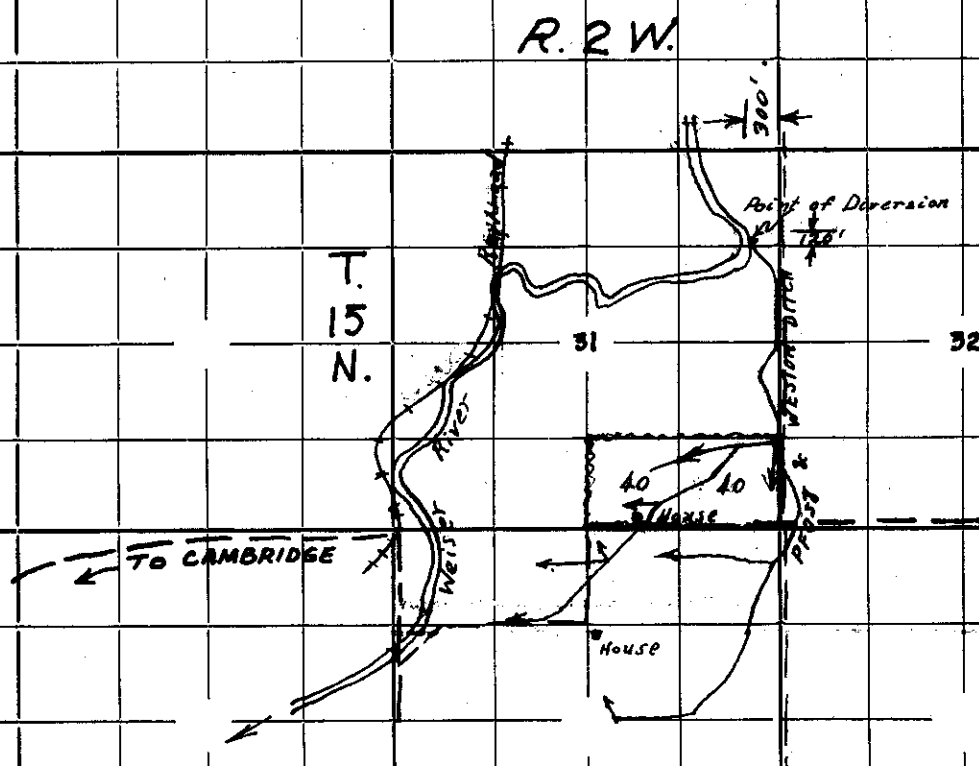
JAMES M. THOMASON, Cambridge, Idaho

.6 cfs
lower

app. 1.6 cfs.

50 acres

2-40's



Area Irrigated = 80 Acres

allow 30 inches

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO
REPORT OF ENGINEER

Permit No. 22612

This proof is for Completion of Works & Beneficial Use In Water District No. _____

1. Name of applicant James M. Thomason, Cambridge, Idaho
2. Source of water supply: Weiser River
3. Location of point of diversion: Is in the NE¹/₄ NE¹/₄ of Section 31
T. 15 N. R. 2 W. County of Washington
4. Describe works as they exist, giving dimensions and capacities of same: Rock and gravel dam 5' wide, 4' high, and 100' long. The east half of dam is of placed rock. The west half of the dam is bulldozed gravel. A shaped post jacks support 2"x12" planks for regulating water level into the ditch. Ditch leads off to the east side of the dam then turns south. Cross-section of ditch is 8' deep, 8' wide on the bottom, and 15' wide on top. 120' from the head of the ditch is a 4' dia. pipe 15' long with a private road over it. Regulation of water in ditch is accomplished by placing boards across the upper end of the 4' pipe. First user is approx. 1/2 mile down the ditch from the point of diversion.
5. Water is used for: Irrigation
6. State whether or not water has been turned into works of diversion: Yes
7. List legal subdivisions 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 other than irrigation):
S¹/₂ SE¹/₄ Section 31, Township 15 North, Range 2 West, B. M.
See Map

(Submit map on attached plat, showing location and details of above description.)

8. What large stream would the water here appropriated finally reach? Weiser River
- Remarks: The same dam and ditch are used for decreed right and have been for many years. This permit is intended to supplement the decree. Ditch and works are of sufficient size and capacity to carry the amount of water filed on.

This examination was made on the 24th day of September, 19 52

(Signed) Alfred H. Larson
Examiner.

22612

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James M. Thomason
Cambridge, Idaho
Permit No. 22612

Examination for Completion of Works
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S. 31 - 15N. - 2W

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is also used as culvert for brook.

Priority - Feb. 25, 1952
Due - May 25, 1952

1 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE
2 STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHINGTON

3 John T. Muir and Wm. H. Muir,)
4 partners doing business under)
5 firm name of Muir Brothers,)
6 Plaintiffs,) F E C R E E
7 vs)
8 William Allison, et al,)
9 Defendants.)

10 It is ordered, adjudged and decreed that the waters of Weiser River
11 and all of its tributaries be and the same are hereby decreed to plaintiffs
12 herein and to the various defendants and cross-complainants hereinafter
13 named, in the following amounts and from the dates and in the order of
14 priority hereinafter stated, each inch as hereinafter stated being the
equivalent of one fiftieth of a cubic ~~foot~~ second foot of flow; said
waters to be diverted from the said Weiser River and its tributaries by the
plaintiffs and defendants and cross-complainants hereinafter named and
through the ditches and from the various tributaries of the said Weiser
River hereinafter named:

15 WATER ALLOTMENTS CONTAINING NAMES OF PARTIES, AMOUNTS
16 ALLOTTED IN INCHES WITH DATES OF PRIORITY

17 NAMES	18 AMOUNTS IN INCHES	19 DATES
(Post-Weston Ditch)		
Goldie Abernathy	50 inches	Aug. 27th. 1910

20 The said water allotted and decreed as aforesaid is for use upon
21 the several tracts of land hereinafter set forth following the name of the
22 party to whom such allotment is made:

23 GOLDIE ABERNATHY

24 The South Half of the Southeast Quarter of Sec. 31, Twp 15 N. R.
25 2 W. B. M.

26 Dated June 20th. 1921.

27 ED L. BRYAN, Judge

28 Filed and entered June 21 1912
29 Book E of Judgments, page 301, et sec

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31
32 82612

✓
December 4, 1952

RE: Permit No. 22612

Mr. James M. Thompson
Cambridge
Idaho

Dear Mr. Thompson:

In checking regarding your permit which is up for license, we are unable to determine with certainty regarding the decreed right which you claim for the land.

Will you please give us full information regarding the decreed right as to:

1. To whom was it decreed?
2. To what land was it decreed?
3. In case it has been changed from its original place of use, when was it changed and by whom? And was the change recorded anywhere?

Very truly yours,

MARK H. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

K. N. Humphrey
Deputy State Reclamation Engineer

H:fg

22612



LEN JORDAN
GOVERNOR

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
MARK R. KULP, STATE RECLAMATION ENGINEER

BOISE

December 4, 1952

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Department of Reclamation

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MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By *E. N. Humphrey*
E. N. Humphrey
Deputy State Reclamation Engineer

H:fg

I believe, this copy of Decree, from my abstract, will supply you with the information you desire. There has not been any change in usage of this water.
Yours
James M. Thomason
22612

August 26, 1952

RE: Permit No. 22612

Mr. James M. Thomason
Cambridge
Idaho

Dear Mr. Thomason:

We have received from Mr. Arthur Wilson, Notary Public, the depositions of yourself and two witnesses, also affidavit of publication in the Cambridge News-Reporter, all submitted in proof of completion of works and beneficial use under Permit No. 22612.

Before final action is taken in the matter, the law requires that a field examination be made by an engineer from this department.

We cannot tell just when this examination will be made, but our field engineer will try and contact you at the time he makes the examination so that arrangements may be made to show him over the grounds.

Meanwhile, we return your receipted bill for the publication which doubtless you will wish to keep in your own files.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

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Department of Reclamation

Permit No. _____

Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use and Completion of Work

Deposition of Holder

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

Ans. James M. Thomason, age 44, farmer, Cambridge, Idaho.

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

Ans. _____

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

Ans. No. 22612, Approved Feb. 25, 1952, Priority date of Feb. 25, 1952

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

Ans. Weiser River. In the ne $\frac{1}{4}$ ne $\frac{1}{4}$, about 500 ft W from the se
corner thereof; in Sec. 31, Twp. 15 N. R. 2 W. 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. If a well, state depth of well, depth and size of casing and depth to water. If pump is used, state discharge of pump and tell how it was measured or determined.

Ans. Dam in River, headgate, capable of 500 or more inches.

Name- Post-Weston Ditch. Open ditch to place of use.

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. 40 A in the sw $\frac{1}{4}$ se $\frac{1}{4}$

40 A in the se $\frac{1}{4}$ se $\frac{1}{4}$. Sec. 31, Twp. 15 N. R. 2 W. B. M.
cultivated lands.

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

Ans. none

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

Ans. _____

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. _____

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

Ans. Water has been applied on the lands since before 1910, in amounts varying from 50 to 200 inches. Flood water has been used annually by me since 1940.

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. Water under the right of No. 127-dated 8-27-1910 has been used annually on the place since date of filing, together with additional flood waters when required and when available.

(Sign)

James M. Thomason

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 Cambridge, County of Washington, State of Idaho, on this 22nd day of August, A. D. 19 52,

Arthur Wilson

My commission expires Nov. 17, 1953

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

PERMIT NO. _____

Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use
and Completion of Work
Deposition of Witness

The deposition of two witnesses, on this form, taken separately, required in each case.

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

Ans. Fred M. Jewell, age 66, farmer, Cambridge, Idaho

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with James M. Thomason, the holder of Permit No. 22612? How long have you known him and where does he reside?

Ans. yes 40 years, at Cambridge

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 22612, 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. Weiser River in ne $\frac{1}{4}$ ne $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 31, Twp. 15 N. R 2 W.
Dam in river, with headgate, and open ditch to lands irrigated.

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. 10 sec feet or more, and about 3 sec feet at the
Thomason place

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, on the S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 31, Twp. 15 N. R. 2 W. B.M.
water covers 40 A in each subdivision.

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

Ans. _____

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. heavy black soil, requiring up to 2 in per acre

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. Place joins mine, and I have seen water on the lands
almost daily during irrigation season

(Signed) Fred M. Jewell

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 Cambridge,
County of Washington, State of Idaho, on this 22nd day of August,
A. D. 19 52.

Arthur Wilson

Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov. 17, 1953.

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

PERMIT NO. _____

Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use
Deposition of Witness ^{and Completion of Work}

The deposition of two witnesses, on this form, taken separately, required in each case.

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

Ans. Frank Ingebretsen, age 53, farmer, Cambridge, Idaho

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with James M. Thomason, the holder of Permit No. 22612? How long have you known him and where does he reside?

Ans. yes, 24 years, at Cambridge

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 22612, 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. Weiser River, in the ne $\frac{1}{4}$ ne $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 31, Twp. 15 N. R. 2 W. B. M., about 500 feet west from the se corner thereof

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. Ditch will carry up to 800 inches. I have seen that much in the ditch.

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. in the sw $\frac{1}{4}$ se $\frac{1}{4}$: 40 acres

se $\frac{1}{4}$ se $\frac{1}{4}$; 40 acres.

cultivated lands.

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

Ans. _____

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. black loam soil, that would require as much as 2 inches
per acre if cultivated intensively.

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, except that I am a user of water through the above ditch.

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. Since 1919 I have seen water used on the above lands, water
in amounts over and above the established right of 8-27-1910.

(Signed) Frank R. Englebert

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 Cambridge,
County of Washington, State of Idaho, on this 22nd day of August,
A. D. 1952.

Arthur Wilson
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov. 17, 1953.

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NOTICE OF PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS

APPLICATION OF WATER TO BENEFICIAL USE

Notice is hereby given that at 10:00 a. m., on the 22nd day of August, 1952, at Cambridge, County of Washington, State of Idaho, before Arthur Wilson, Notary Public, proof will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of 1.6 cubic feet per second of the waters of Weiser River, and of the application to beneficial use of said water, in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 22612 heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit is James M. Thomason, Cambridge, Idaho.

2. Said works of diversion will be fully completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conveying to the place of use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is, 1.6 cubic feet per second.

3. The use to which said water has been applied is Irrigation purposes, and the amount applied to beneficial use is 1.6 cubic feet per second.

4. The place where said water is used is S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 31, Twp. 15 N. R. 2 W.

5. The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is February 20, 1952.

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

State of Idaho }
County of Washington } ss.

Stuart Dopf, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the publisher, foreman, principal clerk, of THE NEWS-REPORTER, a weekly newspaper published at Cambridge, Washington County, Idaho, and that said paper has been published continuously for more than 78 weeks immediately preceding the first publication of the attached notice; that said paper is in general circulation in the county aforesaid and in the vicinity of Cambridge, Idaho; that the notice, a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in said newspaper once a week for four consecutive weeks in the regular and entire issue of every number thereof during the period and time of publication, and was published in the newspaper proper and not in a supplement thereto; that the publication of said notice began with the issue of July 24, 1952, and ended with the issue of Aug. 14, 1952

Stuart Dopf

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22 day of August, 1952

Arthur Wilson

Notary Public for Idaho, residing at
Cambridge, Idaho

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July 17, 1952

RE: Permit No. 22612

Mr. James M. Thomason
Cambridge
Idaho

Dear Mr. Thomason:

We have sent to the Cambridge News Reporter notice of completion of works and beneficial use proofs to be made on your Permit No. 22612 before Mr. Arthur Wilson, Notary Public, on August 22, 1952.

When Mr. Ingebretsen was in the office yesterday, we gave him the necessary forms of deposition to be used in making this proof and at the time set you should appear before Mr. Wilson together with two disinterested witnesses who are familiar with the terms of the permit and the work done thereunder for the purpose of executing the depositions.

The Cambridge News Reporter has been instructed to send you the statement of costs together with the affidavit of publication and the affidavit should accompany your proof as it is a necessary part thereof.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

Re: Permit No. 22612

Date: July 16, 1952

Cambridge News-Reporter

Cambridge, Idaho

Gentlemen:

Enclosed you will find notice for publication once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to **August 22, 1952**, the date set for proof, the expense of the publication to be paid by the applicant, **James M. Thomason** of **Cambridge, Idaho**, to whom you should furnish proof of publication on or prior to the date set for proof.

Please acknowledge receipt of this notice, and furnish this office with a copy of the first publication.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer

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Chief Clerk

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NOTICE OF PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS
and
APPLICATION OF WATER TO BENEFICIAL USE

Notice is hereby given that at 10 A M., on the 15th 22nd
day of August, 19 52, at Cambridge, County of
Washington, State of Idaho, before Arthur Wilson, Notary Public,
proof will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of 1.6
cubic feet per second of the waters of Weiser River, and of
the application to beneficial use of said water, in accordance with the terms and
conditions of Permit No. 22612 heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation
of the State of Idaho.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation
holding said permit are James M. Thomason, Cambridge Idaho.

2. Said works of diversion will be fully completed on the date set for
such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of con-
veying to the place of use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the appli-
cation for such permit, is 1.6 cubic feet per second.

3. The use to which said water has been applied is Irrigation
purposes, and the amount applied to beneficial use is
1.6 cubic feet per second.

4. The place where said water is used is
S1SE1 Section 31, Twp. 15.N. R. 2.W.

5. The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is
February 20, 1952.

MARK. R. FULP.

State Reclamation Engineer

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NOTICE TO ACCOMPANY THIS LETTER MUST BE MADE IN DUPLICATE

(Date) July 11, 1952
(P. O.) Cambridge, Idaho.

TO THE STATE RECLAMATION ENGINEER:

Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby authorized to have the attached notice published at my expense in the
Cambridge News Reporter of Cambridge, Idaho published in
the county in which the works are situated.

Amos M. Thompson

(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.

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Engineer.

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE

June 2, 1952

Mr. James M. Thomason

Cambridge, Idaho

Dear Sir:

Under the terms of your permit No. 22612 you are required to complete your diversion works and make proof of beneficial use on or before _____

~~August 25, 1952~~

We enclose herewith a blank affidavit to be filled out, sworn to by you before a Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, and returned to this office on or before the above date, or within ten days thereafter, for the purpose of making proof of completion under the permit. Upon receipt of this affidavit in this office, provided the same satisfactorily shows the Completion of the Works substantially in accordance with the terms of the permit, together with a fee of \$5.00, a Certificate of Completion of Works will be issued to you.

We also enclose blank notice for proof of application of water to Beneficial Use under this permit, which should be filled out and returned to this office at least forty (40) days before the date upon which you wish to make proof. The proof must be submitted before a Notary Public or other officer authorized by law to administer oaths. The date for proof as set out in your permit, is _____ ~~August 25, 1952~~, and if proof is submitted subsequent to said date, your priority will be brought down a length of time equal to the time elapsing between the date proof should have been made and the date proof is actually made.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer

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February 29, 1952

RE: Permit No. 22612

Mr. James M. Thomason
Cambridge
Idaho

Dear Mr. Thomason:

We have approved your application for permit to appropriate 1.6 cubic feet per second of the public waters of the Weiser River, but doubt if the permit has any value, as the Weiser River Decree does not fix the beginning of the irrigation season in other than the general provision that water diverted must be put to beneficial use and the decree fixes the maximum duty of water at $5/8$ inch per acre which has already been decreed (50 inches to 80 acres).

We enclose Permit No. 22612, together with departmental receipt No. 24192 for the \$5.25 filing fee.

We note that you, Marjorie L. Baxter, and Frank R. Ingebretsen are ready to make proofs at any time and you wish the publication to be made jointly.

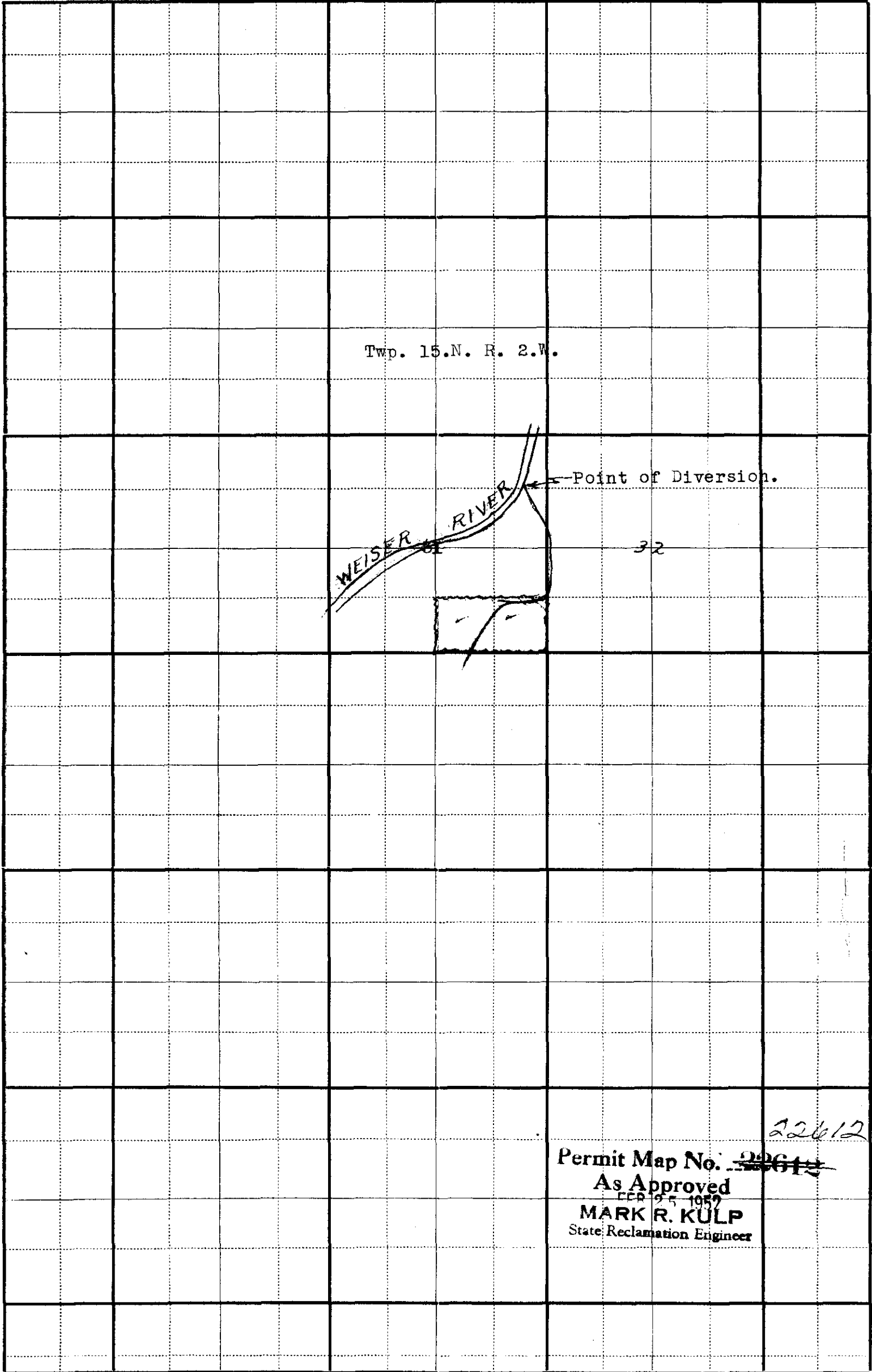
We enclose the form of affidavit for making proof of completion of works, and will prepare a form of notice for beneficial use proof on these 3 permits and send for your approval.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer

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MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer

NOTICE OF PROOF OF COMPLETION AND WORKS

APPLICATION OF WATER TO BENEFICIAL USE

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1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit is James M. Thomason, Cambridge, Idaho.

2. Said works of diversion will be fully completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conveying to the place of use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is, 1.6 cubic feet per second.

3. The use to which said water has been applied is Irrigation purposes, and the amount applied to beneficial use is 1.6 cubic feet per second.

4. The place where said water is used is S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 31, Twp. 15 N. R. 2 W.

5. The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is February 20, 1952.

MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer

7-24-52

**NOTICE OF PROOF OF COMPLETION
AND WORKS**

**APPLICATION OF WATER TO
BENEFICIAL USE**

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5. The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is February 20, 1952.

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer

7-24-52