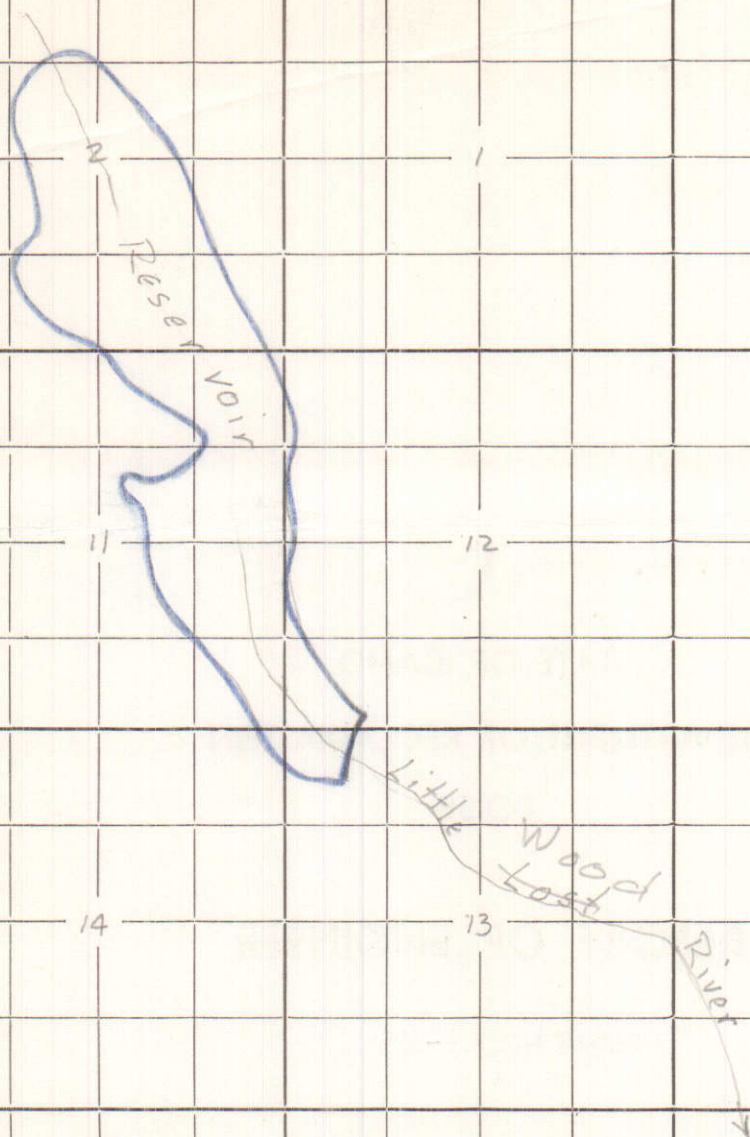








See Land List Map in Engineers Report  
of B/U # R-935 1/9/63 *eng*

See Permit # R-1049 ← This is a U.S.B.R. permit

Allow 17,000 AF

There is a spring at the toe near east abutment to ~~the~~ fractured basalt bluff. discharge was 23' over 2' cippolletti ~~now~~ = 55 inch. USBR built the 2' cippolletti ~~win~~ for checking purposes. Springs appear from bluff for 1/4 mile downstream. The USBR installed a sump and pumped this water for drinking

DAM (Lower Site) UNDER CONSTRUCTION

End of Canal  
S.W. 15 N. 1548

PD

Proposed Dam (Lower Site)

Diversion

Diversion

BOISE BASE LINE

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WOOD

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ROAD

R. 21 E.

R. 22 E.

T. 1 S.

T. 2 S.

End of West Canal

RIVER

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

NOTICE OF PROOF OF  
APPLICATION OF WATER  
TO BENEFICIAL USE

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The name and post office address of the person or corporation holding said permit is Little Wood River Irrigation District, Carey, Idaho.

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

The amount applied to beneficial use is 17,000 acre feet.

The point of diversion of said water and the reservoir outlet is located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 13, Twp. 1 N., Range 21 East, Boise Meridian with rediversion from Little Wood River as follows: (1) West canal SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 30, Twp. 1 No., Rge. 21 E., B.M. (2) East canal NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 31, Twp. 1 No., Rge. 21 E., B.M.

The place where said water is used is all lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District, Blaine County, Idaho, being lands situated in townships one and two North, and one and two South, Range 20 and 21 East, Boise Meridian.

The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is February 11, 1954.

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation  
Engineer

Pub. 8/23-30/9-6-13

*Affidavit of Publication*

STATE OF IDAHO, } ss.  
County of Blaine,

BERWYN BURKE, being first duly sworn deposes and says that he is now and at all times herein mentioned has been the publisher of The Hailey Times, which is now, and at all times herein mentioned has been a newspaper as defined in Section 58-106 of the Idaho Code Annotated as amended by Chapter 38 of the Laws of 1939, and printed, regularly issued and published weekly at Hailey, in Blaine County, Idaho, and having a general circulation in said county, and not less than 200 bona fide subscribers living within said county, and that said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly so printed and published as a weekly newspaper in said county during the period of 78 consecutive weeks prior to the first publication of the annexed true copy and at all times since, and that said annexed true copy was so published in the regular edition of said newspaper, The Hailey

Times, and not in any supplement thereof, for four consecutive weeks commencing with the first publication thereof on the

twenty-third day of August, 1962  
and ending with the last publication thereof on the

thirteenth day of September, 1962

Cost of this publication is \$ 25.08

*Berwyn Burke*  
BERWYN BURKE, Publisher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 13th day  
of Sept., 19 62.

*R. J. McCoy*  
Notary Public for Idaho  
Residing at Hailey,  
Blaine County, Idaho.

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Engineer

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Department of Reclamation

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
COMPLETION OF WORKS

Notice is hereby given that at 10 a.m., on the 3rd day of May 1960, at Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho, before John R. Coleman, Notary Public, proof will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of 17,000 acre feet per annum of the waters of Little Wood River in accordance with the terms and conditions of a certain permit heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

1. The name of the person or District holding said permit is Little Wood River Irrigation District.

2. The postoffice address of such person or principal place of business of such District is Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho.

3. The number of such permit is R-935, and the date set for the completion of such work is May 3, 1960.

4. Said water is to be used for irrigation purposes.

5. 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 conducting to the place of intended use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is 17,000 Acre feet per Annum.

6. The amount of lands for which said water is available is 16,351 acres, particularly described as follows: Being lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District located in Townships One and Two (1) and (2) North, and Townships One (1), Two (2) and Three (3), South, Ranges Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East, Boise Meridian.

/s/ GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer  
Publish April 7, 14, 21, 28, 1960

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Times, and not in any supplement thereof, for four consecutive weeks commencing with the first publication thereof on the

7th day of April, 1960  
and ending with the last publication thereof on the

28th day of April, 1960

Cost of this publication is \$ 25.08

*Berwyn Burke*  
BERWYN BURKE, Publisher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 29th day  
of April, 1960.

*Letty Elahos*  
Notary Public for Idaho  
Residing at Hailey,  
Blaine County, Idaho.

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/s/ GEO. N. CARTER R-935

State Reclamation Engineer

Publish April 7, 14, 21, 28, 1960

**State of Idaho**  
**DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION**  
BOISE

**INSTRUCTIONS**

**PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS**

Little Wood River Irrigation District  
c/o Raymond J. Briggs  
619 Grove St., Boise, Idaho

Boise, Idaho,

March 6, 1959

Dear Sir:—

I enclose herewith blank form upon which to give notice that you are prepared and desire to submit proof of completion of works under your permit No. R-935.

This form should be filled out and mailed to the Department of Reclamation, at least 60 days before the date upon which proof is to be submitted, which proof MUST be on or before May 3, 1959. Upon receipt of the blank properly filled out, notice of publication will be sent to the paper direct from this office, which notice must be published a period of four weeks prior to the date of proof.

The proof may be submitted at any place convenient to you and two witnesses, where there is a notary public or other officer authorized to administer oaths.

The certificate that shall be issued under this proof does not give you a perpetual right to the use of the water for which application is made, as it only confirms the completion of the works of a capacity to divert and convey to the place of intended use a certain amount of water. The law requires that another proof be submitted when the water has been fully applied to a beneficial use, at which time license is issued for the amount of water actually in use. Information in regard to this last proof will be furnished on request.

Very truly yours,

**GEO. N. CARTER**

State Reclamation Engineer

R-935

## Affidavit of Publication

**STATE OF IDAHO  
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION**

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF IDAHO IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 42-203, IDAHO CODE.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN**

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Dated this 23rd day of February, 1954.

**MARK R. KULP**

State Reclamation Engineer  
SERVICE OF THE FOREGOING.  
By Copy, is hereby acknowledged this 26th day of February, 1954.

**LITTLE WOOD RIVER  
IRRIGATION DISTRICT**

By **RAYMOND J. BRIGGS**  
Its Engineer

Date of first publication: March 4  
Date of last publication: March 18  
Last date for protest: April 4, 1954

STATE OF IDAHO, }  
County of Blaine, } ss.

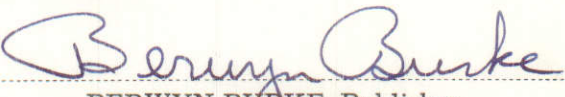
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4th day of March, 19 54  
and ending with the last publication thereof on the

18th day of March, 19 54

Cost of this publication is \$ 13.68

  
BERWYN BURKE, Publisher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 19th day  
of March, 195 4

  
Notary Public for Idaho  
Residing at Hailey,  
Blaine County, Idaho.

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3/18/54 By RAYMOND J. BRIGGS  
Its Engineer R-935

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3/4/54 By RAYMOND J. BRIGGS  
Its Engineer R-935

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State of Idaho  
Department of Water Resources

WATER RIGHT LICENSE

License of Water Right No. R-935/37-2779 Priority Feb. 11, 1954 Amount 17,000 AF

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT  
of Carey, Idaho, has complied with the terms and conditions of Permit  
No. R-935/37-2779 issued pursuant to Application for Permit dated February 11, 1954,  
and has submitted proof to the Department of Water Resources on September 20, 1962,  
that he has applied water to a beneficial use; an examination by the Department indicates that the works have a  
capacity for the storage of 31,000 acre feet of water from Little Wood River,  
tributary to Big Wood River, and that the permit holder has applied to a beneficial use and  
established a right to use water as follows:

| Beneficial Use         | Period of Use                        | Rate of Diversion   | Annual Volume                 |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| Storage for Irrigation | from <u>Jan. 1</u> to <u>Dec. 31</u> | at <u>-</u> cfs and | <u>17,000 acre feet</u>       |
|                        | from <u></u> to <u></u>              | at <u></u> cfs and  | <u></u>                       |
| Irrigation             | from <u>April 1</u> to <u>Nov. 1</u> | at <u>-</u> cfs and | <u>5.0 acre feet per acre</u> |
|                        | (both dates inclusive)               |                     |                               |

Subject, however, to the condition that no more than 17,000 AF of water be stored at any one time, and  
that the amount of water so stored and to which such right is entitled and confirmed is for the purpose  
aforementioned and is limited to the amount which can actually be beneficially used and shall not exceed  
5.0 acre feet per year, <sup>per acre</sup> said waters to be diverted within the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 13,  
Twp. 1 N, Rge. 20 E, B.M. (point of outlet) in the County of Blaine

Description and location of place of use:

| Twp. | Range | Sec. | NE $\frac{1}{4}$                          |                  |                  |                  | NW $\frac{1}{4}$ |                  |                  |                  | SW $\frac{1}{4}$ |                  |                  |                  | SE $\frac{1}{4}$ |                  |                  |                  | Totals |
|------|-------|------|-------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------|
|      |       |      | NE $\frac{1}{4}$                          | NW $\frac{1}{4}$ | SW $\frac{1}{4}$ | SE $\frac{1}{4}$ | NE $\frac{1}{4}$ | NW $\frac{1}{4}$ | SW $\frac{1}{4}$ | SE $\frac{1}{4}$ | NE $\frac{1}{4}$ | NW $\frac{1}{4}$ | SW $\frac{1}{4}$ | SE $\frac{1}{4}$ | NE $\frac{1}{4}$ | NW $\frac{1}{4}$ | SW $\frac{1}{4}$ | SE $\frac{1}{4}$ |        |
|      |       |      | LANDS WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE        |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |        |
|      |       |      | LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT     |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |        |
|      |       |      | LOCATED IN TWP. 1 AND 2 NORTH, RGE. 20    |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |        |
|      |       |      | AND 21 EAST, AND TWP. 1, 2, 3 SOUTH, TWP. |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |        |
|      |       |      | 20 AND 21 EAST.                           |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |        |

Total number of acres irrigated \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Modifications to or variance from this license must be made within the limits of Section 42-222, Idaho Code, or the applicable Idaho Law. This right may be forfeited by five years of non-use.

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

Witness the seal and signature of the Director, affixed at Boise, Idaho, this 18 day of  
February, 19 76.

Director

2-23 1958  
3-4 1958  
4-4-54

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

To Construct a Reservoir and Appropriate and Store  
The Public Waters of the State of Idaho

37- 2779  
Raymond J. Briggs  
619 Grove St., Boise, Idaho

Application No. R 32533  
Permit No. R 935

1. Name of Applicant: LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT  
Postoffice Address: Carey County Blaine State Idaho

I. If applicant is a corporation, give: resolution of Blaine County Commissioners. Organized under Title 42-101 to 42-1834, inclusive of I. C. A. 1932  
(a) Date and place of incorporation: February 11, 1935, by (b) Amount of Capital Stock: \$  
(c) Amount paid in: \$ and Charles A. Nissen, all of Carey, Idaho; Bessie Stanford, Secretary, Carey, Idaho; Parry, Keenan, Robertson & Daly, Fidelity Bank Bldg., Twin Falls, Idaho, Attorneys; Raymond J. Briggs, 619 Grove St., Boise, Idaho, Engineer.

II. The financial resources of the corporation are:

(a) Cash on hand: \$ (b) Treasury Stock: \$  
(c) Bonds to be issued: \$400,000.00 minimum. (d) Other resources:

2. Quantity of water to be stored: 17,000 (under this application (See Remarks\* acre feet per annum.  
3. Source of water supply is Little Wood River (Creek) (River) (Spring), a tributary of Big Wood River.  
4. The outlet of the proposed reservoir is located S. 78° 15' W/ 1648 feet, distant from the N/4 corner of Section 13, Township 1 N., Range 20 E., B. M. and is in the NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 13, Township 1 N., Range 20 E., B.M. County of Blaine  
5. Fill out either (a) or (b).

(a) The reservoir is located in the channel of Little Wood River (Creek) (River).  
(b) The reservoir is to be filled through a feeder canal, the point of diversion for which is located (bearing) feet distant from the corner of Section, Township, Range, B. M., and is in the 1/4 of 1/4 of Section, Township, Range, B. M.; width at bottom feet, width at top feet, depth of water feet; average grade per mile feet; Capacity cubic feet per second.

6. (a) The area of the high water line of the reservoir is 552.3 at elev. 210. When the dam is raised to elev. 217 acres.  
and water level at 212.210 the reservoir capacity will be when finished  
(b) The reservoir capacity is approx. 30,000 acre feet.  
7. Height of reservoir dam 117 feet, length at top 2000 feet, length at bottom 400 feet, size of outlet 5 feet  
by 7 feet. The dam is to be constructed of materials as follows: Earth and rock fill to conform generally with existing construction See "Remarks".  
(If height will exceed 10 feet, plans must be approved by Department of Reclamation, before beginning construction.)

8. (a) Will water stored in reservoir be diverted to canal or aqueduct, thence to land to be irrigated without commingling with natural flow of Little Wood River (Creek) (River)? No  
(b) Water stored in reservoir will be carried in the channel of Little Wood River (Creek,) (River,) a distance of 4 - 5 miles to point of diversion located in Secs. 30 and 31 (bearing) West Side Canal feet, distant from the corner of Section Township, Range, B. M. and in the SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 30 Township 1 N., Range 21 E. B. M./

9. (a) Area of watershed above dam site square miles  
(b) Estimated maximum flow of stream cubic feet per second.

10. Water is to be used for Irrigation and domestic purposes.

11. If for mining, milling, power or manufacturing purposes give:  
(a) Point of use of water (bearing) feet, distant from Corner of Section, Township, Range, B. M. and is in the 1/4 of 1/4 of Section, Township, Range, B. M.  
(b) Amount of power generated: H. P., under feet head.  
(c) Water is to be returned to (Creek) (River) (Spring) at a point (bearing) feet distant from the corner of Section, Township, Range, B. M. in the 1/4 of 1/4 of Section, Township, Range, B. M.

12. Water stored in accordance with this Permit will be carried to place of use through a canal heretofore constructed under the terms of Permit No. R-604 and R-656, which is hereby referred to and made a part hereof.

13. Kind of diversion works: Now installed and in use (Dam, canal, flume, pipe, etc.)

14. Height of diversion dam: feet, length at top feet, length at bottom feet. The dam is to be constructed of materials as follows:  
(If height will exceed 10 feet, plans must be approved by Department of Reclamation, before beginning construction.)

15. Size of headgate: Width feet, Height feet.

16. Diversion Canal: 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.

17. Estimated cost of Works: Storage Works: \$ Diversion Works: \$

18. Time required for completion of work Five (5) years.

19. Time required for complete application of water to proposed beneficial use is Six (6) years.

20. The land to be irrigated is described in the following tabulation:

(Give Irrigable acreage in each 40-acre subdivision.)

| Twp.     | Range                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Sec. | NE1/4                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |       |       |       | NW1/4 |       |       |       | SW1/4 |       |       |       | SE1/4 |       |       |       | Totals |
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|          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |      | NE1/4                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | NW1/4 | SW1/4 | SE1/4 | NE1/4 | NW1/4 | SW1/4 | SE1/4 | NE1/4 | NW1/4 | SW1/4 | SE1/4 | NE1/4 | NW1/4 | SW1/4 | SE1/4 |        |
|          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |      | The water to be stored in the reservoir is to serve the lands listed in Permits R-604 and R-656, together with approved inclusions and withdrawals thereto, comprising approximately 16,351 acres, being lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District located in Township 1 North and Townships 1 and 2 South, Range 21 East, B. M. |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |
| REMARKS: | The construction plans and specifications for the work proposed have heretofore been approved under Permit No. are on file in the office of the State Reclamation Engineer. The works proposed are substantially the same. The existing dam is about 79 feet high, completed in 1952. Permits Nos. 604 and 656 were issued for water storage in the present reservoir and licenses issued. It is proposed to raise the existing dam to elevation 217 (with the base at elevation 100). The present spillway crest is at elevation 172. It is proposed to abandon this spillway and construct a new one on the opposite side of the dam, with crest elevation at 210. This proposal will raise the reservoir 38 feet and create capacity for additional storage. It is proposed to raise the existing dam with earth and rock fill, of materials from the same source from which the dam was constructed; to replace the existing outlet gates with stronger ones of the same cross-sectional area and operation; to utilize the existing 5' X 7' tunnel outlet; to conduct the water to the District lands through channels, canals and diversions, as shown on submittals attached to License Nos. 604 and 656 and the construction under which existing construction was accomplished. The water to be stored in the larger reservoir capacity now planned will be supplemental to existing irrigation supplies for agricultural lands which are now possessed of inadequate irrigation water rights, to fulfill the minimum |      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |

(Continued below)

Total Number of Acres to be Irrigated

21. Existing rights and/or valid permits appurtenant to lands described in Sec. 20 are License Nos. R-604 and R-656

Remarks: (Continued) irrigation requirements. It is believed that there is normally adequate flow in the Little Wood River, above the dam and surplus to present approval usages to provide the storage petitioned and it is asserted that all of the waters petitioned in this application, plus the allowable quantity under Licenses No. 604 and 656, is actually needed by the lands to be served.

BE IT KNOWN That the undersigned hereby makes application for permit to construct a reservoir and appropriate and store the public waters of Idaho as herein set forth, and that the enclosed map is hereby made a part of this application.

THE LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT Applicant.

By Raymond J. Briggs Agent.  
Engineer

Date of first receipt at Department of Reclamation: 2:00 P. M. February 11, 1954

Returned to applicant for correction

Corrected application received

APPROVAL OF STATE RECLAMATION ENGINEER

The number of this permit is R 935

Recorded in book R 4, page 935 Approved May 3, 1954

This is to certify that I have examined the within application for a permit to construct a reservoir and appropriate and store 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 \$ 1,000, to be filed on or before July 3, 1954

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

One fifth of the work above specified to be completed on or before November 3, 1956

The whole of said work to be completed on or before May 3, 1959

Beneficial use of water stored in accordance herewith, to be made on or before May 3, 1965

Witness my hand this 3rd day of May, 19 54

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 3rd day of May, 19 54.

Countersigned:

(SEAL) By IRA H. MASTERS Secretary of State. By LEN JORDAN Governor.

## STATE OF IDAHO ✓

## DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

## ORDER ALLOWING EXTENSION OF TIME FOR COMPLETION OF

WORKS, Permit No. R-935

WHEREAS: Under the terms and provisions of Permit No. R-935 held in the name of Little Wood River Irrigation District, Proof of Completion of Works is required to be submitted on or before May 3, 1959, and,

WHEREAS: The permit holder, Little Wood River Irrigation District has proceeded diligently in prosecuting all things required in connection with said Permit No. R-935 but has been delayed in completing the construction works involved in the permit by matters outside of its control; viz. negotiations with the United States acting through the Bureau of Reclamation and,

WHEREAS: Notice to proceed with the contemplated construction work under the permit was issued to the contractor on August 26, 1958, and work has proceeded steadily since that date as unfavorable weather conditions permitted, and,

WHEREAS: The construction work is now at least one-half completed and there is every prospect that it will be finished in not more than one year's time.

NOW, THEREFORE: The time within which Proof of Completion of Works may be submitted is extended to May 3, 1960.

Witness my hand and seal affixed at Boise, Idaho, this 8th day of April, 1959

s/ GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT ✓  
TO PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS  
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, No. R-935

Comes now BESSIE STANFORD, Secretary, LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, and represents to the State Reclamation Engineer of the State of Idaho.

That said district is the owner and holder of Permit to appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho, No. R-935 and requests that the list of lands to be irrigated, as described in said permit, be changed to read as follows:

Lands in Townships One (1) and Two (2) North, Range Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East, Boise, Meridian and Townships One (1) Two (2) and Three (3) South, Ranges Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East Boise Meridian, being the lands within the Little Wood River Irrigation District in Blaine and Lincoln Counties, Idaho, making a total of 16,351 acres.

That an additional amount of water is not asked for, and that the rights of others will not be adversely affected by such change.

Signed at Carey, Idaho, this 18th day of April, 1960

s/ Bessie Stanford, Secretary  
Little Wood River Irrigation District

Date of receipt at office of Department of Reclamation: May 5, 1960

## APPROVAL OF STATE RECLAMATION ENGINEER

I, GEO. N. CARTER, State Reclamation Engineer of the State of Idaho, hereby approve the above and foregoing application for amendment to Permit to appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho, No. R-935. This approval constitutes a new permit and is issued as an amendment to the original permit, to which it refers and of which it becomes a part, and said application is approved only insofar as the rights of others will not be adversely affected thereby.

s/ GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

Recorded: May 10, 1960

Permit No. R-935 ✓  
CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION OF WORKS

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT of Carey, County of Blaine and State of Idaho, the holder of Permit No. R-935, issued upon Application No. R-32533, bearing date of priority of February 11, 1954, authorizing the construction of a reservoir, with the right to appropriate and store 17,000 acre feet per annum of the waters of Little Wood River, a tributary of Big Wood River, in the County of Blaine, 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 set out and described in said Permit; that said works include a dam and reservoir adequate for the storage of 17,000 acre feet of water per annum, with adequate diversion works and conduit to the reservoir and a conduit capable of conducting said water to the place of intended use; that the point of outlet of said reservoir is located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 13, Township 1 North, Range 20 E., B. M., and that the place of use, or the lands proposed to be irrigated by the use of said water are described as follows, to-wit:

Lands in Townships One (1) and Two (2) North, Range Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East, Boise Meridian and Townships One (1), Two (2) and Three (3) South, Ranges Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East Boise Meridian being the lands with the Little Wood River Irrigation District in Blaine & Lincoln Counties, - 16,351 acres.

Witness my hand this 9th day of October, 1962.

s/ RALPH W. THOMAS  
Deputy State Reclamation Engineer

Proof of Completion of Works Made: May 3, 1960

February 20, 1976

Re: Permits No. R-935/37-2779  
R-1049/37-2783

Little Wood River Irrigation District  
Carey,  
Idaho 83320

Gentlemen:

Enclosed, for your records, are copies of the Water Licenses issued on the above referenced permits.

Sincerely,

BOBBY D. FLEENOR  
Chief, Water Rights

BDF:DR  
Enclosures (2)

STATE OF IDAHO  
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION  
BOISE

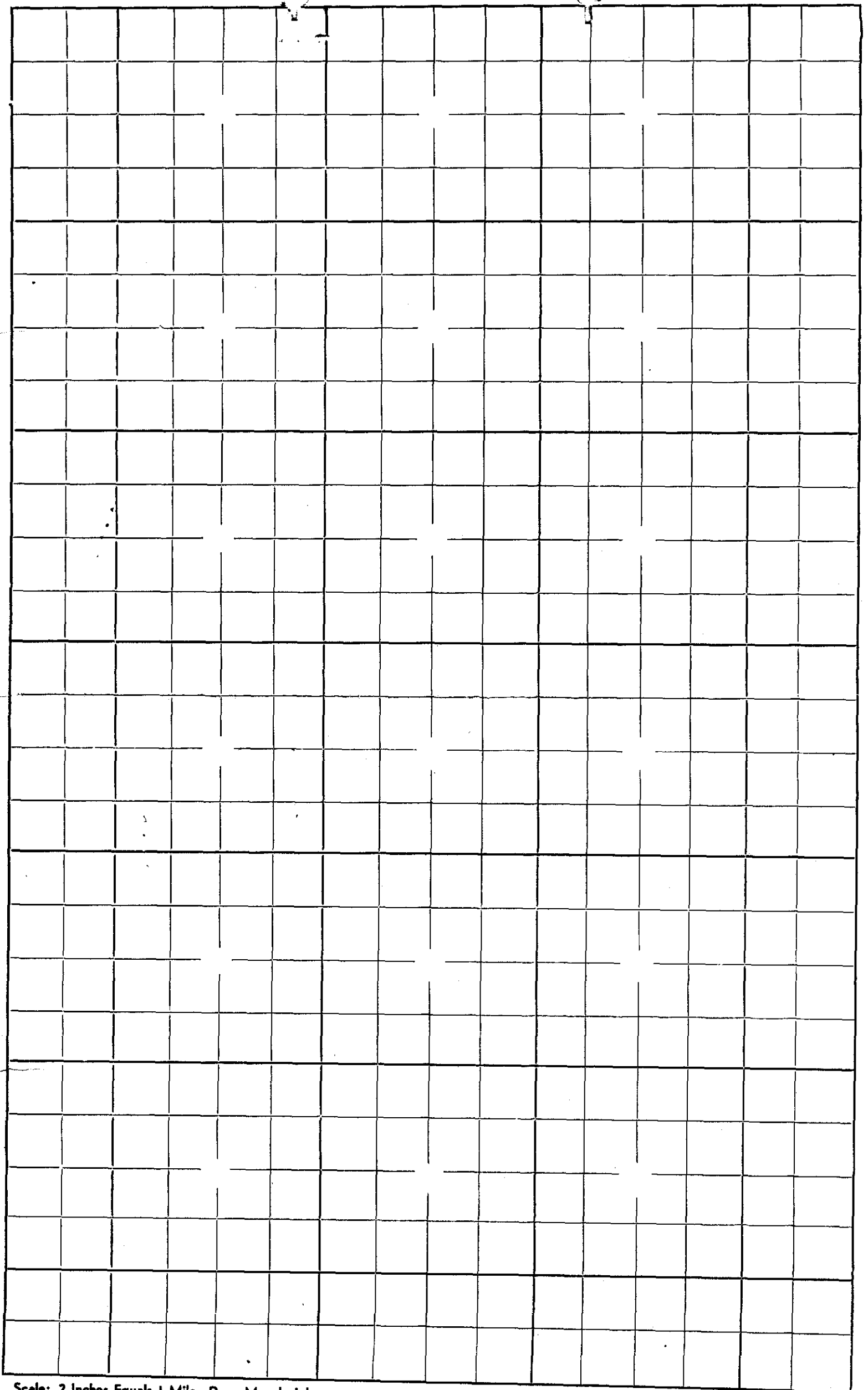
REPORT OF ENGINEER

PERMIT NO. R-935 7

REPORT ON PROOF OF Beneficial Use

W. Cloyd Mecham, President  
Little Wood River Irr. Dist.  
Carey, Idaho

823-4212



Scale: 2 Inches Equals 1 Mile. Draw Map In Ink.

1968  
*Summary Report*  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
Bureau of Reclamation

Form approved  
Budget Bureau No. 42-R1104.2

Project Serial No. Serial Numbers of  
Other Land

# WATER USER CENSUS

## Section A--FARM IDENTIFICATION AND DESCRIPTION

|                                                     |                                                   |                                                 |                                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Name of Owner <i>Littlewood River Irrig Dist</i> |                                                   | 2. Owner's Address <i>Y. Berdina Park Box 7</i> |                                 |
| 3. Name of Operator (if different from 1)           |                                                   | 4. Operator's Address <i>Carey Idaho 83320</i>  |                                 |
| 5. Description of Land <i>Phone 823-4138</i>        |                                                   |                                                 |                                 |
| 6. County & State                                   | 7. Number of Years Operator Has Farmed This Tract | 8. Farm Population                              | 9. Acres Irrigated by Sprinkler |

## Section B--ACREAGE SUMMARY (Land Classes 1-5)

| LANDS IN IRRIGATION ROTATION (Acres)                        | CLASSES 1-4 | CLASS 5         | TOTAL |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|-------|
| 21. Harvested cropland and pasture (From Line 19)           | 3662.64     |                 |       |
| 22. Cropland not harvested                                  |             |                 |       |
| 23. Soil building crops                                     |             |                 |       |
| 24. Acres Irrigated (Lines 21+22+23)                        | 3663.64     |                 |       |
| 25. Fallow or idle                                          |             |                 |       |
| 26. Area in Irrigation Rotation (Cultivation) (Lines 24+25) | 3663.64     | + 100 B. Steady |       |
| LANDS NOT IN IRRIGATION ROTATION (Acres)                    |             |                 |       |
| 27. Dry cropped                                             | 106.76      |                 |       |
| 28. Idle, fallow or grazed                                  | 1153.19     |                 |       |
| 29. Farmsteads, roads, ditches, drains                      | 263.00      |                 |       |
| 30. Area Not in Irrigation Rotation (Lines 27+28+29)        |             |                 |       |
| 32. TOTAL IRRIGABLE AREA FOR SERVICE (Lines 26+30)          | 5186.59     |                 |       |
| 33. Class 6 - Temporarily Irrigated                         |             |                 |       |

## Section C--CROP PRODUCTION (Land Classes 1-5)

|         | CROPS                                    | ACRES | YIELD |          |       |                           | CROPS                               | ACRES | YIELD |          |       |
|---------|------------------------------------------|-------|-------|----------|-------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|----------|-------|
|         |                                          |       | UNIT  | PER ACRE | TOTAL |                           |                                     |       | UNIT  | PER ACRE | TOTAL |
| CEREALS | 51 Barley                                |       | Bu.   |          |       | MISCELLANEOUS FIELD CROPS | 81 Beans, castor                    |       | Cwt.  |          |       |
|         | 52 Corn                                  |       | Bu.   |          |       |                           | 82 Beans, dry and edible            |       | Cwt.  |          |       |
|         | 53 Oats                                  |       | Bu.   |          |       |                           | 83 Broomcorn                        |       | Ton   |          |       |
|         | 54 Rice                                  |       | Bu.   |          |       |                           | 84 Cotton: Lint (Upland)            |       | Bale  |          |       |
|         | 55 Rye                                   |       | Bu.   |          |       |                           | 85 Cotton: Seed (Upland)            |       | Ton   |          |       |
|         | 56 Sorghums (sorgo, kaffir, milo, etc.)  |       | Bu.   |          |       |                           | 86 Cotton: Lint (American Egyptian) |       | Bale  |          |       |
|         | 57 Wheat                                 |       | Bu.   |          |       |                           | 87 Cotton: Seed (American Egyptian) |       | Ton   |          |       |
| FORAGE  |                                          |       | Bu.   |          |       |                           | 88 Hops                             |       | Ton   |          |       |
|         |                                          |       | Bu.   |          |       |                           | 89 Peppermint                       |       | Lb.   |          |       |
|         | 61 Alfalfa hay                           |       | Ton   |          |       |                           | 90 Spearmint                        |       | Lb.   |          |       |
|         | 62 Grass hay                             |       | Ton   |          |       |                           | 91 Sugar beets                      |       | Ton   |          |       |
|         | 63 Other hay                             |       | Ton   |          |       |                           |                                     |       |       |          |       |
|         | 64 Irrigated pasture                     |       | AUM   |          |       |                           |                                     |       |       |          |       |
|         | 65 Corn fodder                           |       | Ton   |          |       |                           |                                     |       |       |          |       |
|         | 66 Silage or Ensilage                    |       | Ton   |          |       |                           |                                     |       |       |          |       |
|         | 67 Crop Residue Used or Sold (Beet tops) |       | Ton   |          |       |                           |                                     |       |       |          |       |
|         | 68 Stubble, stalks, etc.                 |       | AUM   |          |       |                           |                                     |       |       |          |       |
|         | 69 Straw (all kinds)                     |       | Ton   |          |       |                           |                                     |       |       |          |       |
|         | 70 Root crops (carrots, mangels, etc.)   |       | Ton   |          |       |                           |                                     |       |       |          |       |

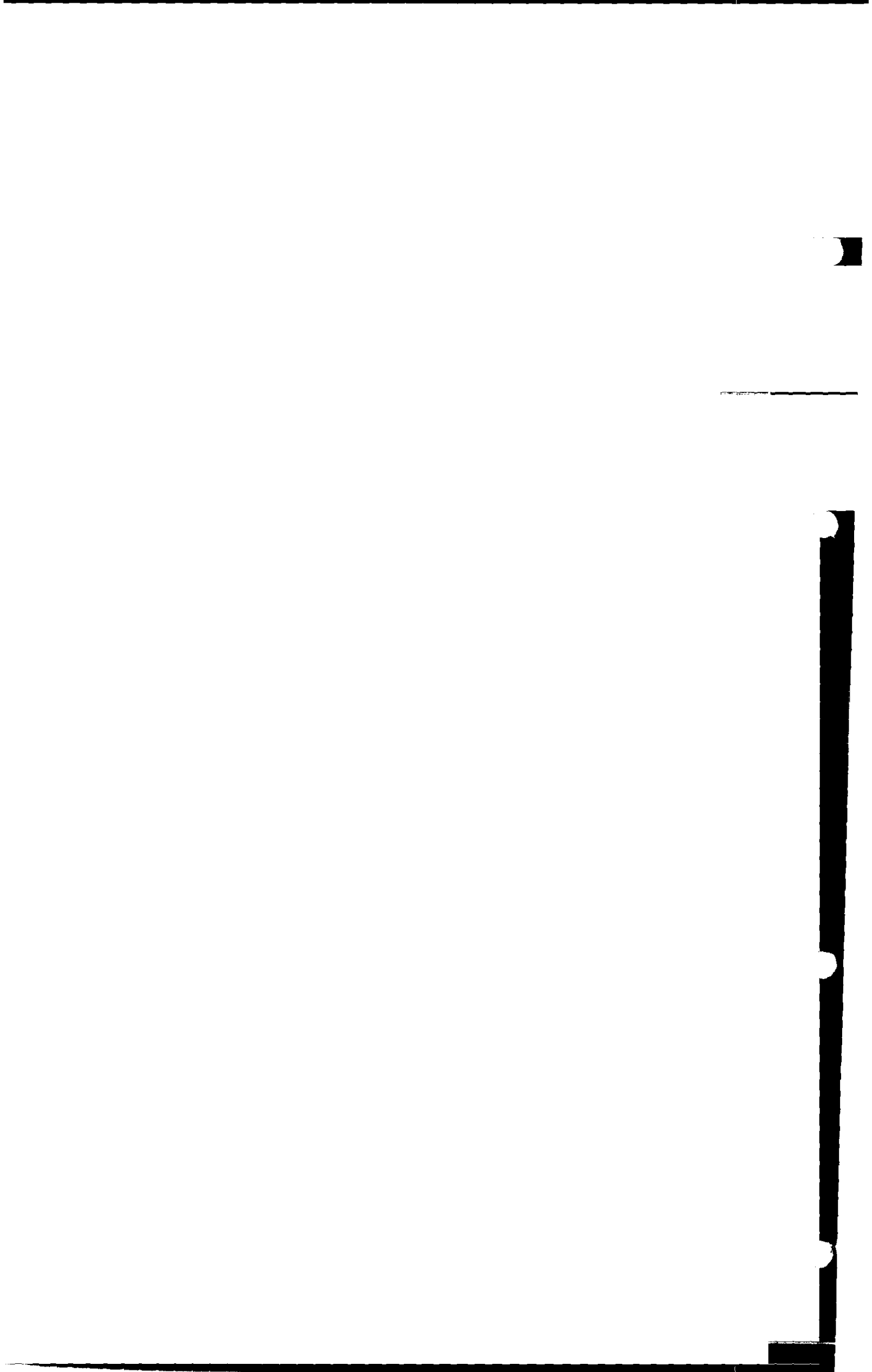
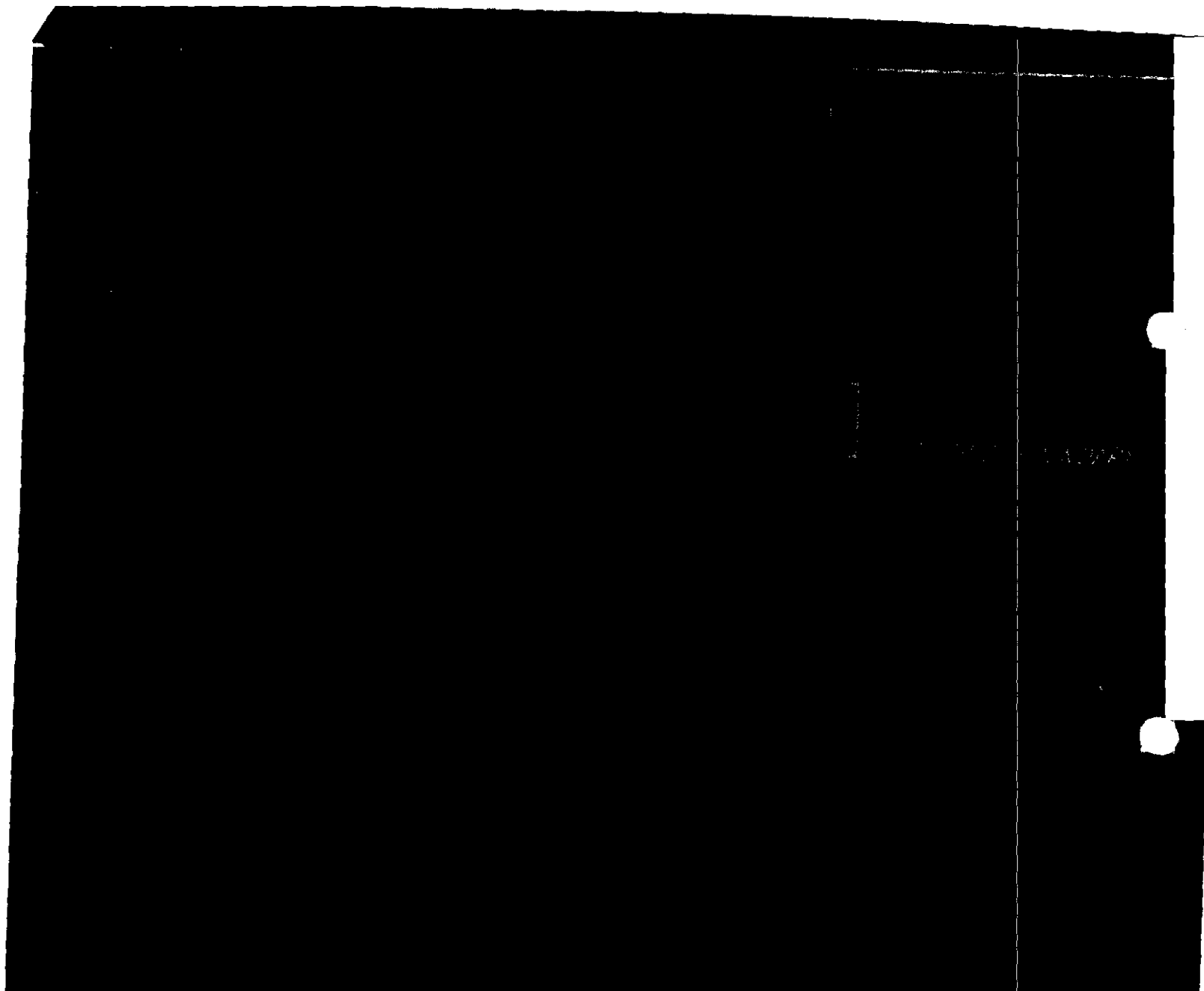
Se CROP PRODUCTION (Land Classes 1-5) (continued)

|            | CROPS                                     | ACRES | YIELD |          |                                                      | CROPS                           | ACRES | YIELD |      |
|------------|-------------------------------------------|-------|-------|----------|------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|-------|------|
|            |                                           |       | UNIT  | PER ACRE |                                                      |                                 |       | TOTAL | UNIT |
| VEGETABLES | 101 Asparagus                             |       | Crate |          |                                                      | 141 Alfalfa                     |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 102 Beans (processing)                    |       | Ton   |          |                                                      | 142 Clover                      |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 103 Beans (fresh market)                  |       | Bu.   |          |                                                      | 143 Corn                        |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 104 Broccoli                              |       | Crate |          |                                                      | 144 Flaxseed                    |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 105 Cabbage                               |       | Ton   |          |                                                      | 145 Grass                       |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 106 Carrots                               |       | Ton   |          |                                                      | 146 Lettuce                     |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 107 Cauliflower                           |       | Crate |          |                                                      | 147 Onion                       |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 108 Celery                                |       | Crate |          |                                                      | 148 Pea                         |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 109 Corn, sweet (processing)              |       | Ton   |          |                                                      | 149 Potato                      |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 110 Corn, sweet (fresh market)            |       | Cwt.  |          |                                                      | 150 Sugar beet                  |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 111 Cucumbers                             |       | Bu.   |          |                                                      |                                 |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 112 Greens (kale, spinach, etc.)          |       | Cwt.  |          |                                                      |                                 |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 113 Lettuce                               |       | Crate |          |                                                      |                                 |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 114 Melons: Cantaloupes, Muskmelons, etc. |       | Crate |          |                                                      |                                 |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 115 Honey Ball, Honeydew, etc.            |       | Crate |          |                                                      |                                 |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 116 Watermelons                           |       | Ton   |          |                                                      |                                 |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 117 Onions, dry                           |       | Cwt.  |          |                                                      |                                 |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 118 Onions, green                         |       | Crate |          |                                                      |                                 |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 119 Peas, green (processing)              |       | Ton   |          |                                                      | 161 Apples                      |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 120 Peas, green (fresh market)            |       | Bu.   |          |                                                      | 162 Apricots                    |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 121 Peppers                               |       | Bu.   |          |                                                      | 163 Barries                     |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 122 Potatoes, early                       |       | Cwt.  |          |                                                      | 164 Cherries                    |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 123 Potatoes, late                        |       | Cwt.  |          |                                                      | 165 Citrus: Grapefruit          |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 124 Squash                                |       | Cwt.  |          |                                                      | 166 Lemons and limes            |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 125 Sweet Potatoes                        |       | Bu.   |          |                                                      | 167 Oranges and tangerines      |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 126 Tomatoes (processing)                 |       | Ton   |          |                                                      | 168 Dates                       |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 127 Tomatoes (fresh market)               |       | Lug   |          |                                                      | 169 Grapes, table               |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          | 170 Grapes, other                                    |                                 | Cwt.  |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          | 171 Olives                                           |                                 | Cwt.  |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          | 172 Peaches                                          |                                 | Cwt.  |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          | 173 Pears                                            |                                 | Cwt.  |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          | 174 Prunes and plums                                 |                                 | Cwt.  |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          |                                                      |                                 | Cwt.  |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          |                                                      |                                 | Cwt.  |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          |                                                      |                                 | Cwt.  |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          |                                                      |                                 | Cwt.  |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          |                                                      |                                 | Cwt.  |       |      |
| NURSERY    | 131 Berry plants                          |       | M.    |          |                                                      | 181 Almonds                     |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 132 Flowers                               |       | M.    |          |                                                      | 182 Pecans                      |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 133 Flower bulbs and bulblets             |       | M.    |          |                                                      | 183 Walnuts                     |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 134 Fruit and nut trees                   |       | M.    |          |                                                      |                                 |       | Cwt.  |      |
|            | 135 Rhizomes, roots, culms, etc.          |       | M.    |          |                                                      | 191 Family Gardens and Orchards |       | Value |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          | 192 TOTAL ALL CROPS                                  |                                 |       |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          | 193 Less Multiple Cropped                            |                                 |       |       |      |
|            |                                           |       |       |          | 194 TOTAL HARVESTED CROP- LAND AND IRRIGATED PASTURE |                                 |       |       |      |

Name of Person Interviewed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Title (Operator, Manager, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_



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ATTACH TO APPLICATION No. R-26065

PERMIT No. R-656

Little Wood River Irrigation  
District

Carey, Blaine County, Idaho



Raymond J. Briggs, Engineer  
210 Noble Building  
Boise, Idaho

*Don*

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

Permit No. E-935This proof is for Beneficial Use

In Water District No. \_\_\_\_\_

1. Name of applicant Little Wood River Irrigation District
2. Source of water supply: Little Wood River
3. Location of point of diversion: Is in the NW 1/4 of Section 13  
T. 1 N R. 20 E. B. M. County of Blaine

4. Describe works as they exist, giving dimensions and capacities of same: dam and  
Reservoir = total storage this year 30,000 acre feet

5. Water is used for: Irrigation and domestic
6. State whether or not water has been turned into works of diversion: \_\_\_\_\_

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):

Lands in Townships One (1) and Two (2) North, Range Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East, Boise, Meridian, and Townships One (1), Two (2) and Three (3) South, Ranges Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East Boise Meridian, being the lands within the Little Wood River Irrigation District in Blaine and Lincoln Counties, Idaho, making a total of 16,351 acres.

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

8. What large stream would the water here appropriated finally reach? Little Wood River

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

This examination was made on the 1 day of Oct, 1969(Signed) Shelton H. Chapman

Examiner.

tried to compute acreage  
but ASCS never had total  
coverage 7/14/71 F.E.

DATE EXAMINATION RECORDS

by:

by:

by:

by:

INSTRUCTIONS TO EXAMINERS

1. Always carefully note the location of the point of diversion and accurately plat same.
2. When proof is for beneficial use, carefully check up the number of acres actually irrigated in each forty and accurately plat same.
3. 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.
4. If any unusual conditions are discovered, make plain statement of them under remarks.
5. 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.
6. Give general characteristics of soils, topography, and crops raised.

W. Cloyd Mackham, President  
Little Wood River Irrigation Dist.  
Carey, Idaho  
Permit No. R-935 37-2779

Examination for Beneficial Use

County Blaine

Sec. 13 T. 1N R. 20 EBM

Quantity: 17,000 A.F.

Source: Little Wood River

P.D.: NW. NW, Sec. 13, T. 1N. - R. 20 EBM

Use: Irrigation & Domestic

Filed: Feb. 11, 1954

Due: May 3, 1966

Extension: to 5-3-60 (o/w)

Protest:

Completion of Works: 5-3-30

Other Rights: R-604 & R-656

GS recorder  
Little Wood River  
Below Res.

11557 10-1-69

discharge 50 cfs

not 30200 ac/ft

spilled until mid July

10-1-69

SLC

STATE OF IDAHO  
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION  
BOISE

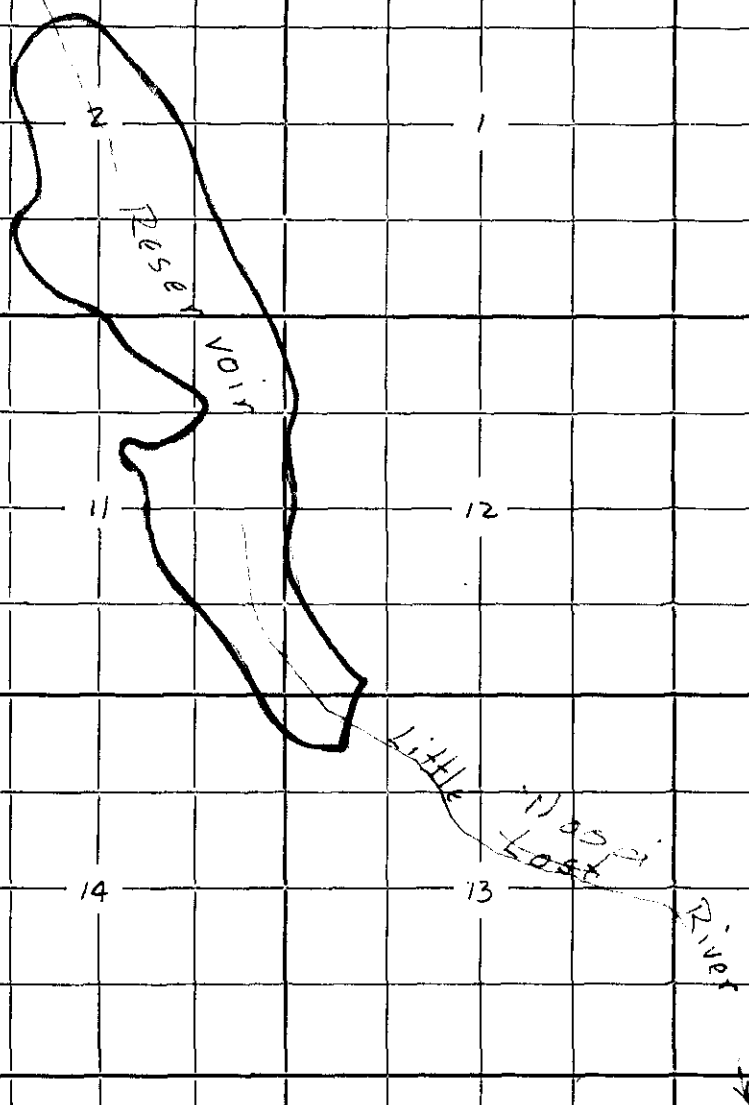
REPORT OF ENGINEER

PERMIT NO. R-935

REPORT ON PROOF OF Completion of Works

Little Wood River Irrigation District  
W. Cloyd Mecham, Chairman of Board of Directors  
Carey, Idaho

R-935



See Land List Map in Engineers Report  
of B/U # R-935 1/2/57

See Permit # ~~R-1049~~ <sup>USBR</sup> ~~This is permit~~  
Allow 17,000 AF

There is a spring at the toe near east abutment of fractured basalt bluff. discharge was 23 over 2" Cipollatti pipe = 55 inch. USBR built the 2" Cipollatti w/in for checking purposes. Springs appear from bluff for 1/4 mile downstream. The USBR installed a sump and pumped this water for drinking.

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

Permit No. ✓ R-935This proof is for Completion of Works

In Water District No. \_\_\_\_\_

1. Name of applicant Little Wood River Irrigation District2. Source of water supply: Little Wood River3. Location of point of diversion: Is in the NW<sup>1</sup>4NW<sup>1</sup>4 of Section 13T. 1 N R. 20 E.B.M. County of Blaine

4. Describe works as they exist, giving dimensions and capacities of same: Crest length 3100'  
x 25' width. Height 122', base width 635'. Rolled earth fill with  
one section Rock fill with Rock Rip Rap on both slopes. Up str.  
slope 3-1, down str. slope 2-1. 5' x 7' x 700' Concrete street  
Outlet tunnel with 2-6' x 4' hydraulic controlled gates in tandem.  
\* Spillway is 11.7' x 200' Ogee type, Capable of handling 9200 cfs.

5. Water is used for: irrigation and domestic6. 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):

Lands in Townships One (1) and Two (2) North, Range Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21)  
East, Boise Meridian and Townships One (1) and Two (2) and Three (3) South, Range  
Twenty (20) and Twenty-One (21) East Boise Meridian, being the lands within the  
Little Wood River Irrigation District in Blaine and Lincoln Counties, Idaho  
making a total of 16,351 acres.

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

8. What large stream would the water here appropriated finally reach? Snake RiverRemarks: Mr. Ross Stanford, watermaster along.

\* at U.S. Levee 5243' high. Outlet tunnel capable of 16,100 cfs.  
Has 1500 watt generating plant for lighting and ventilation of  
central shaft. Hydraulic pressure is by gasoline engine.  
not enough power for continual operation of gates. Hydraulic  
power has to be applied intermittently to lift gates.

This examination was made on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1962(Signed) L. J. Johnson Examiner.

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W. Cloyd Mecham, Chairman of Board of Directors  
Little Wood River Irrigation District  
Carey, Idaho  
Permit No. R-935

Examination for Completion of Works

County Blaine

13 - 1 N. - 20 E.

Q = 17,000 Acre Feet.

S = Little Wood River

Outlet of reservoir in

P.D. = NW. NW., Sec. 13, T. 1 N. - R. 20 E. B. M.

Use = Irrigation & Domestic

Filed = Feb. 11, 1954

Due = 1/2 yr ext. to May 3, 1960

# INSTRUCTIONS TO EXAMINERS

1. Always carefully note the location of the point of diversion and accurately plat same.
2. When proof is for beneficial use, carefully check up the number of acres actually irrigated in each forty and accurately plat same.
3. 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.
4. If any unusual conditions are discovered, make plain statement of them under remarks.
5. 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.
6. Give general characteristics of soils, topography, and crops raised.

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Licenses R-604 & R-656

March 23, 1965

RE: Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood River Irrigation District

John R. Coleman  
Attorney  
Box 525  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Coleman:

We have checked our records and find that Proofs of Beneficial Use on Permit No. R-935 were received in this office on November 19, 1962.

Form Letter 10-A was sent out in error.

Please accept our apologies.

Very truly yours,

CARL R. TAPPAN  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

(Mrs.) Edna P. Rule  
Chief Clerk

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Department of Reclamation

Mr. Ralph W. Thomas  
State Reclamation Engineer's Office  
State House  
Boise, Idaho

Dear Mr. Thomas:

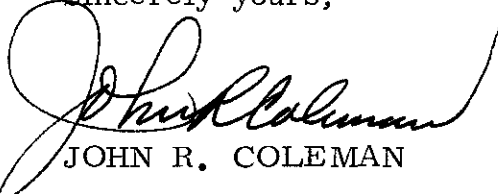
The Little Wood River Irrigation District has sent to me a copy of your Form Letter 10-A regarding Permit No. R-935, which letter was addressed to Mr. Raymond J. Briggs, 619 Grove Street, Boise, Idaho. In reviewing this matter, I find that on the 17th day of November, 1962, I submitted to you the following items with regard to Permit No. R-935:

1. Deposition of W. Cloyd Mecham taken upon Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use.
2. Deposition of Ross Stanford taken upon Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use.
3. Deposition of Oliver Eldredge taken upon Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use.
4. Affidavit of Publication and Notice of Hearing.

Since the submission of such proof, I have not received any further information from your office, other than your acknowledgment of receipt of the above items, which acknowledgment was dated November 21, 1962.

Would you please check into this matter and inform me concerning its present status.

Sincerely yours,

  
JOHN R. COLEMAN

JRC:sjm

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August 16, 1963

Re: Permit No. R-935

W. Cloyd Mechem, President  
Little Wood River Irrigation District  
Carey, Idaho

Dear Mr. Mechem:

This is a follow up of the notice from the Department of Reclamation office that an inspection would be made on your water filing as soon as possible.

I will plan to inspect your permit on or about the week of August 19, 1963.

Please arrange to be on the premises so that you can accompany me over the work.

Very truly yours,  
Carl E. Tappan, Acting  
~~STATE RECLAMATION ENGINEER~~  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

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Field Engineer

DNJ:mr

R-935

1M April 1962

November 21, 1962

Re: Permit No.

R-935

**W. Cloyd Meham, President  
Little Wood River Irrigation District  
Carey, Idaho**

**Dear Mr. Meham:**

We acknowledge receipt of the depositions of holder and two witnesses, also affidavit of publication in the Valley Times, all submitted in proof of completion of works and beneficial use on Permit No. R-935.

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.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

By:

(Mrs.) Edna P. Rule  
Chief Clerk

EPR:

cc: **John R. Coleman  
Parry, Robertson & Daly  
Lawyers  
Fidelity Bank Building  
Twin Falls, Idaho**

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November 17, 1962.

Mr. Ralph W. Thomas,  
Deputy State Reclamation Engineer,  
State House,  
Boise, Idaho.

Re: Permit No. R-935.  
Little Wood River Irrigation  
District.

Dear Mr. Thomas:

With regard to the above matter I am delivering to you the following items:

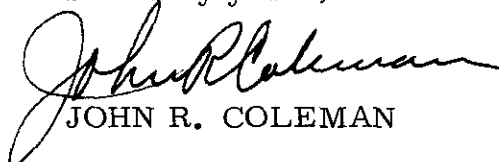
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- (4) Affidavit of Publication of Notice of hearing.

The above documents are delivered to you for filing in the State Reclamation Engineer's office for the purpose of the issuance of a water license to the Little Wood River Irrigation District.

If there is any additional information which you need concerning this matter or if there is any additional fees which should be paid, please let us know.

Upon the issuance of the license please send a copy to our office.

Sincerely yours,

  
JOHN R. COLEMAN

JRC:jb

Enclosures.

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**NOTICE OF PROOF OF  
APPLICATION OF WATER  
TO BENEFICIAL USE**

Notice is hereby given that at 10:00 A.M. on the 20th day of September, 1962, at Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho, before John R. Coleman, proof will be submitted of the application to beneficial use of 17,000 acre feet of water stored from the waters of Little Wood River in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. R-935 heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

The name and post office address of the person or corporation holding said permit is Little Wood River Irrigation District, Carey, Idaho.

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

The amount applied to beneficial use is 17,000 acre feet.

The point of diversion of said water and the reservoir outlet is located in the NW¼NW¼ Section 13, Twp. 1 N., Range 21 East, Boise Meridian with redirection from Little Wood River as follows: (1) West canal SW¼SE¼, Sec. 30, Twp. 1 No., Rge. 21 E., B.M. (2) East canal NE¼SE¼, Sec. 31, Twp. 1 No., Rge. 21 E., B.M.

The place where said water is used is all lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District, Blaine County, Idaho, being lands situated in townships one and two North, and one and two South, Range 20 and 21 East, Boise Meridian.

The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is February 11, 1954.

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation

## Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF IDAHO, } ss.  
County of Blaine,

BERWYN BURKE, being first duly sworn deposes and says that he is now and at all times herein mentioned has been the publisher of The Hailey Times, which is now, and at all times herein mentioned has been a newspaper as defined in Section 58-106 of the Idaho Code Annotated as amended by Chapter 38 of the Laws of 1939, and printed, regularly issued and published weekly at Hailey, in Blaine County, Idaho, and having a general circulation in said county, and not less than 200 bona fide subscribers living within said county, and that said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly so printed and published as a weekly newspaper in said county during the period of 78 consecutive weeks prior to the first publication of the annexed true copy and at all times since, and that said annexed true copy was so published in the regular edition of said newspaper, The Hailey

Times, and not in any supplement thereof, for four consecutive weeks commencing with the first publication thereof on the

twenty-third day of August, 1962  
and ending with the last publication thereof on the

thirteenth day of September, 1962

Cost of this publication is \$ 25.08

*Berwyn Burke*  
BERWYN BURKE, Publisher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 13th day  
of Sept., 1962.

*R. J. McLaughlin*  
Notary Public for Idaho  
Residing at Hailey,  
Blaine County, Idaho.

STATE OF IDAHO  
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION  
BOISE, IDAHO

Permit No. R-935

Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use

Deposition of Holder

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

Ans. W. Cloyd Mecham, Carey, Idaho, farmer and President Little Wood River Irrigation District.

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. Little Wood River Irrigation District - President.

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

Ans. R-935, dated February 11, 1954, priority February 11, 1954.

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

Ans. Source - Little Wood River and tributaries. Point of diversion and reservoir outlet is located in the NW1/4 NW1/4 Section 13, Township 1 North, Range 21 E, B. M. With re-diversion from Little Wood River as follows: (1) West canal SW1/4 SE1/4 Sec. 30, Twp. 1 N, Rge. 21 E, B. M. (2) East canal NE1/4 SE1/4 Sec. 3, Twp. 1 N, Rge. 21 E, 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. If sprinkler irrigation, give number and size of nozzles and operating pressure.

Ans. 29961 acre feet stored in Reservoir at time of spill. Canal system described in 4 above capable of carrying 800 cubic feet per second.

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. All stored water used for irrigation and domestic purposes. All waters used upon lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District. Water is used as supplemental water to lands previously developed. Land where stored water used is mostly cultivated land, a very small portion is natural pasture.

Ques. 6-a If this is a ground water permit, give name and address of person that drilled the well.

Ans.

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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. 29961 acre feet stored in reservoir.

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

Ans. Reservoir filled to capacity during 1959-1960 storage season and 1961-1962 storage season. All stored water used as supplemental irrigation water upon lands within the boundaries of the District.

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 stored under License No. 604, priority of September 3, 1935 for 10,000 acre feet and water stored under License No. 656, priority of November 21, 1938, for 2724 acre feet. Both rights are for water from Little Wood River. All water under both rights used on lands within District for production of crops.

(Sign)

*H. Lloyd Meckam Pres.*

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 Carey, County of Blaine,

State of Idaho, on this 20th day of September, A. D. 1962.

My commission expires January 5, 1963.

STATE OF IDAHO  
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION  
BOISE, IDAHO

PERMIT NO. R-935

**Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use**  
**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. Oliver Eldredge age over 21, resides at Carey, Idaho, and is a retired  
farmer.

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with Little Wood River Irrigation District, the holder of Permit No. R-935? How long have you known him and where does he reside?

Ans. Yes. Since it was organized in 1937.

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. R-935, 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. Little Wood River and tributaries water source. Little Wood River Canal Company works is the distribution system.

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. 800 second feet.

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. All stored water used for irrigation and domestic purposes. All waters used upon lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District. Water is used as supplemental water to lands previously developed. Land where stored water used is mostly cultivated land, a very small portion is natural pasture.

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

Ans. None.

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. All water is used for supplemental irrigation of lands within District. Major portion of lands are cultivated and require approximately 5 acre feet per acre per year.

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

Ans. None.

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. 1959-1960, 1960-1961, 1961-1962, have personal knowledge of amounts stored in those years. Reservoir filled to capacity in 1959-1960 and 1961-1962. In all years all stored water was used for production of crops on lands within District.

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(Signed) Oliver Eldredge.

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 Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho, on this 20th day of September, A. D. 1962.

John H. Calman  
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 5, 1963.

STATE OF IDAHO  
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION  
BOISE, IDAHO

PERMIT NO. R-935

**Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use**  
**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. Ross Stanford, over 21 years of age, residing at Carey, Idaho. Occupation  
farmer.

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with Little Wood River Irrigation District, the  
holder of Permit No. R-935? How long have you known him and where does  
he reside?

Ans. Yes. Since it was organized in 1937.

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. R-935, and are you  
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Ans. Yes.

Ques. 4. State source of water supply, place of diversion, and describe works for  
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Ans. None.

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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. Own a farm within District.

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. 1959-1960, 1960-1961, 1961-1962, have personal knowledge of amounts stored in those years. Reservoir filled to capacity in 1959-1960 and 1961-1962. In all years all stored water was used for production of crops on lands within District.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Ross Stanford*  
(Signed)

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*John R. Coleman*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 5, 1963.

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF RECLAMATION  
Little Wood River Project, Idaho

Contract No.  
14-06-100-1549

REPAYMENT CONTRACT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
AND THE LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT

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UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF RECLAMATION  
Little Wood River Project, Idaho

Contract No.  
14-06-100-1549

REPAYMENT CONTRACT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
AND THE LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT

THIS AGREEMENT, made this 18th day of June , 1958, by and between THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (hereinafter called the United States), acting through the Regional Director, Region 1, Bureau of Reclamation, upon authorization of the Secretary of the Interior and pursuant to the Federal Reclamation Laws, including particularly the act of August 6, 1956 (70 Stat. 1059), and the LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT (hereinafter called the District), an irrigation district organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Idaho,

WITNESSETH, THAT:

EXPLANATORY RECITALS

2. WHEREAS, the District owns the Little Wood River Dam and Reservoir and is serving approximately 9,550 acres of land in Blaine County, Idaho, and desires supplemental stored water to augment the decreed natural flow and existing storage rights of such lands; and

3. WHEREAS, the Bureau of Reclamation has heretofore made certain surveys and investigations with the view to enlarging the District's storage reservoir; and

4. WHEREAS, the District desires the United States to increase the size of the Little Wood River Reservoir storage dam substantially in accordance with the plan authorized by Public Law 993, 84th Congress, 2d session, act

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of August 6, 1956 (70 Stat. 1059); and set out in House Document No. 381, 84th Congress, 2d session;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual and dependent stipulations herein set forth, it is hereby covenanted and agreed as follows:

#### DEFINITIONS

5. The following terms used in this contract shall have the following respective meanings:

"Secretary" shall mean the Secretary of the Interior or his duly authorized representative.

"Federal Reclamation Laws" shall mean the act of June 17, 1902 (32 Stat. 388), and all acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, including without limitation by this enumeration the provisions of the act of August 6, 1956 (70 Stat. 1059).

"Project works" shall mean the entire works constructed in connection with this contract.

"Project water supply" shall mean the water supply developed as a result of the enlargement of the Little Wood River Reservoir pursuant to this contract and accruing to the space above elevation 5197.4 of that reservoir.

"Existing storage lands" shall mean those lands of the District entitled to receive the stored waters of the Little Wood River Reservoir prior to this contract.

"Supplemental storage lands" shall mean the lands of the District entitled to receive stored water from the Little Wood River Reservoir made available only by reason of the construction pursuant to this contract, including any such lands also entitled to receive stored water of the reservoir prior to this contract.

#### TERM OF CONTRACT

6. This contract shall become effective upon its execution by the Secretary, and shall remain in effect until the District has paid to the United States, in full, its construction charge obligation and any and all other amounts owing to the United States under this contract. The District will, however, after the end of the term of this contract, continue to operate the project works in accordance with the provisions of article 12 as those provisions may be implemented by a supplemental contract to be entered into between the parties hereto.

#### UNITED STATES TO ENLARGE LITTLE WOOD RIVER RESERVOIR

7. (a) The United States will undertake, within the limit of funds appropriated therefor, the enlargement of the Little Wood River Reservoir in Blaine County, Idaho, substantially in accordance with the general plan therefor set out in House Document No. 381, 84th Congress, 2d session.

(b) Should it appear necessary or desirable to the Secretary, either before or during construction, the work mentioned and described by this article may be modified in design or location, or work may be eliminated or added to that mentioned. There shall be advance consultation with the board of directors of the District as to the final design, location, construction programing, and award of bids.

(c) The cost of the works described in this article is estimated on the basis of 1956 prices to be in a sum not exceeding two million two hundred twelve thousand dollars (\$2,212,000), of which five hundred thirty-eight thousand four hundred dollars (\$538,400) is estimated to be the costs allocable to recreational facilities, flood control, and preservation and propagation of fish and wildlife, which costs are to be nonreimbursable and nonreturnable. This total amount of two million two hundred twelve thousand dollars (\$2,212,000) is the limit of the obligation of the United States for the work described in (a) of this article. If, upon the opening of bids for the constructing of project works, it appears that the work cannot be substantially completed within the limits of this cost, the Secretary shall consult with the District to determine whether the District desires that the United States proceed with the portion of the work that can be done within said cost and the United States will not proceed with a portion of the work unless the directors of the District, by appropriate resolution, request such action. The Secretary will notify the District, in writing, after the work is completed or after the total expenditures have been made to the limit determined in this article, and the work will then be deemed to have been completed within the meaning of this contract.

#### RELATIVE STORAGE RIGHTS OF THE LANDS OF THE DISTRICT

8. (a) The existing storage lands shall be entitled to water stored in the enlarged Little Wood River Reservoir accruing to the active capacity of the reservoir below elevation 5197.4, United States Bureau of Reclamation data. This capacity shall be treated as the equivalent

of 12,450 acre-feet of active capacity. The supplemental storage lands shall be entitled to the stored water accruing to all space above elevation 5197.4. Any changes in the capacity of the reservoir after construction due to siltation shall be charged proportionately to all space in the reservoir, regardless of the space in which it accrues. Determinations of the relative rights between space above and below elevation 5197.4 to reservoir inflow during each storage season, shall be on the basis of recognition of the earlier priorities for the storage of water held by the existing storage lands for the space below elevation 5197.4. The enlarged reservoir shall be operated so as to hold over from one irrigation season to the next in any space available in the reservoir, stored water to which either the supplemental storage lands as a group, or the existing storage lands as a group, or both, are entitled. The total amount of stored water which will be held over for the use of all supplemental storage lands during any season shall not exceed the proportionate part of the reservoir space available hereunder to those lands, nor shall the total amount of stored water which will be held over for the use of all existing storage lands during any season exceed the proportionate space available to those lands.

(b) The District or the United States in the operation of the reservoir shall have the right to lower the water surface elevation to avoid damage to the structure, or to provide flood control, and if losses in stored water result, these shall be charged against stored water accruing to the space above elevation 5197.4, including that, if any, carried over from prior irrigation seasons for the use of supplemental storage lands.

(c) Deliveries of stored water shall be limited at any time to the amount which can be delivered by means of the proportionate share of the outlet capacity based on the respective interests of the existing storage lands and the supplemental storage lands in reservoir space, taking into account the requirement of passing the water of those having prior rights through the reservoir, and the physical limitations of the outlet works.

COST OF WORK TO BE REPAID BY DISTRICT;  
ANNUAL INSTALMENTS AND TIME OF PAYMENT

9. (a) The District shall pay to the United States the actual cost of the work described in article 7 (exclusive of the nonreimbursable costs estimated to be five hundred thirty-eight thousand four hundred dollars (\$538,400), and exclusive of ninety-six thousand dollars (\$96,000) of annual costs for the first forty (40) years of project operation assignable to these functions) in an amount not to exceed the sum of one million five hundred seventy-seven thousand six hundred dollars (\$1,577,600), which is established as the District's construction charge obligation.

(b) The District shall pay to the United States the construction charge obligation in forty (40) successive annual instalments, the first of which shall be due and payable on December 31 of the first full calendar year following the close of the development period; Provided, That should the District so desire, the annual instalments may be paid in two equal amounts, one to be paid on or before December 31 of the year in which the annual instalment accrues under this article, and one to be paid on June 30 of the following year.

(c) Pending the determination and announcement by the Secretary of the actual construction charge obligation, as provided in article 11 hereof, the estimated construction charge obligation announced, as provided in said article 11, shall constitute the basis for the annual instalments under this article. Each annual instalment under paragraph (b) of this article shall be, as nearly as possible, one fortieth (1/40th) of such construction charge obligation reduced by payments made pursuant to article 10; Provided, That if any accrued instalments are based on the Secretary's estimate of the construction charge obligation, the difference between those estimates and the actual obligations as finally determined and announced by the Secretary shall be spread equally, as nearly as practicable, over the instalments remaining unaccrued as of the time the actual obligations are determined and announced.

#### DEVELOPMENT PERIOD

10. There is hereby established a development period of eight (8) years commencing with the year following the year in which the Secretary issues the notice provided in paragraph (c) of article 7. During the development period, the District shall not pay the annual instalment on account of the District's construction charge obligation, as provided in article 9, but shall pay to the United States development period charges as follows:

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| First year   | \$15,900 |
| Second year  | 18,285   |
| Third year   | 20,670   |
| Fourth year  | 23,055   |
| Fifth year   | 25,440   |
| Sixth year   | 27,825   |
| Seventh year | 30,210   |
| Eighth year  | 32,595   |

Such development period charges shall be paid on or before December 31 of the year for which it is applicable. From the date that the care, operation and maintenance of the works are transferred to the District, pursuant to article 12 hereof, such development period charges shall include, in addition to the above payments to the United States, an amount sufficient for the District to operate and maintain for each such year the project works. Amounts paid to the United States under this article shall be credited to the District's construction charge obligation.

#### STATEMENTS OF COSTS

11. (a) Upon the completion of the work provided for in article 7, or the termination of the work thereon, as determined by the Secretary for any reason, the Secretary shall furnish the District a written statement of the estimated construction charge obligation, and thereafter, as soon as the actual construction costs can be determined by the United States, a written statement of the actual construction charge obligation shall be furnished to the District by the Secretary.

(b) The costs which make up the various obligations to be paid by the District to the United States under this contract shall embrace all expenditures of whatsoever nature or kind in relation to the function for which the charge is made, including, but without limitation by reason of this enumeration, cost of surveys and investigations, labor, property, material and equipment, engineering, legal work, superintendence, administration, overhead, general expenses, inspection, special services, and

damage claims of all kinds, whether or not involving the negligence of officers, agents or employees of the United States. The Secretary shall determine what costs are properly chargeable under this contract, and the amount thereof.

CARE, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF PROJECT WORKS

12. (a) The District during construction will continue to operate the Little Wood River Reservoir under a plan acceptable to the District board of directors. The United States will provide in all construction contracts appropriate provisions to require the contractor to guarantee to the District the continued delivery of available water to the District in accordance with such operating plan. Upon completion of the enlarged reservoir or termination of work thereon, the District will operate and maintain the project so as to care for, operate and maintain the project in such manner that the works will remain in good and efficient condition and of equal capacity for the storing and releasing of irrigation waters as of the date of completion or termination of work under this contract, and will use all proper methods to secure the economical and beneficial use of irrigation waters. The care, operation and maintenance of the project works by the District shall be without cost or expense to the United States. The costs of care, operation and maintenance of the reservoir shall be apportioned between the existing storage lands and the supplemental storage lands on the basis of their respective interests in reservoir space, such proportion to be twelve thousand four hundred fifty thirty thousandths ( $12,450/30,000$ ) of all such costs to be assigned to the existing

storage lands, and the remaining seventeen thousand five hundred fifty thirty thousandths (17,550/30,000) of such costs to be assigned to the new lands.

(b) Project operation shall be in accordance with the plan outlined in House Document No. 381, 84th Congress, 2d session, including a forecast basis for flood control in recognition of which this contract has provided in article 9 a reduction in the District's annual construction charge obligation to permit an estimated annual expenditure for the first forty (40) years of project operation of one thousand six hundred dollars (\$1,600) by the District for runoff forecasts. Such operation and maintenance shall also be subject to the rights of the old lands as to space below elevation 5197.4 feet above sea level, Bureau of Reclamation data, as provided in article 8 hereof. Such operation shall also be in accordance with the agreements relating to providing water for the Carey Lake Fish and Wildlife Refuge and in accordance with any implementing rules and regulations issued pursuant to section 7 of the act of December 22, 1944 (58 Stat. 890).

#### ADJUSTMENT OF ANNUAL INSTALMENTS

13. The District may elect, with respect to the annual instalments scheduled to be repaid pursuant to article 9, to adjust those instalments under the procedure set out in this article. Beginning with the instalment for which the District elects and thereafter until the construction charge obligation is fully paid, the annual instalment of the construction charge obligation for any calendar year shall be determined by increasing or decreasing the annual instalment for that year as follows:

(a) Each calendar year for which adjustments are to be made under the provisions of this article, the Secretary shall estimate and determine the "annual returns" and the "normal returns" for the project contract unit, and shall determine the "adjusted parity ratio" to be applied.

(1) "Annual returns" means the amount of the average gross crop returns per acre for the net irrigable area in cultivation within the project contract unit for any calendar year.

(2) "Normal returns" shall be determined by taking the weighted average of the annual returns of those ten calendar years of the thirteen-year period, including the calendar year for which the normal returns are being determined, and the twelve calendar years immediately preceding it, in which the annual returns for such years are highest. Until adequate records of annual returns are available for a full thirteen-year period, the normal returns may be determined either on the basis of all the best years, not exceeding ten, for which adequate records of annual returns are available, or by filling out the thirteen-year period by considering, in addition to the annual returns available, the established annual returns of other and similar lands in other and similar projects.

(3) "Project contract unit" means the project lands to which project water is delivered.

(4) The "adjusted parity ratio" for each year, as of December 31 of that year, shall be determined as follows:

(i) There shall be determined (1) for each of the commodity groups—livestock and livestock products, and feed grain and hay—the average for the year of the respective national indices of prices received by farmers for the commodity group, (2) the average national parity indices, and (3) the ratios of the respective average national indices of prices received by farmers for the commodity groups to the average national parity index. Average indices as required by this subarticle will be derived by finding the simple average of the monthly indices of prices received by farmers for these commodity groups and the simple average of the monthly national parity indices.

(ii) An average of the ratios determined under (i) above shall be derived by dividing by two the sum of the ratio for livestock and livestock products and the ratio for feed grains and hay.

(iii) The figure derived under (ii) above shall be the adjusted parity ratio for the year in question.

The national indices of prices received by farmers and national parity indices to be used in the foregoing computations shall be those determined by the Secretary of Agriculture under the provisions of Title II of the Agricultural Act of 1948 (Public Law 897, 80th Cong., 2d sess.), as it may be amended from time to time. The farm products or the relative weightings of products to be used under the provisions of (i) and (ii) above for the foregoing computations may be changed from time to time by the Secretary if a change is requested by the District's board of directors and if the Secretary finds that such a change is justified because the products currently being used in those computations no longer are principal or important factors in the agricultural economy of the project contract unit. If the products or weightings thereof are changed as above permitted, or if amendments in the law result in changes in the procedure applied in determining parity prices, there shall be a correction in the adjusted parity factor as the Secretary determines to be necessary to result in the parity ratio of one (1.00) for the selected commodities as weighted during the base period 1946 to 1950, inclusive. If the parity prices

which are basic to the determination of adjusted parity ratio hereunder cease to be determined officially by the Secretary of Agriculture at any time during the repayment period, the factor of adjusted parity ratio shall no longer be applied in determining any instalment under this contract.

(b) Determinations of annual and normal returns and adjusted parity ratio by the Secretary for any calendar year will be on the basis of final figures as nearly as practicable. The Secretary, however, on or before September 1 of any year will, on request of the District, provide it with an estimate of these factors for that year. In connection with such a request, the District will provide the Secretary with a preliminary crop report for the year on or before September 1.

(c) Each calendar year after the District has exercised its option to invoke the procedure provided in this article, the Secretary shall determine the percent of normal returns of said year by which the annual returns for that year exceed or are less than the normal returns. For each one percent (1%) there shall be an increase or decrease, respectively, of two percent (2%) in the annual instalment for that year as determined under provisions of article 9; and that sum shall be further increased or decreased by multiplying it by the adjusted parity ratio determined under the provisions of (a) of this article; Provided, That in no event shall the amount

of adjusted instalment for the year be less than fifteen percent (15%) or more than one hundred seventy-five percent (175%) of the annual instalment for that year under the provisions of article 9. In no event, however, shall the last instalment payable by the District under the provisions of article 9, as adjusted by this article, be in an amount greater than necessary to complete payment of the construction charge obligation under this contract. The Secretary shall notify the District of his determinations under this article on or before February 1 of the calendar year following that for which such determinations are made and the payment for the year for which such determinations are made shall be due and payable on March 15 of the year following such year rather than the preceding December 31.

KEEPING PROJECT WORKS IN REPAIR; INSPECTIONS

14. (a) The District shall promptly make any and all repairs to the project works for the proper care, operation and maintenance of the project works. No substantial change in any of the project works shall be made by the District without first obtaining the written consent of the Secretary.

(b) The Secretary may cause to be made, from time to time, a reasonable inspection of the project works to ascertain that the terms of this contract are being met by the District. The cost of such an inspection may be charged to the District if advance consultation with the District is had as to the need therefor, and the District is provided an estimate of the cost thereof. When the District is billed for such inspection, the bill shall be paid within sixty (60) days of the presentation.

UNITED STATES NOT LIABLE FOR WATER  
SHORTAGE OR INTERRUPTIONS

15. No liability shall accrue against the United States or the District or any of their officers, agents or employees for damage, direct or indirect, arising by reason of shortages in the quantity of water available through the project works or interruptions in water deliveries to lands in the District service area resulting from drought, inaccuracy in distribution, hostile diversion, prior or superior claims, accident to or failure of facilities of the project works, whether attributable to negligence of officers, agents or employees of the United States or the District, or other causes of whatsoever kind. Nor shall the District's obligations to the United States under this contract be reduced by reason of such shortages or interruptions.

GENERAL OBLIGATIONS - ASSESSMENTS

16. (a) All of the supplemental storage lands of the District shall be obligated through the District to pay to the United States the full amount of the construction charge obligation to be paid by the District for said lands, as provided in article 8 of this contract, regardless of delinquencies as to particular tracts of such supplemental storage lands in the payment to the District of assessments and charges.

(b) The District shall cause to be levied and collected all necessary assessments and charges and will use all of the authority and resources of the District to make all payments to the United States when due and to meet its obligations under this contract.

(c) The existing storage lands of the District shall not be obligated in any way, or be held liable for any delinquencies or any charges under this contract against any of the supplemental storage lands.

PENALTY FOR DELINQUENCY IN PAYMENT

17. Every instalment, payment or charge required to be paid to the United States under this contract and which remains unpaid after it shall become due and payable shall be subject to, and the District shall pay, a penalty at the rate of one-half percent (1/2%) per month from the date of delinquency.

REFUSAL TO DELIVER WATER IN CASE OF DEFAULT

18. (a) No water from the project water supply shall be delivered to or for the supplemental storage lands of the District if the District is in arrears more than twelve (12) months in the payment to the United States of any instalment due on account of the District's construction charge obligation, or is in arrears in the advance payment to the United States of operation, maintenance, or water rental charges.

(b) No water from the project water supply shall be delivered to any supplemental storage lands as to which payments due to the District or the United States on account of the District's construction charge obligation are in arrears more than twelve (12) months, or as to which advance payments for operation and maintenance or water rental charges to the District or the United States are in arrears.

DEFAULT; ASSUMPTION OF CONTROL OF PROJECT  
WORKS BY THE UNITED STATES

19. (a) Should the District default in any manner in the performance of this contract, and should it fail to correct the default within sixty (60) days after request in writing by the Secretary so to do, the United States may take over the operation and maintenance of all or any part of the project works. Such operation and maintenance by the United States shall be subject to the rights of the existing storage lands referred to in article 8, and shall continue until the Secretary determines that the District is again capable of operating and maintaining all or any part of the project works then being operated and maintained by the United States and that all or a part of those works should be returned to the District for operation and maintenance. When such a determination is made, written notice thereof, together with the effective date of the return, shall be given to the District; and the District shall accept the operation and maintenance of the portion of the project works thus returned on the effective date and shall thereafter operate and maintain those works in accordance with this contract.

(b) During any time any of the project works are operated and maintained by the United States, the cost of operation and maintenance shall be paid annually in advance by the District to the United States. Such payments shall be on the basis of annual estimates made by the Secretary. Such estimates shall contain a statement of the estimated cost of operation and maintenance of the project works to be incurred by the United States in the following calendar year. The notice of the

estimates shall be furnished to the District on or before September 1 of the calendar year preceding the one for which the notice is issued. When the United States takes over initially the operation and maintenance of any part of the project works, the Secretary shall give the District immediately:

(1) a notice of the estimated amount of such charge from the time the United States started operating and maintaining the works to the end of that calendar year; and

(2) the notice to cover the following year when the initial taking over occurs after September 1 of any year.

(c) The District shall pay the amount set out in any such notice to be paid by the District on or before the date or dates fixed by the Secretary, and shall without delay assess whatever special assessments or charges that are necessary to raise the funds for payment of such amounts.

(d) Whenever in the opinion of the Secretary funds so advanced will be inadequate to operate and maintain the works being operated by the United States, he may give a supplemental notice stating therein the amount of the additional funds required, and the District shall advance that amount on or before the date specified in the supplemental notice. If funds advanced by the District under this article exceed the actual cost of operation and maintenance for such works for the year for which advanced, the surplus shall be credited on any amounts theretofore due or thereafter to become due from the District.

ALL BENEFITS CONDITIONED UPON PAYMENT

20. (a) Should the District fail to levy the assessments, tolls, or other charges against any supplemental storage lands required to be levied to meet the District's obligation to the United States under this contract, or, having levied, should the District be prevented from collecting such assessments, tolls, or other charges by any judicial proceedings, or otherwise fail to collect them, such lands shall not be entitled to receive water from the project water supply, and the District, except as otherwise ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction, shall not deliver water to such lands from the project water supply under this contract unless and until arrangements for its delivery satisfactory to the Secretary have been made.

(b) As to any such lands the District is hereby authorized, as a fiscal agent of the United States, to collect whatever charges may be required under the delivery arrangements made as provided in this article. Payment shall be required as a condition precedent to the delivery of water. Collections so made by the District shall be paid promptly to the United States in the manner directed by the Secretary for crediting to the appropriate charges under this contract.

(c) No action taken by the Secretary under the provisions of this article shall in any manner relieve the District of the obligations assumed by it under this contract.

LANDS FOR WHICH WATER IS FURNISHED;  
LIMITATIONS ON AREA

21. (a) Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Reclamation Laws, water made available to the District from space in the reservoir system above elevation 5197.4 for which the District is obligated to the United States for construction charges under the terms of this contract shall not be delivered to more than one hundred sixty (160) irrigable acres in the ownership of any one person or other entity nor more than three hundred twenty (320) irrigable acres held by a husband and wife as community property, except that delivery may be made to lands held in excess of this limitation pursuant to the provisions of section 46 of the act of May 25, 1926 (44 Stat. 649), as amended by the act of July 11, 1956 (70 Stat. 524). These limitations shall cease to operate when the construction charge obligation under this contract has been paid in full.

(b) In the event there is a repeal of the so-called excess land provisions of the Federal Reclamation Laws, this article of this contract will no longer be of any force or effect, and, in the event these provisions are amended in material respects, the United States will, at the request of the District, negotiate amendments of this article in order to conform it to the excess land provisions of the law as so amended.

PROTECTION OF WATER SUPPLY

22. (a) In case a dispute arises as to the character, extent, priority or validity of the right of the United States or the District to use the portion of the water supply made available to the District under this contract, the District shall promptly bring and diligently prosecute

judicial proceedings for the determination of such dispute and shall take all other measures necessary toward the defense and protection of the water supply, either independently or in cooperation with the United States, if the Secretary, in his discretion, determines that such proceedings or other measures are desirable. Nothing in this article, however, shall be construed as precluding the United States, independently or in cooperation with the District, from taking such action as the Secretary deems necessary to protect the water supply.

(b) The District, during the term of this contract and subject to the fulfilment of all its obligations hereunder, shall have a right to its share of the water supply for beneficial use on the supplemental storage lands superior to any other contract of the United States for such share of the water supply and, upon completion of payment of the District's construction charge obligation, such right shall become permanent subject to the payment of the District's operation and maintenance obligations under the provisions of this contract.

#### RIGHTS-OF-WAY

23. The District shall prior to project construction convey to the United States an easement for the enlargement of the existing Little Wood River Reservoir, such easement preserving the rights of the existing storage lands to water stored below elevation 5197.4 feet above sea level, Bureau of Reclamation data. The District shall, if and when requested by the Secretary, and on terms and conditions and at prices approved by the Secretary acquire and convey to the United States such additional lands

or interest in lands required for construction, operation and maintenance of the project. Any such request by the Secretary shall be made only after first consulting with the board of directors of the District and only after provisions are made for an advance of funds to the District in an amount sufficient to meet the estimated expenditures to be made by the District for such land. In the event such rights-of-way are acquired by the District, the United States shall, within the limitations of this contract, pay to the District as a part of the construction costs of this contract, the costs of the District of acquiring such land or interest in land upon the District conveying title to the United States. Title to such lands and other lands and easements acquired by the United States in the Little Wood River Dam and Reservoir shall remain in the United States until otherwise provided by the Congress. Title to the existing Little Wood River Dam and Reservoir, subject to the easement provided for in this article to be granted to the United States, shall remain in the District.

#### PERFORMANCE OF WORK WITH CONTRIBUTED FUNDS

24. (a) Pursuant to the act of March 4, 1921 (41 Stat. 1367, 1404), the United States, at its option, may perform with funds contributed by the District any construction or maintenance work within the authority of the District, but which is not otherwise provided for by this contract. If the United States determines that it will undertake any such work, funds therefor shall be advanced by the District as directed by the Secretary. The advance shall be accompanied by a certified copy of a resolution of the District's board of directors describing the work to be done and authorizing its performance by the United States with the District's funds.

(b) After completion of any work so undertaken, the United States shall furnish the District with a statement of the cost of the work done. Any unexpended balance of the funds advanced will be refunded to the District or applied as otherwise directed by the District.

#### BOOKS, RECORDS AND REPORTS

25. (a) The District shall continue to maintain a modern set of books of account, showing all financial transactions of the District, keep such other records as the Secretary may request, and submit such reports based thereon as he may require from time to time.

(b) Subject to applicable Federal laws and regulations, the secretary of the District, or his representative, shall have full and free access at all reasonable times to the project account books and official records of the Bureau of Reclamation relating to the construction, operation and maintenance of the project and the status of the accounts concerning the District's payment of construction and other charges, with the right at any time during office hours to make copies thereof. Subject to applicable state laws and regulations, the proper representatives of the United States shall have similar rights in respect to the account books and records of the District.

(c) The District shall cooperate with the Secretary in the preparation of an annual crop report which will provide a reasonable estimate of crops raised under the irrigation system.

#### REGULATIONS AND DETERMINATIONS OF FACT

26. (a) The Secretary, after consultation with the District, may, so far as the purport thereof may be consistent with the provisions of this contract, make regulations and add to and modify them, as are proper and necessary to carry out the true intent and meaning of this contract, and to supply details of its administration.

(b) In the event the District questions any factual determination made by any representative of the Secretary as required in the administration of this contract, any findings of fact on the facts in dispute thereafter made by the Secretary shall be made only after consultation with the District's board of directors.

#### CONFIRMATION OF CONTRACT

27. The execution of this contract shall be authorized or ratified by the qualified electors of the District at an election held for that purpose. The District thereafter and upon the execution of this contract, shall promptly secure a final decree of the proper court of the State of Idaho approving and confirming this contract, and decreeing and adjudging it to be a lawful, valid, and binding obligation of the District. The District shall furnish to the United States certified copies of such decrees and of all pertinent supporting records.

#### CHANGES IN DISTRICT ORGANIZATION

28. While this contract is in effect, no substantial changes shall be made in the District, either by inclusion or exclusion of the lands, by partial or total consolidation or merger with another district or company, or by proceedings to dissolve or otherwise, except with the consent of the Secretary evidenced in writing.

#### NOTICES

29. Any notice, demand or request required or authorized by this contract shall be deemed properly given, except where otherwise herein specifically provided, if mailed, postage prepaid, to the Regional Director, Bureau of Reclamation, Boise, Idaho, on behalf of the United States, and to the secretary, Little Wood River Irrigation District, Carey, Idaho, on behalf of the District. The designation of the person to be notified or the address of such person may be changed at any time by similar notice.

#### DISCRIMINATION AGAINST EMPLOYEES OR APPLICANTS FOR EMPLOYMENT PROHIBITED

30. (a) In connection with the performance of work under this contract, the District agrees not to discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, or national origin. The aforesaid provision shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship.

The District agrees to post hereafter in conspicuous places, available for employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the Secretary setting forth the provisions of the nondiscrimination clause.

(b) The District further agrees to insert the foregoing provision in all subcontracts hereunder, except subcontracts for standard commercial supplies or raw materials.

CONTINGENT ON APPROPRIATIONS OR ALLOTMENT OF FUNDS

31. The expenditure of any money or the performance of any work by the United States herein provided for, which may require appropriations of money by the Congress or the allotment of Federal funds, shall be contingent on such appropriations or allotments being made. The failure of the Congress to appropriate funds, or the failure of any allotment of funds, shall not, however, relieve the District from any obligations theretofore accrued under this contract nor give the District the right to terminate this contract as to any of its executory features. No liability shall accrue against the United States in case such funds are not so appropriated or allotted.

ASSIGNMENTS PROHIBITED; SUCCESSORS  
AND ASSIGNS OBLIGATED

32. The provisions of this contract shall apply to and bind the successors and assigns of the parties hereto, but no assignment or transfer of this contract, or any part thereof, or interest therein, shall be valid until approved by the Secretary.

OFFICIALS NOT TO BENEFIT

33. No Member of or Delegate to Congress or Resident Commissioner shall be admitted to any share or part of this contract or to any benefit that may arise herefrom, but this restriction shall not be construed to extend to this contract if made with a corporation or company for its general benefit.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed their names the day and year first above written.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By /s/ H. T. Nelson  
Regional Director, Region 1  
Bureau of Reclamation  
P. O. Box 937, Boise, Idaho

LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT

By /s/ Ray Sweat  
President of its Board of Directors

(SEAL)

Attest:

/s/ Bessie Stanford  
Secretary

STATE OF IDAHO     )  
                          ) ss.  
County of Ada        )

On this 15th day of July 1958, personally appeared before me  
H. T. Nelson, to me known to be the official of The United States of  
America that executed the within and foregoing instrument and acknowledged  
said instrument to be the free and voluntary act and deed of said United  
States, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath stated  
that he was authorized to execute said instrument.

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

(SEAL)

/s/ R. H. Harris  
Notary Public in and for the  
State of Idaho  
Residing at Boise, Idaho  
My commission expires 6/18/61

STATE OF IDAHO                    )  
                                      ) ss.  
County of Twin Falls        )

On this 18th day of June 1958, before me personally appeared Ray Sweat and Bessie Stanford, to me known to be, respectively, the President and the Secretary of the Little Wood River Irrigation District, the corporation that executed the within and foregoing instrument. They acknowledged said instrument to be the free and voluntary act and deed of said corporation, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath stated that they were authorized to execute said instrument and that the seal affixed is the seal of said corporation.

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

(SEAL)

/s/ T. M. Robertson  
Notary Public for Idaho  
Residing at Twin Falls  
My commission expires



UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR

Portland Region  
Boise Field Office  
P. O. Box 937  
Boise, Idaho

~~September~~ 2, 1962  
*November*

Mr. Carl E. Tappan  
Assistant State Reclamation Engineer  
Department of Reclamation  
Boise, Idaho

Dear Mr. Tappan:

In connection with the completion of the water right certificates for the Little Wood Reservoir, we have had correspondence and discussions with your office concerning the appropriate procedure. The situation, as I understand it, is that there are two outstanding uncompleted permits, R-935 issued to the Little Wood River Irrigation District, and R-1049 issued to the United States. The reservoir, in fact, has been completely reconstructed by the United States with the reservoir right-of-way being obtained by the United States subject to the rights of the Little Wood River Irrigation District concerning the reservoir space existing prior to the enlargement, this having been agreed upon as being 12,450 acre-feet of active capacity, being the space below elevation 5197.4, USBR datum. Also, as you know, the reservoir has been constructed pursuant to congressional authorization, this being the Act of August 6, 1956, 70 Stat. 1059, wherein the reservoir will be operated as a multiple-purpose project having flood control, fish and wildlife, and recreational benefits, as well as the irrigation uses. There is enclosed a copy of House Document 381, 84th Congress, 2d session, which describes the project plan. There is also enclosed a copy of the repayment contract between the United States and the Little Wood River Irrigation District dated June 18, 1958, which covers operation and maintenance responsibility, together with the arrangements with respect to the first priority on the bottom space for the initial reservoir participants.

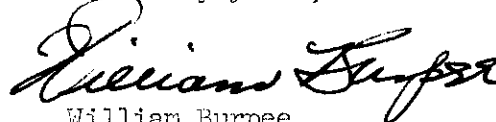
As indicated in our letter of August 17, it had been thought that the most appropriate way to complete the water right certificate for the enlarged reservoir would have been to have consolidated the two existing and conflicting reservoir permits issued by your office into one

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through the assignment of the district's permit to the United States and then complete the filing process under one set of documents. However, after discussions with the attorney for the Little Wood River Irrigation District, and through him with the board of directors of the district, it is our understanding that the board is reluctant to follow this procedure and would prefer that the steps be taken to complete as a district enterprise the steps necessary to perfect permit R-935. It is our further understanding that your office has no objection to accepting proof of completion under this permit by the representatives of the Little Wood River Irrigation District, even though in fact it is known that the enlarged reservoir is owned by the United States and was constructed by the United States, not by the district. On the basis of this understanding, we, of course, would have no objection to this process if your office is able to assure the directors and water users of the Little Wood River Irrigation District that such a procedure is in accordance with your state statutes. Our objective, of course, is to provide a valid and unassailable water right record which will protect the water users of the district.

Since the enlarged reservoir exceeds in capacity the 17,000 acre-feet covered in the filing under permit R-935, it will be necessary to also complete the procedures under permit R-1049. After the proofs of completion of works have been completed, there will remain the step of completion of proof of application of water to beneficial use. This also will require the common treatment of the two permits. And, before this step is taken, it is planned to consult further with your office.

Sincerely yours,



William Burpee  
Field Solicitor

Enclosure

October 9, 1962

Re: Permit No. R-935

W. Cloyd Mecham, Chairman  
Board of Directors  
Little Wood River Irrigation Dist.  
Carey, Idaho

Dear Mr. Mecham:

We enclose the Certificate of Completion of  
Works issued on Permit No. R-935.

Also enclosed is a departmental receipt No.  
31189, in the amount of \$22.40, covering fees.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

By:

(Mrs.) Edna P. Rule  
Chief Clerk

EPR:ew

Enc. certificate  
receipt

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August 20, 1962

Re: Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood River Irr. Dist.

Parry, Robertson & Daly  
Lawyers  
Fidelity Bank Bldg.  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Attn: John R. Coleman

Dear Mr. Coleman:

The Bureau of Reclamation has protested against issuance of Certificates of Water Rights under the permit noted above.

Further action in regard to Permit No. R-935 will be held, pending settlement between the District and the Bureau.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

By:

RALPH W. THOMAS, Deputy  
State Reclamation Engineer

RT:ew

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**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
**NOTICE OF PROOF OF APPLICATION OF WATER**  
**TO BENEFICIAL USE**

Notice is hereby given that at 10:00 A.M. on the 20th day of September, 1962, at Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho, before John R. Coleman, proof will be submitted of the application to beneficial use of 17,000 acre feet of water stored from the waters of Little Wood River in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. R-935 heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

The name and post office address of the person or corporation holding said permit is Little Wood River Irrigation District, Carey, Idaho.

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

The amount applied to beneficial use is 17,000 acre feet.

The point of diversion of said water and the reservoir outlet is located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 13, Twp. 1 N., Range 21 East, Boise Meridian with rediversion from Little Wood River as follows: (1) West canal SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 30, Twp. 1 No., Rge. 21 E., B.M. (2) East canal NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 31, Twp. 1 No., Rge. 21 E., B.M.

The place where said water is used is all lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District, Blaine County, Idaho, being lands situated in townships one and two North, and one and two South, Range 20 and 21 East, Boise Meridian.

The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is February 11, 1954.

State Reclamation Engineer

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at 10:00 A.M. on the 11th day of September, 1954, in Blaine County, Idaho.

proof will be submitted of the application to divert 17,000 acre feet of water

from the waters of Little Wood River in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 2-235, issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

The amount of water to be diverted is 17,000 acre feet per year, and the point of diversion is at the Little Wood River in the Little Wood River Irrigation District.

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

The amount applied to beneficial use is 17,000 acre feet.

The point of diversion of said water and the reservoir outlet is located in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 18, Twp. 1 N., Range 21 East, Boise Meridian with redirection from Little Wood River as follows: (1) West canal SW 1/4 Sec. 2, Twp. 2 N., Range 21 E., B.M. (2) East canal NE 1/4 Sec. 31, Twp. 1 No., Range 21 E., B.M.

The place where said water is used is all lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District, Blaine County, Idaho, being lands situated in townships one and two North, and one and two South, Range 20 and 21 East, Boise Meridian.

date of priority which user is prepared to establish February 11, 1954.

GEO. W. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer  
Feb. 8/23/54



UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR

Portland Region  
Boise Field Office  
P.O. Box 937  
Boise, Idaho

August 21, 1962

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Mr. John R. Coleman  
Parry, Robertson & Daly  
Fidelity Bank Building  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Dear John:

I have been notified by the State Reclamation Engineer's office that they are ready to issue a Certificate of Completion of Works on the enlargement of the Little Wood Reservoir to both the district and The United States of America. I have sent the attached letter to him asking that the issuance of these certificates be held up pending a discussion of this matter.

As you know, we had discussed the matter on the basis of having an assignment to the United States so that the earlier priority of the district's filing on the smaller reservoir would apply to the reservoir as reconstructed. There would then be no question of the validity of compliance with the statutory provisions requiring the certificate to be issued in the name of the party constructing and owning the reservoir. As indicated in our discussion we have no fixed views on the matter and it is our purpose to follow the procedure that will best assure a valid water right under the state water right procedures to accrue to the lands of the project. If, in your view, the district lands will be fully protected under a procedure of the district attempting itself to make proof on the reservoir construction of the United States, we will have no objection to this procedure.

Sincerely yours,

*William Burpee*  
William Burpee  
Field Solicitor

**Enclosure**

Copy to:  
Mr. George N. Carter  
State Reclamation Engineer  
Boise, Idaho

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JOHN R. COLEMAN

OF COUNSEL:  
HUGH A. BAKER

August 17, 1962

Mr. Ralph W. Thomas, Deputy  
State Reclamation Engineer  
State House  
Boise, Idaho

Re: Storage Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood River Irrigation District

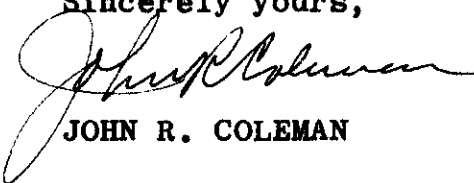
Dear Mr. Thomas:

Enclosed herewith is a copy of the notice of Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use with regard to the above permit.

In reviewing the file today with regard to this permit, I found an executed application for amendment to this permit. The amendment was for the purpose of correcting the legal description of the lands upon which the water stored in the Little Wood River Reservoir is to be used. At the time this amendment was made there were approximately 600 acres of land situated in township 3 S., Range 20 E.B.M. situated in Lincoln County, which lands were to receive water from the Little Wood River Irrigation District. However, since the time of this application for amendment, this land has been petitioned out of the district, and presently all of the lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District are situated within townships one and two North, one and two South, Ranges 20 and 21 E.B.M. It is not clear to me whether or not this proposed amendment was ever filed with your office. If you deem it advisable, I will prepare a new application for amendment to show the proper description of the townships and ranges within which the Little Wood River Irrigation District is situated.

If you have any comments concerning any of these matters, please let me know.

Sincerely yours,

  
JOHN R. COLEMAN

JRC/ket  
Enc.

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August 16, 1962

Re: Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood River Irrigation District

Parry, Robertson & Daly  
Lawyers  
Fidelity Bank Bldg.  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Attn: John R. Coleman

Dear Mr. Coleman:

Returned herewith are the two copies of legal notice, Proof of Beneficial Use of water. The carbon copy has been marked with certain corrections in pencil. The point of diversion of a reservoir is the outlet and not the locations of diversions downstream. The lower diversions can be shown following the reservoir location, "with redirection from Little Wood River in . . . . ." The domestic use of the water can be eliminated, if desired.

Kindly correct the original before it is sent to the Blaine County paper for publication, also check first publication for any errors.

Enclosed are forms which you apparently need.  
Note 36 is for subterranean water and 36A is for surface water.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

By:

RAIPH W. THOMAS, Deputy  
State Reclamation Engineer

RT:ew  
Enc. 2 copies of legal notice  
forms.

LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT  
CAREY, IDAHO

AUG 15 1962

Department of Reclamation

Mr. George N. Carter  
State Reclamation Engineer  
State House, Boise, Idaho

Re: Permit No. R-935

Dear Mr. Carter:

Your letter of August 6, 1962, in which is stated that all statutory requirements have been met by the Little Wood River Irrigation District for Certificate of Completion of Works, with the exception of the fee required by the State of Idaho.

Our check for \$22.40 is enclosed for payment of issuance of Certificate of Completion of Works on Permit No R-935 for 17,000 acre feet of storage with the date of priority of February 11, 1954.

This letter as having been received on August 6, will complete all former inquiries in this matter.

Very truly yours,

(Mrs) Bessie Stanford  
Board of Directors,  
Little Wood River Irrig. District

Bessie Stanford, Secretary

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April 21, 1960

RE: Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood River Irrigation District

Parry, Robertson & Daly  
Fidelity Bank Building  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Attention: John E. Coleman

Dear Mr. Coleman:

Returned herewith are the original and copies of the amendment you submitted. Also enclosed are blank forms for amending land list on permits, and deposition forms for proofs under Permit No. R-935.

The land list on Form 12, amendment to the land list seems to omit most of the land.

The five intervening permits appear to be between Permit No. R-813 which was cancelled and Permit No. R-935.

Kindly complete one new Form 12 showing all the lands in the Irrigation District. One form only is needed in this office.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

Ralph W. Thomas  
Office Engineer

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Enc. amendment  
forms

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August 6, 1962

RE: Permit No. R-935

W. Cloyd Meahan, Chairman of Board of Directors  
Little Wood River Irrigation District  
Carey, Idaho

Dear Mr. Meahan:

Our field engineer's report on his inspection of the completion of works under the terms of Permit No. R-935 shows the dam is capable of storing 17,000 acre feet of water.

Upon receipt of the statutory fee of \$22.40 we will issue the Certificate of Completion of Works for 17,000 acre feet of water with date of priority of February 11, 1954, with point of diversion in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 13, T. 1 N., R. 20 E., B.M. from Little Wood River, for domestic use and irrigation of 16,351 acres lying within the boundary of the Little Wood River Irrigation District in T. 1, 2 N., R. 20, 21, E., B.M.; T. 1, 2, 3, S., R. 20, 21, E., B.M.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

(Mrs.) Edna P. Rule  
Chief Clerk

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August 2, 1962

Re: Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood Irrigation Dist.

Parry, Robertson & Daly  
Attorneys at Law  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Attn: John R. Coleman

Dear Mr. Coleman:

Enclosed are two Forms 10 and one Form 11 and instructions in regard to proof of beneficial use of water under above noted permit.

Proof of Completion of Works was made May 3, 1960, before you as Notary Public. The works have not been examined, however we expect that it will be possible to make the examination without much more delay.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

By:

RALPH W. THOMAS, Deputy  
State Reclamation Engineer

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Enc. Form 10 and 11  
instructions

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August 1, 1962

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OF COUNSEL:  
HUGH A. BAKER

Mr. Ralph Thomas  
Deputy State Reclamation Engineer  
State House  
Boise, Idaho

RE: STORAGE PERMIT NO. R-935

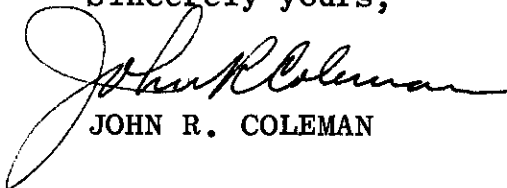
Dear Mr. Thomas:

The Board of Directors of the Little Wood River Irrigation District have requested that we proceed to complete the necessary proof with regard to the above storage permit, so that a storage license may be granted to the district.

Would you please check your files to determine the proof necessary to complete this matter and furnish such information to me, together with the necessary forms for completion of this matter.

Your co-operation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

  
JOHN R. COLEMAN

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June 13, 1960

Re: Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood River Irrigation Dist.

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Field Solicitor  
P. O. Box 937  
Boise, Idaho

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is one copy of the depositions of holder and  
two witnesses of completion of works under Permit No. R-935,  
as requested in a telephone conversation of June 10th.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

By:

(Mrs.) Edna P. Rule  
Chief Clerk

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May 18, 1960

RE: Permit No. R-935

Little Wood River Irrigation District  
W. Cloyd Mecham, Chairman of the Board of Directors  
Carey, Idaho

Dear Mr. Mecham:

We acknowledge receipt of the Deposition of Holder and two witnesses, also affidavit of publication in the Hailey Times, all submitted in proof of completion of works on Permit No. R-935.

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.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

(Mrs.) Edna P. Rule  
Chief Clerk

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May 10, 1960

RE: Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood River Irrigation District

Parry, Robertson & Daly  
Lawyers  
Fidelity Bank Building  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Attention:

John R. Coleman

Dear Mr. Coleman:

We acknowledge receipt of the Deposition of Holder and two witnesses in proof of completion of works under permit No. R-935.

We have not yet received the affidavit of publication which is a very necessary part of this file. Please forward it to this office immediately as the depositions are of no value without the affidavit of publication.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

(Mrs.) Edna F. Sule  
Chief Clerk

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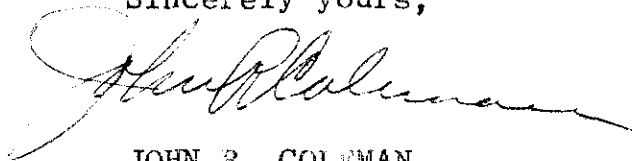
Mrs. Edna P. Rule  
Chief Clerk  
Department of Reclamation  
State Capitol Building  
Boise, Idaho

Re: PERMIT NO. R-935

Dear Mrs. Rule:

Enclosed herewith is the Affidavit of  
Publication of Notice of Completion of Works with  
regard to the above permit.

Sincerely yours,



JOHN R. COLEMAN

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May 10, 1960

Re: Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood River Irrigation Dist.

Perry, Robertson & Daly  
Fidelity Bank Building  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Attn: John E. Coleman:

We enclose herewith Application for Amendment to the  
land list issued on Permit No. R-935, which has been duly  
recorded in this office.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

By:

(Mrs.) Edna P. Rule  
Chief Clerk

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Enc. application for amendment

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#### COMPLETION OF WORKS

Notice is hereby given that at 10 a.m., on the 3rd day of May 1960, at Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho, before John E. Coleman, Notary Public, proof will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of 17,000 acre feet per annum of the waters of Little Wood River in accordance with the terms and conditions of a certain permit heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

1. The name of the person or District holding said permit is Little Wood River Irrigation District.

2. The postoffice address of such person or principal place of business of such District is Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho.

3. The number of such permit is R-935, and the date set for the completion of such work is May 3, 1960.

4. Said water is to be used for irrigation purposes.

5. 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 conducting to the place of intended use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is 17,000 Acre feet per Annum.

6. The amount of lands for which said water is available is 16,251 acres, particularly described as follows: Being lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District located in Townships One and Two (1) and (2) North, and Townships One (1), Two (2) and Three (3), South, Ranges Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East, Boise Meridian.

/s/ GEO. H. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer  
P.O. Box 7, 14, 22, 1960

## Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF IDAHO, } ss.  
County of Blaine,

BERWYN BURKE, being first duly sworn deposes and says that he is now and at all times herein mentioned has been the publisher of The Hailey Times, which is now, and at all times herein mentioned has been a newspaper as defined in Section 58-106 of the Idaho Code Annotated as amended by Chapter 38 of the Laws of 1939, and printed, regularly issued and published weekly at Hailey, in Blaine County, Idaho, and having a general circulation in said county, and not less than 200 bona fide subscribers living within said county, and that said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly so printed and published as a weekly newspaper in said county during the period of 78 consecutive weeks prior to the first publication of the annexed true copy and at all times since, and that said annexed true copy was so published in the regular edition of said newspaper, The Hailey

Times, and not in any supplement thereof, for four consecutive weeks commencing with the first publication thereof on the 7th day of April, 1960, and ending with the last publication thereof on the

28th day of April, 1960.

Cost of this publication is \$ 25.08

*Berwyn Burke*  
BERWYN BURKE, Publisher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 29th day of April, 1960.

*Betty W. Hakes*  
Notary Public for Idaho  
Residing at Hailey,  
Blaine County, Idaho.

Permit No. R-935

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Department of Reclamation

# Proof of Completion of Works

## DEPOSITION OF HOLDER

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

Ans. W. Cloyd Mecham, Carey, Idaho, Farmer

Ques. 2. If acting on behalf of a corporation, state its name, principal place of business, your position with reference to same, and your authority for appearing in its behalf.

Ans. Little Wood River Irrigation District

Chairman of the Board of Directors

Ques. 3. State number and date of permit, acre feet of water you claim for storage, and source of same.

Ans. R-935 February 11, 1954 17,545 acre feet from Little Wood River

Ques. 4. Under terms of permit construction was required to be completed by November 3, 1956. Extended to May 3, 1960.

Ques. 5. Construction was actually completed on the date of November 10, 1959. water was stored, the gate operating mechanism completed April 15, 1960.

Ques. 6. Does the construction fully comply with the specifications? No, exceeds specifications

Ques. 7. Of what material was the dam built? Earth and rock with concrete spillway and concrete tunnel reinforced with steel and steel gates.

Ques. 8. State whether or not the water has been turned into your reservoir, and if so, when and to what extent.

Ans. Yes, November 10, 1959. The new capacity began to be filled March 25, 1960, from the full flow of Little Wood River.

Ques. 9. The capacity of the reservoir is 30,000 acre feet.

Ques. 10. The area of the high water line of the reservoir is 572.5 acres.

Ques. 11. The height of the dam above bottom of reservoir is 122 feet, above low water is 113 feet from the low water line to the top of the dam.

Ques. 12. The dimensions of the spillway are 200 feet long and the bottom of the spillway is 11.7 feet below the top of the dam.

Ques. 13. Dimensions of the reservoir outlet are 5' X 7'

Ques. 14. Describe the gate and control unit.

Ans. The gates are constructed of high-pressure steel consisting of two gates 4' X 6' each. The upstream gate is an emergency gate and the down stream gate is a regulating gate. The gates are located in the gate chamber with an access shaft leading to the top of the dam. The gates are raised and lowered by an hydraulic oil pump in control house atop of shaft.

Ques. 15. The reservoir outlet is made of Steel reinforced concrete and a masonry stilling pool.

Ques. 16. Is the reservoir filled through a feeder canal? No.

Ques. 17. If so, where is the point of diversion for same? Not applicable.

Ans. 1/4 1/4 Section, Twp. Range.

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Ques. 18. Does the feeder canal comply with the specifications in the permit? Not applicable.

Ques. 19. If not, explain Not applicable.

Ques. 20. Cost of constructing feeder canal? \$..... Cost of reservoir? \$2,212,000.

Ques. 21. State whether or not the works from reservoir outlet to place of use are fully completed, and whether or not they comply with the specifications in permit. If not, explain.

Ans. In existance at time of issuance of permit.

Ques. 22. Water has (has not) been delivered to place of intended use? has not  
Will be delivered during the 1960 irrigation season.

Ques. 23. Give description of dam, state dimensions, and give slope of face both upstream and downstream. Also method and material for protecting against wave action.

Ans. Constructed of earth and rock with earth fill. The height of the new dam is 45' above the original dam. The new dam is 2835' long, 122' above the river bed with the upstream slope of 3 to 1 and the down stream slope 2 to 1. The upstream face has a 1 foot gravel bedding with a 3 foot rock rip rap over gravel bedding. The central section is compacted earth the down stream is rock fill. (See below)

Ques. 24. State the purpose for which the water is to be used and give the place of use, and if for irrigation, state the number of acres, and give the legal description of same.

Ans. Irrigation and domestic use. The storage water is to supplement the water supply in the entire district totaling 16,351 acres being the lands of the Little Wood River Irrigation District located in Townships 1 and 2 North, 1, 2 and 3 South, Range 20 and 21 East, Boise Meridian which lands are situated in Blaine and Lincoln Counties, Idaho.

(Sign here)

*H. Lloyd Micham*

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 Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho, on this 8th day of May, A. D. 1960.

*John R. Bluma*  
Notary Public

My commission expires January 5, 1963

23. The outlet has a capacity of 1100 second feet. The spillway capacity is 10,000 second feet.

MAY 5 1935  
Department of Reclamation

The Depositions of two Witnesses, in this form, taken separately, required in each case.

Permit No. R-935

# Proof of Completion of Works

## DEPOSITION OF WITNESS

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

Ans. Ross A. Stanford Carey, Idaho, Farmer

District

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with Little Wood River Irrigation/ the holder of Permit No. R-935, authorizing the storage of 17,000 acre feet of the waters of Little Wood River which is tributary to Big Wood River, in the County of Blaine, State of Idaho? How long have you known him, and where does he reside?

Ans. Since organized February 11, 1935.

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit? Yes. Are you familiar with its terms and conditions? Yes.

Ques. 4. Of what material and how has the dam been constructed?

Ans. Earth and rock.

Ques. 5. Is the reservoir fully constructed? Yes. Has water been turned into it? Yes. And to what extent? Filled to capacity.

Ques. 6. Where is the point of diversion of the feeder canal? Not applicable.

Ans.  $\frac{1}{4}$   $\frac{1}{4}$  Section, Township Range

Ques. 7. The outlet of the reservoir is located in the NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 13 Twp. 1 North Range 21 East, Boise, Meridian.

Ques. 8. Describe the spillway.

Ans. Concrete and steel overflow weir type 200' long.

Ques. 9. How much below the top of the dam is the bottom of the spillway? 11.7 Ft.

Ques. 10. State the dimensions of the outlet for the reservoir 5' X 7'

Ques. 11. Of what material is the outlet made? Steel reinforced concrete.

Ques. 12. How is the outlet gate operated? Hydraulically.

Ques. 13. Of what material has the dam been constructed? Earth and rock.

Ques. 14. Are the works from the reservoir to place of use fully completed? Yes.

Ques. 15. Describe these works as they now exist, and give your estimate of their capacity.

Ans. In existance at issuance of permit. River capacity below dam 1500 second feet. Canal capacity 320 second feet.

Ques. 16. For what purpose is the water to be used?

Ans. Domestic and irrigation.

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Ques. 17. If for irrigation purposes, are you acquainted with the land to be irrigated? Yes.  
How much water is required for its profitable cultivation?

Ans. 5 acre feet per acre per year.

Ques. 18. Give the legal description of the land to be irrigated, or the place of use.

Ans. Lands of the Little Wood River Irrigation District located in Township 1 and 2 North, 1, 2 and 3 South, Range 20 and 21 East, Boise Meridian which lands are situated in Blaine and Lincoln Counties, Idaho.

(Sign here) Ross A. Stanford

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, at my office in Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho, on this 3rd day of May, 1960.

John R. Coleman  
Notary Public

My commission expires January 5, 1963

The Depositions of two Witnesses, in this form, taken separately, required in each case.

Permit No. R-935

## Proof of Completion of Works

### DEPOSITION OF WITNESS

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

Ans. Orville L. Kime, Project Construction Engineer, Bureau of  
Reclamation, Route 4, Rupert, Idaho. District

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with Little Wood River Irrigation/the holder of Permit No. R-935, authorizing the storage of 17,000 acre feet of the waters of Little Wood River which is tributary to Big Wood River, in the County of Blaine, State of Idaho? How long have you known him, and where does he reside?

Ans. Since 1956

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit? Yes Are you familiar with its terms and conditions? Yes

Ques. 4. Of what material and how has the dam been constructed?

Ans. Earth and rock.

Ques. 5. Is the reservoir fully constructed? Yes Has water been turned into it? Yes And to what extent? Filled to capacity.

Ques. 6. Where is the point of diversion of the feeder canal?

Ans.  $\frac{1}{4}$   $\frac{1}{4}$  Section, Township Range

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Ans. Lands of the Little Wood River Irrigation District located in  
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Meridian, which lands are situated in Blaine and Lincoln Counties, Idaho.

(Sign here) Orville L. Zine

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, at my office in Carey, County of Blaine,  
State of Idaho, on this 3rd day of May 1960.

My commission expires January 5, 1963.

John R. Bluman  
Notary Public

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS

OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, No. *R-935*

**MAY 5 1960**  
Department of Reclamation

Comes now Bessie Stanford, Secretary, Little Wood River, and represents  
Irrigation District  
to the State Reclamation Engineer of the State of Idaho.  
said district

That ~~she~~ is the owner and holder of Permit to appropriate the Public Waters of the  
State of Idaho, No. *R-935*, and requests that the list of lands to be irrigated,  
as described in said permit, be changed to read as follows:

... Lands in Townships one (1) and Two (2) North, Range Twenty (20) and  
Twenty-one (21).  
... East, Boise Meridian and Townships One (1), Two (2) and Three (3).  
... South, Ranges Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East, Boise Meridian,  
... Being the lands within the Little Wood River Irrigation District  
... in Blaine and Lincoln Counties, Idaho.  
...  
...  
... making a total of 16,351 acres.

That an additional amount of water is not asked for, and that the rights of others  
will not be adversely affected by such change.

Signed at Carey, Idaho, this 18th day of April, 1960

*Bessie Stanford*  
Secretary to Little Wood River  
Irrigation District

Date of receipt at office of Department of Reclamation

APPROVAL OF STATE RECLAMATION ENGINEER

I, Geo. N. Carter, State Reclamation Engineer of the State of Idaho, hereby approve  
the above and foregoing application for amendment to Permit to appropriate the Public  
Waters of the State of Idaho, No. *R-935*. This approval constitutes a new permit  
and is issued as an amendment to the original permit, to which it refers, and of which  
it becomes a part, and said application is approved only insofar as the rights of others  
will not be adversely affected thereby.

Recorded in Book E-4 of  
Permits, Page 935  
May 10, 1960

*Geo. N. Carter*  
State Reclamation Engineer *R-935*

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JOHN R. COLEMAN  
OF COUNSEL:  
HUGH A. BAKER  
J. R. KEENAN

May 4, 1960

Mr. George N. Carter  
State Reclamation Engineer  
State Capitol Building  
Boise, Idaho

Re: Permit No. R-935

Dear Mr. Carter:

Enclosed herewith are the following items  
with regard to the above permit:

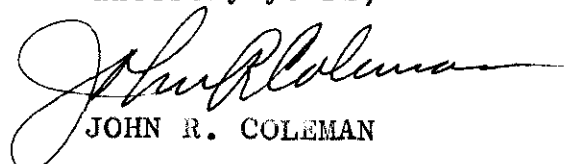
- (1) Deposition of Witness, Orville L. Kime.
- (2) Deposition of Witness, Ross A. Stanford.
- (3) Deposition of W. Cloyd Mecham, chairman of the Board of Directors of Little Wood River Irrigation District.
- (4) Application for amendment to permit to appropriate public water to the State of Idaho.

These items are submitted for proof of completion of works with regard to the above designated permit.

We have not, as yet, received the Affidavit of Publication from the newspaper which printed the Notice of Hearing. I am writing today requesting that such affidavit be sent to us as soon as possible. If it is necessary that you have this in your files, I will forward it to you as soon as we receive it.

Would you please notify us if there is any additional steps to be taken prior to the issuance of a certificate of Completion of Works with regard to the above permit.

Sincerely yours,

  
JOHN R. COLEMAN

JRC:sah  
Enclosures

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April 8, 1960

Parry, Robertson & Daly  
Attorneys at Law  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Attn: John R. Coleman

Re: Permits Nos. R-935- & R-1049  
Little Wood River

Dear Mr. Coleman:

I have your letter of April 6, 1960, suggesting that you believe proofs should be made on both Permits Nos. R-935 and R-1049.

I am puzzled to identify the five permits you mentioned as being between R-935 and R-1049. The stream index file in this office does not show any permits between these two, having as a source of water supply the Little Wood River. If you have the numbers of these permits, it would be helpful in locating them in the records of this office.

I see no objection to making the simultaneous proofs on both permits, however, I do not see that much is to be gained by so doing, unless there are five applications between these two.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

GNC:ew

cc: Wm Burpee  
Box 937  
Boise, Idaho

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April 19, 1960

Mr. George Carter  
State Reclamation Engineer  
State Capitol Building  
Boise, Idaho

Re: Permit No. R-935 Little Wood River

Dear Mr. Carter:

Enclosed herewith is the original and three copies of your Form No. 12. All copies have been executed by the secretary of the Little Wood River Irrigation District.

R-935  
The changes in the list of lands to be irrigated is to conform with the present boundaries of the district. You will note, however, that the total acres remaining are the same. It is my understanding that this total number of acres now conforms to the number of acres of land now within the district.

In your letter to me dated April 8, 1960, you requested that I give you the numbers of the permits to appropriate waters of Little Wood River which were filed by the time Permit No. R-935 and Permit No. R-1049 were issued. I do not have the numbers of these permits but these permits were to appropriate natural flow of the Little Wood River. One of such permits was issued to Mr. Ross Stanford. I do not, however, recall any of the names of the other permit holders.

I discussed the matter of these intervening permits with both Mr. Parry of our office and Mr. Burpee of the Bureau of Reclamation and because of the existence of these permits we have decided that we should complete proof on both Permit Nos. R-935 and R-1049.

I presume that the necessary forms for depositions to be taken on the proof of the completion of works will be forwarded to me prior to May 3, 1960.

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Mr. George Carter  
Page 2  
April 19, 1960

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly  
appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

  
JOHN R. COLEMAN

JRC:sah  
Enclosure

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
COMPLETION OF WORKS**

Notice is hereby given that at 10 a.m., on the 3rd day of May 1960, at Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho, before John R. Coleman, Notary Public, proof will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of 17,000 acre feet per annum of the waters of Little Wood River in accordance with the terms and conditions of a certain permit heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

1. The name of the person or District holding said permit is Little Wood River Irrigation District.

2. The postoffice address of such person or principal place of business of such District is Carey, County of Blaine, State of Idaho.

3. The number of such permit is B-935, and the date set for the completion of such work is May 3, 1960.

4. Said water is to be used for irrigation purposes.

5. 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 conducting to the place of intended use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is 17,000 Acre feet per Annum.

6. The amount of lands for which said water is available is 351 acres, particularly described as follows: Being lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District located in Townships One and Two (1) and (2) North, and Townships One (1), Two (2) and Three (3), South, Ranges Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East, Boise Meridian.

/s/ GEO. N. CARTER P-936  
State Reclamation Engineer  
Witness April 7, 14, 21, 28, 1960

March 7, 1960

RE: Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood River Irrigation District

Parry, Robertson & Daly  
Lawyers  
Fidelity Bank Building  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Attention: John R. Coleman

Dear Mr. Coleman:

Enclosed is the Notice of Publication, Completion of Works, which you requested to be returned in your transmittal letter dated March 4, 1960, and form for amending the land list.

Under 6, the amount of lands, 16,351 acres, checks with the Permit Record; however the record shows the lands as being within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District located in Township 1 North, 1 South and 2 South, all in Range 1 East, Boise Meridian. Your notice includes Township 2 North and 3 South, and Range 20 East which are not shown in the permit. Form for amending the land list should be completed showing of any lands which may be outside of the Irrigation District. probably changing the acreage.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

(Mrs.) Edna P. Rule  
Chief Clerk

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Enc. publication notice  
form

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March 4 th, 1960

**RECEIVED**  
MAR 7 1960  
Department of Reclamation

Mr. Geo. N. Carter,  
State Reclamation Engineer,  
State House,  
Boise, Idaho.

Re: Permit No. R-935-Little Wood River  
Irrigation District.

Dear Mr. Carter:

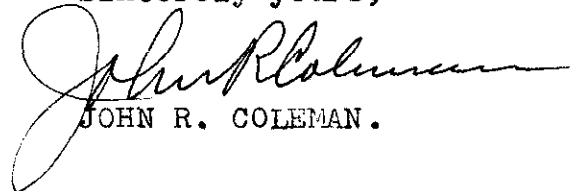
Enclosed herewith is the original and one copy of the Notice for Publication of Completion of Works with regard to the above captioned matter.

Would you please return the Notices for Publication to our office.

We do not anticipate a hearing on this matter for the reason that this Permit either will be assigned to the Bureau of Reclamation or will be superseded by permit to appropriate made by the Bureau of Reclamation. We are however submitting the enclosed Notice at this time in order to preserve our rights under the existing permit until we are certain that the Bureau of Reclamation has either taken an assignment of this permit or has made a new application to appropriate.

We will notify you next week concerning our final position with regard to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

  
JOHN R. COLEMAN.

JRC:b  
Encls.

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# Notice for Publication COMPLETION OF WORKS

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State of Idaho,  
Department of Reclamation

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In accordance with the terms and conditions of a certain permit heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho, District

1. The name of the person or ~~persons~~ holding said permit is Little Wood River Irrigation District.

2. The postoffice address of such person or principal place of business of such ~~person~~ is Carey, District, County of Blaine, State of Idaho.

3. The number of such permit is R-935, and the date set for the completion of such work is May 3, 1960.

4. Said water is to be used for irrigation and domestic purposes.

5. 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 conducting to the place of intended use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is 17,000 Acre ~~year~~ feet per ~~year~~ Annua.

6. The amount of lands for which said water is available is 16,351 acres, particularly described as follows:

Being lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District located in Townships One and Two (1) and (2) North, and Townships One (1), Two (2) and Three (3), South, Ranges Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21) East, Boise Meridian.

Commissioner of Reclamation  
State Reclamation Engineer

**State of Idaho**  
**DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION**  
BOISE

**Re: Permit No. R935 - Little Wood River Irrigation District**  
**INSTRUCTIONS**

PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS

**Clifford E. Fix**  
**Attorney at Law**  
**Fidelity Bank Bldg.**  
**Twin Falls, Idaho**

Boise, Idaho,  
March 1, 1960

Dear Sir:—

I enclose herewith blank form upon which to give notice that you are prepared and desire to submit proof of completion of works under your permit No. R-935.

This form should be filled out and mailed to the Department of Reclamation, at least 60 days before the date upon which proof is to be submitted, which proof MUST be on or before May 3, 1960. Upon receipt of the blank properly filled out, notice of publication will be sent to the paper direct from this office, which notice must be published a period of four weeks prior to the date of proof.

The proof may be submitted at any place convenient to you and two witnesses, where there is a notary public or other officer authorized to administer oaths.

The certificate that shall be issued under this proof does not give you a perpetual right to the use of the water for which application is made, as it only confirms the completion of the works of a capacity to divert and convey to the place of intended use a certain amount of water. The law requires that another proof be submitted when the water has been fully applied to a beneficial use, at which time license is issued for the amount of water actually in use. Information in regard to this last proof will be furnished on request.

Very truly yours,

**GEO. N. CARTER**

State Reclamation Engineer

**Encl. Form 8 - 11**

**cc: Little Wood River Irr. Dist.**

R-935

April 8, 1959

Re: Permit No. R-935  
Little Wood River Irrigation Dist.

Mr. Clifford E. Fix  
Attorney at Law  
Fidelity Bank Bldg.  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Fix:

Enclosed you should find three copies of an order extending the time for Proof of Completion of Works on Permit No. R-935, Little Wood River Irrigation District, holder, to May 3, 1960.

The order has been recorded on the permit.

Sincerely yours,

GEO. N. CARTER  
State Reclamation Engineer

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March 17, 1959

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MAR 18 1959  
Department of Reclamation

Mr. George N. Carter  
State Reclamation Engineer  
State House  
Boise, Idaho

RE: Idaho Reclamation Storage  
Permit No. R-935 In name of  
Little Wood River Irrigation District

Dear Mr. Carter:

Reference is made to your letter of March 6, 1959, to Raymond Briggs, regarding proof for completion of works under the above-numbered permit about which I telephoned you on March 13, 1959.

Pursuant to that conversation, we are hereby requesting on behalf of the Little Wood River Irrigation District, an extension of time for the completion of works under said permit from May 3, 1959, to May 3, 1960.

As you are aware, considerable time has been spent in negotiations, surveys and preliminary preparation for the construction of the works under a contract with the United States Government. The contract was awarded in August, 1958, and work began immediately. The total cost of the project is \$2,212,000.00. The completion of the construction is to be December, 1959. The work has progressed better than anticipated due to favorable weather conditions and the mild winter and it is anticipated that actual completion will be earlier than the contract date.

As Mr. Burpee has advised you, the United States proposes to file an application but it is our mutual desire that the pending application be kept in force at least until action is taken on the application of the United States.

The construction of the works is at the present time, more than fifty per cent complete and considerably more than \$1,000,000.00 has been expended in the construction presently completed.

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Mr. George N. Carter  
Page 2  
March 17, 1959

If any further information is needed prior to issuance of an extension of time for proof of completion of works, we shall gladly furnish any such information which is available to us.

Your co-operation in this matter is very much appreciated.

Very truly yours,

  
CLIFFORD E. FIX

CEF/cjf

cc: Mr. Raymond J. Briggs  
Mrs. Bessie Stanford  
Wm. Burpee

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Mr. C. E. Fix, Attorney at Law  
Fidelity Bank Building  
Twin Falls, Idaho

Re: Idaho Reclamation  
Permit R-935

Dear Cliff:

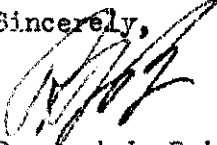
George N. Carter, State Reclamation Engineer, has forwarded to me certain papers, under date of March 6, 1959, concerning Little Wood River Irrigation District, Permit No. R-935, consisting of:

- (a) Proof of Completion of Works
- (b) Notice for Publication of Completion of Works
- (c) Form No. 11

Form No. 11 requires execution "by a well known and competent engineer". Normally, the engineer who submitted the data with the original application would be preferable. An Idaho engineer seal is required.

Please advise me as to what to do with these papers. Proof is required on or before May 3, 1959, with notice to be published for a period of four weeks prior to that date.

Sincerely,

  
Raymond J. Briggs

RJB/cjc

cc to George N. Carter ✓

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**State of Idaho**  
**DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION**  
BOISE

**INSTRUCTIONS**

**PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS**

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file, wood River*  
**Little Wood River Irrigation District**  
**c/o Raymond J. Bright**  
**619 Grove St., Boise, Idaho**

Boise, Idaho,

March 5, 1959

Dear Sir:—

I enclose herewith blank form upon which to give notice that you are prepared and desire to submit proof of completion of works under your permit No. 8-935.

This form should be filled out and mailed to the Department of Reclamation, at least 60 days before the date upon which proof is to be submitted, which proof MUST be on or before May 3, 1959. Upon receipt of the blank properly filled out, notice of publication will be sent to the paper direct from this office, which notice must be published a period of four weeks prior to the date of proof.

The proof may be submitted at any place convenient to you and two witnesses, where there is a notary public or other officer authorized to administer oaths.

The certificate that shall be issued under this proof does not give you a perpetual right to the use of the water for which application is made, as it only confirms the completion of the works of a capacity to divert and convey to the place of intended use a certain amount of water. The law requires that another proof be submitted when the water has been fully applied to a beneficial use, at which time license is issued for the amount of water actually in use. Information in regard to this last proof will be furnished on request.

Very truly yours,

**CHAS. H. CARTER**

State Reclamation Engineer

R-935

PARRY, ROBERTSON & DALY  
FIDELITY BANK BUILDING  
TWIN FALLS, IDAHO

January 13, 1959.

JAN 14 1959  
Department of Reclamation

Mr. Raymond J. Briggs,  
619 Grove Street,  
Boise, Idaho.

Re: Permit No. R-813.

Dear Raymond:

Little Wood River Irrigation District has referred to us your letter of December 19th for reply.

Our file indicates that Permit R-813 has been superseded by Permit No. R-935 which is still in good standing. Therefore, it will not be necessary for you to take any action pursuant to the State Reclamation Engineer's letter of December 19th.

Best personal regards.

Very truly yours,

CLIFFORD E. FIX

CEF:jb

CC: Little Wood River Irrigation  
District,  
Carey, Idaho.

Mr. George N. Carter,  
State Reclamation Engineer,  
State Capitol,  
Boise, Idaho.

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*Mark/Help*

Public Law 993 - 84th Congress  
Chapter 981 - 2d Session  
S. 3227

AN ACT

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JUL 10 1935  
U.S. DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain the Little Wood River reclamation project, Idaho.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That, for the principal purposes of improving the irrigation water supply of approximately ten thousand acres of land in Blaine County, Idaho, and assisting in the control of floods, the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to undertake an enlargement of the Little Wood River Reservoir and to operate and maintain the same in accordance with the Federal reclamation laws (Act of June 17, 1902, 32 Stat. 388, and Acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto). Any contract entered into under section 9, subsection (d), of the Reclamation Project Act of 1939 (53 Stat. 1187, 1193; 43 U. S. C. 485h) for payment of those portions of the costs of constructing, operating, and maintaining the Little Wood River project which are properly allocable to irrigation and which are assigned to be paid by the contracting organization shall provide for the repayment of the construction cost over a period of not more than forty years or as near thereto as is consistent with the adoption and operation of a variable payment formula which, being based on full repayment within the period stated under average conditions, permits variance in the required annual payments in the light of economic factors pertinent to the ability of the organization to pay.

Little Wood River project.

43 USC 391.

SEC. 2. The Secretary is authorized to construct minimum basic public recreational facilities in connection with the Little Wood River project and to enter into appropriate arrangements for the operation and maintenance of the same by a State or local agency or organization. The cost of such facilities shall be nonreimbursable and nonreturnable under the reclamation laws.

Recreational facilities.

70 Stat. 1059.  
70 Stat. 1060.

SEC. 3. (a) The Secretary may make such reasonable provision in the works of the Little Wood River project as, upon further study in accordance with section 2 of the Act of August 14, 1946 (60 Stat. 1080, 16 U. S. C. 661a), he finds to be required for the preservation and propagation of fish and wildlife. An appropriate portion of the construction cost of the project shall be allocated as provided in said Act and it, together with the portion of the construction cost allocated to flood control and the portions of the operation and maintenance costs allocated to these functions or the capitalized value of the equivalent thereof, shall be nonreimbursable and nonreturnable under the reclamation laws.

Fish and wildlife preservation.

16 USC 662.

(b) So far as the Secretary finds the same to be consistent with safety and with efficient operation or the primary purpose of the Little Wood River project, the project waters in the project area shall be open to free public use for lawful hunting and fishing purposes, and free access to the waters for those purposes shall be assured.

Hunting and fishing.

(c) Little Wood River Reservoir shall be operated in accord with water rights, under decree or permit, which are valid under the laws of the State of Idaho, but the Congress, taking cognizance of the need for clarification of certain of these rights in some formal manner effective under Idaho law, particularly as between the Fish and Game Department of said State and the water users under the Little Wood River project or their organizations, does not by this declaration accept for or impose upon the United States, its officers or employees any responsibility for determining the correctness of such claims of right and does not, either by the enactment of this Act or by any action taken pursuant thereto, intend to aid or prejudice the claims of any party to a dispute with respect thereto or to impose upon any

party to a contract entered into under this Act any obligation with respect to such rights that does not exist under the laws of the State of Idaho or to require that water, other than that which is available under established rights, shall be used primarily either for irrigation or for the preservation of fish and wildlife resources.

Appropriation. SEC. 4. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated for construction of the Little Wood River project \$1,880,000 plus such amounts, if any, as may be required by reason of changes in construction costs as indicated by engineering cost indexes applicable to the types of construction involved therein and, in addition, such amounts as may be required to operate and maintain said project.

Approved August 6, 1956.

✓  
June 19, 1954

RE: Permit No. R-935

Bessie Stanford, Secretary- Treas.  
Little Wood River Irrigation District  
Carey, Idaho

Dear Madam:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of June 16 enclosing bond  
of the U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Company in the sum of \$1,000.00  
which has been filed in connection with Permit No. R-935.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

Chief Clerk

A:hll

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Notes to proceed.  
Aug 26, 1958

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# Bond.

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That Little Wood River Irrigation District  
of Blaine County, Idaho, as principal, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company

....., as surety, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Idaho in the full  
and just sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$ 1,000.00) Dollars,  
lawful money of the United States, to the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, said  
~~principal and surety~~ bind themselves, their heirs, administrators, executors and assigns, jointly and  
severally, under the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

The terms of this obligation are such that, whereas the above named principal on the.....  
First day of June, 1954, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Reclama-  
tion in Boise, Idaho, a certain application for permit to appropriate the public waters of the State  
of Idaho, the said application being thereupon numbered No 32533, in accordance with which said  
application the Commissioner of Reclamation granted and issued to the said principal herein a cer-  
tain permit numbered No. R- 935, a full, true and complete copy of which application No. 32533  
and permit No. R- 935, is of record in the office of the Commissioner of Reclamation in Book  
..... of Permits, at Page .....

Now, if the above bounden principal shall faithfully carry to completion the said works of diver-  
sion as specified in said application No. 32533 and permit No. R- 935, in the manner and form  
prescribed therein and within the time therein allowed, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise  
to remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The said principal and surety have hereunto set their hands and seals,  
this First day of June, 1954.

WITNESSES:

LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT (SEAL)

BY: Roy Sweet (SEAL)

COUNTERSIGNED BY:

W. D. Brown  
Resident Agent

UNITED STATES FIDELITY AND GUARANTY COMPANY (SEAL)

BY: Burton S. Lingey  
Attorney-in-Fact

STATE OF IDAHO,

County of Blaine

SS:

..... of ..... and  
..... of ..... whose names  
are subscribed to the within and foregoing obligation as sureties thereto, each being duly sworn,  
upon oath for himself deposes and says:

That he is a resident and freeholder of the State of Idaho, and that he is worth the sum named  
in said obligation, to wit, \$ 1,000.00, over and above all his debts and liabilities, exclusive of prop-  
erty exempt from execution.

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

R- 935

**DIRECTORS:**

R. E. Adamson

~~D. M. Barton~~  
Charles A. Nisson

Ray Sweat

**SECRETARY-TREASURER**

Bessie Stanford

# Little Wood River Irrigation District

CAREY, IDAHO

June 16, 1954

Mr. Mark R. Kulp  
State Reclamation Engineer  
State House  
Boise, Idaho

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing the Surety Bond for the Little Wood River Irrigation District which is necessary for the filing of our recent Permit for R-935.

This bond has been issued by the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company for \$1,000 .

I trust that this will meet with your approval and be accepted as the required instrument for this permit filing.

Very truly yours,

*Bessie Stanford*  
Secretary- Treas.

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JUN 19 1954

Department of Reclamation

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June 11, 1954

Messrs. Parry, Keenan, Robertson, et al  
Fidelity Bank Building  
Twin Falls, Idaho

ATTENTION Mr. Ben Shuey

Dear Mr. Shuey:

In reply to your letter of June 10th, addressed to Mr. Raymond J. Briggs, inquiring as to the form of bond to be used in connection with Permit No. R-935 of the Little Wood River Irrigation District.

We enclose a printed form which was formerly used for a personal bond which will give you the general form. A surety bond is now required, but the general form and conditions are the same.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

Chief Clerk

s:br

Enc.

CC: Mr. Raymond J. Briggs

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✓  
May 21, 1954

RE: Permit No. R-935

Mrs. Bessie Stanford, Sec'y  
Little Wood River Irrigation District  
Carey, Idaho

Dear Mrs. Stanford:

Reference is made to your letter of May 20 enclosing unsigned bond in connection with Permit No. R-935 and requesting information in regard to completion of same.

This printed form is one that was formerly used by this department where personal sureties were required. It is now our practice to request a surety bond, which is similar in form but which should be executed by a surety company rather than by individuals.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

Chief Clerk

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**DIRECTORS:**

R. E. Adamson  
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# Little Wood River Irrigation District

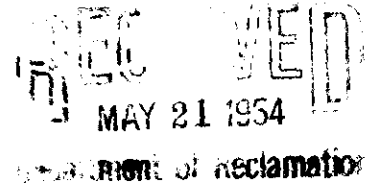
CAREY, IDAHO

May 20, 1954

**SECRETARY-TREASURER**

Bessie Stanford

Mr. Mark R. Kulp  
State Reclamation Engineer  
Boise, Idaho



Dear Mr. Kulp:

I have enclosed a form of the Bond which the District will be required to file with your department before July 3, 1954.

I have completed this Bond in part but am in doubt as to just what is needed as Sureties. Also if the President of the District signs on the first line and two Sureties sign line two and three under his signature. In having the notary complete, what signatures are necessary?

If you will return this instrument as correct or make out another in the manner in which it is to be filed with you, I shall be most grateful for your help in this matter.

Our next regular meeting will be held June 1, . If your time permits you to complete this business for presenting at that time, I shall appreciate having same by that time.

Very truly yours,  
(ms) *Bessie Stanford*  
Secretary, Little Wood River Irrig. Dist.

R-935

May 6, 1954

RE: Permit No. R-935

Mr. Raymond J. Briggs  
29 Grove Street  
Boise, Idaho

Dear Mr. Briggs:

We enclose Permit No. R-935 of the Little Wood River Irrigation District together with departmental receipt No. 26505 for the \$21.75 filing fee.

Your attention is directed to the fact that plans and specifications must be submitted in duplicate for approval by this department before proceeding with construction.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

Chief Clerk

A:hll  
Enc.

cc Mr. Clifford E. Fix

R-935

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REGISTERED:  
IDAHO, OREGON, WASHINGTON,  
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April 21, 1954

Mr. Mark R. Kulp  
State Reclamation Engineer  
Capitol Building  
Boise, Idaho

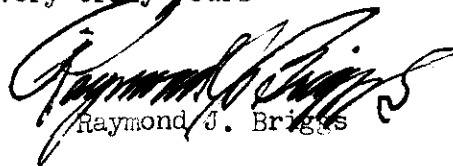
Subject: Little Wood River Irrigation District, Carey, Blaine  
County, Idaho application for Permit to Appropriate and Store  
Irrigation Waters - Application No. R-32533.

Dear Mr. Kulp:

In reference to the above cited subject, "Affidavit  
of Publication" is being transmitted herewith covering legal  
advertising for the subject application, affirming that first  
publication was made on March 4 and last publication on March  
18, 1954.

It is my understanding that the Irrigation District  
has paid the cost of publication.

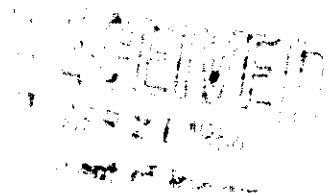
Very truly yours

  
Raymond J. Briggs

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Encl.

cc: C. E. Fix  
Bessie Stanford



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DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

NOTICE OF APELICATION TO AP-  
PROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WA-  
TERS OF THE STATE OF IDAHO  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE  
PROVISIONS OF SECTION 42-203,  
IDAHO CODE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That on the 11th day of Febru-  
ary, 1954, the Little Wood River  
Irrigation District of Carey, Idaho  
made application to enlarge their  
present reservoir and to store and  
appropriate 17,000 additional acre  
feet per annum of the waters of  
Little Wood River for irrigation  
and domestic purposes.

That the outlet of the reservoir  
is described as being located  
South 78°, 15 minutes West 1,648  
feet, distant from the NW corner  
of Section 13, Township 1 North,  
Range 20 East, B.M. and in the  
NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of said section.

That the lands to be irrigated  
by the use of such water are the  
lands within the boundaries of  
the Little Wood River Irrigation  
District, located in Township 1  
North and Townships 1 and 2  
south, Range 21 East, B.M.

That any protest against the  
approval of this application must  
be filed in the Department of  
Reclamation, at Boise, Idaho,  
within forty (40) days from the  
date of this notice, and such pro-  
test shall state the name and  
address of the protestant, and  
shall clearly set forth his objec-  
tions to the approval of said ap-  
plication.

Dated this 23rd day of Febru-  
ary, 1954.

MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer  
SERVICE OF THE FOREGOING.  
By Copy, is hereby acknowledged  
this 26th day of February, 1954.

LITTLE WOOD RIVER  
IRRIGATION DISTRICT

By RAYMOND J. BRIGGS  
Its Engineer

Date of first publication: March 4  
Date of last publication: March 18  
Last date for protest: April 12, 1954

Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF IDAHO, }  
County of Blaine, } ss.

BERWYN BURKE, being first duly sworn deposes and says  
that he is now and at all times herein mentioned has been the pub-  
lisher of The Hailey Times, which is now, and at all times herein  
mentioned has been a newspaper as defined in Section 58-106 of the  
Idaho Code Annotated as amended by Chapter 38 of the Laws of 1939,  
and printed, regularly issued and published weekly at Hailey, in Blaine  
County, Idaho, and having a general circulation in said county, and  
not less than 200 bona fide subscribers living within said county, and  
that said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly so  
printed and published as a weekly newspaper in said county during the  
period of 78 consecutive weeks prior to the first publication of the an-  
nexed true copy and at all times since, and that said annexed true copy  
was so published in the regular edition of said newspaper, The Hailey

Times, and not in any supplement thereof, for three con-  
secutive weeks commencing with the first publication thereof on the

4th day of March, 1954

and ending with the last publication thereof on the

18th day of March, 1954

Cost of this publication is \$ 13.68

Berwyn Burke  
BERWYN BURKE, Publisher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 19th day  
of March, 1954

Helen E. Symon  
Notary Public for Idaho  
Residing at Hailey,  
Blaine County, Idaho.

# BRIGGS & ASSOCIATES

*Consulting Engineers*

CIVIL-MECHANICAL-MINING  
BRIGGS ENGINEER BUILDING  
619 GROVE STREET, BOISE, IDAHO

APR 17 1954

Department of Reclamation

April 16, 1954

Editor, Hailey Times  
Hailey  
Idaho

Subject: Legal Notice concerning Application of Little Wood  
River Irrigation District to Appropriate and Store  
Water - 1st Publication March 4, 1954.

Dear Sir:

This will refer to the above cited subject and request that you forward to me by return mail Notice of Proof of Publication as published in the Hailey Times - date of first publication March 4, 1954 - date of last publication March 18, 1954 - last date for protest April 4, 1954.

It is essential that proof of publication be forwarded to me promptly, which also may be accompanied by a statement of your publication charges.

Very truly yours

Raymond J. Briggs

CC: Mark R. Kulp  
C. E. Fix  
Bessie Stanford

✓  
April 14, 1954

RE: Application No. R-32533

Mr. Raymond J. Briggs  
619 Grove Street  
Boise, Idaho

Dear Mr. Briggs:

The date set for protests on the application of the Little Wood River Irrigation District expired April 4, 1954, and to date there seem to have been no protests filed. Therefore, upon receipt of the affidavit of publication, which the Hailey Times was instructed to send in your care, the application will be processed in regular course.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

Chief Clerk

A:hll

R-935

March 23, 1954

RE: Application No. R-32533

Mr. Branch Bird  
First Security Bank Building  
Cooding, Idaho

Dear Mr. Bird:

In reply to your letter of March 22nd, the application of the Little Wood River Irrigation District to appropriate 17,000 acre feet in addition to the amount already stored in their reservoir will carry priority date of February 11, 1954, the date this additional application was filed.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

Chief Clerk

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**Loan Offices**

**Branch Bird and Cecil B. Hobday**

**First Security Bank Bldg.**

**Gooding, Idaho**

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**Department of Reclamation**

**March 22, 1954**

**Department of Reclamation  
State House  
Boise, Idaho**

**Gentlemen:**

We notice there is being published in the Hailey paper a notice of application to ~~appropriate~~ waters of Little Wood River to the extent of 17,000 acre feet by the Little Wood Irrigation District of Carey.

Will you be good enough to advise us the date of priority claimed by this application.

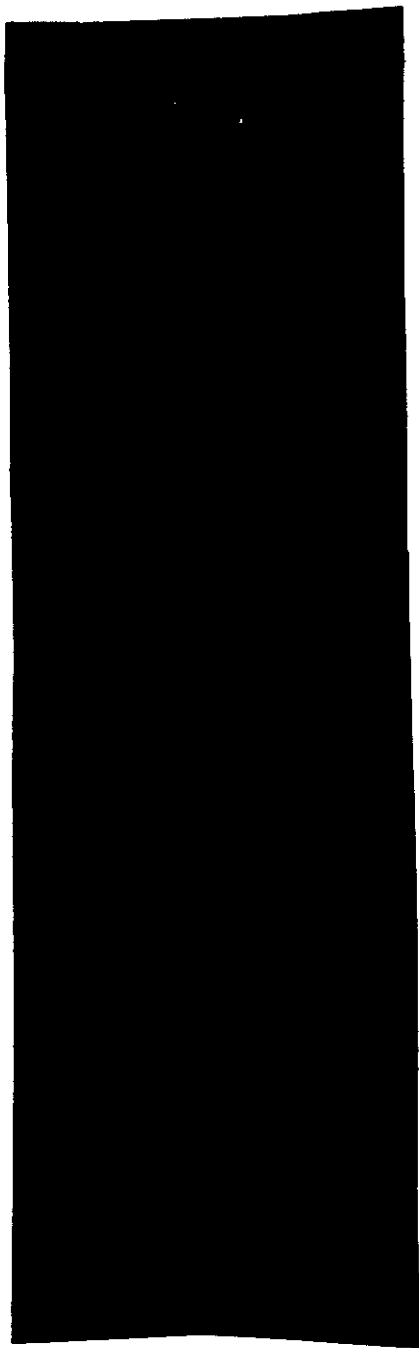
Thanking you for this information, we are

Sincerely yours

R-935

BB/fm \*

*Bronck Bird*



March 1, 1954

RE: Application No. R-32533

Hailey Times  
Hailey  
Idaho

Gentlemen:

We enclose copy of notice for publication, which please publish once a week for three weeks commencing with your next issue.

The cost of publication is to be paid by the applicant, to whom please send the statement of cost in care of Raymond J. Briggs, 619 Grove Street, Boise, Idaho.

Please acknowledge receipt of this notice and furnish this department with a copy of your first issue containing same.

Also please furnish this department with an affidavit of publication when completed.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

Chief Clerk

A:hll  
Enc.

R-935

March 1, 1954

RE: Application No. R-32533

Mr. Raymond J. Briggs  
619 Grove Street  
Boise, Idaho

Dear Mr. Briggs:

We are today sending to the Hailey Times notice for publication in connection with the application of the Little Wood River Irrigation District, with instructions to publish it once a week for three weeks commencing with their next issue and to send us the affidavit of publication.

We have also instructed them to send statement of costs to the applicant, in your care.

If no protests are filed, the application will be approved subject to the approval of plans and specifications, and should there be any protests filed you will be duly notified before final action is taken in the matter.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

Chief Clerk

A:hll

R-935

NOTICE TO ACCOMPANY THIS LETTER MUST BE MADE IN DUPLICATE

(Date) February 26, 1954

(P. O.) 614 Grove Street, Boise, Idaho

TO THE STATE RECLAMATION ENGINEER:

Boise, Idaho.

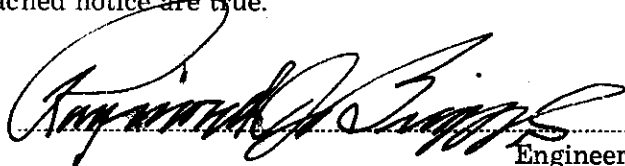
Dear Sir:

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



(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.

STATE OF IDAHO

DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF IDAHO IN  
ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 42-203, IDAHO CODE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That on the 11th day of February, 1954, the Little Wood River Irrigation District of Carey, Idaho made application to enlarge their present reservoir and to store and appropriate 17,000 additional acre feet per annum of the waters of Little Wood River for irrigation and domestic purposes.

That the outlet of the reservoir is described as being located South 78°, 15 minutes West 1,648 feet, distant from the N $\frac{1}{2}$  corner of Section 13, Township 1 North, Range 20 East, B.M. and in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of said section.

That the lands to be irrigated by the use of such water are the lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District, located in Township 1 North and Townships 1 and 2 south, Range 21 East, B.M.

That any protest against the approval of this application must be filed in the Department of Reclamation, at Boise, Idaho, within forty (40) days from the date of this notice, and such protest shall state the name and address of the protestant, and shall clearly set forth his objections to the approval of said application.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1954.

*Mark R. Kulp*  
MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer

SERVICE OF THE FOREGOING, By Copy, is hereby acknowledged this \_\_\_\_\_ day of February, 1954.

LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT

By \_\_\_\_\_

Its \_\_\_\_\_

Date of first publication:  
Date of last publication:  
Last date for protest: April 4, 1954.

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*Mark R. Kulp*

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer

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LITTLE WOOD RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT

By *Raymond H. Briggs*

Its *Engineer*

Date of first publication:

Date of Last publication:

Last date for protest: April 4, 1954.

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February 27, 1954

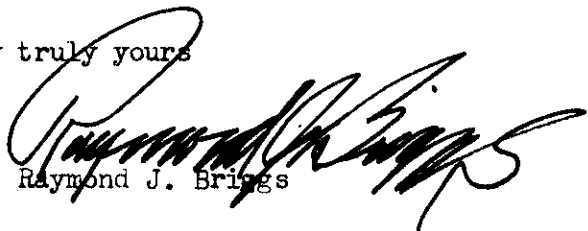
Mr. Mark R. Kulp  
State Reclamation Engineer  
Capitol Building  
Boise, IdahoSubject: Application of Little Wood River  
Irrig. District, Carey, Blaine  
County, Idaho, of February 11, 1954  
to Appropriate, Store and Use Public  
Waters by Raising Present Dam and  
Increasing Reservoir Capacity

Dear Mr. Kulp:

This will acknowledge your departmental letter of February 23, 1954 in respect to the above cited subject and return to your department herewith the following papers which I have signed as of February 26, 1954:

1. "Notice of Application to Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho in Accordance with the Provisions of Section 42-203, Idaho Code," which you executed as of February 23, 1954 - original returned herewith, copy retained.
2. Form 11, authorization for publication of notice and acceptance of costs thereof, original returned, copy made for our files.

Very truly yours



Raymond J. Briggs

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cc: Bessie Stanford, Secretary  
C. E. Fix, Attorney

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DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

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February 23, 1954

Mr. Raymond J. Briggs  
619 Grove Street  
Boise, Idaho

Dear Mr. Briggs:

We enclose original and duplicate of the notice for publication in connection with the application of the Little Wood River Irrigation District.

Please acknowledge service on the original and return to this Department with form 11 which is authorization for us to have the notice published at applicants expense in the designated county newspaper.

The duplicate is to be retained in your own files.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer  
By

Chief Clerk

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February 11, 1954

Mr. Raymond J. Briggs  
619 Grove Street  
Boise, Idaho

Dear Mr. Briggs:

We have the application for permit of the Little Wood River Irrigation District for the appropriation and storage of 17,000 additional acre feet in the reservoir enlargement.

Under Section 21, "Existing rights, etc.", we note that you consider that construction plans and specifications for the work proposed have heretofore been approved under Permit R-813 and are on file in the office of the State Reclamation Engineer, and that the works proposed are substantially the same.

The approval of construction plans and specifications under Permit R-813 cannot be considered as approval of the plans and specifications under this permit application. This is due to experience gained in raising the water level two feet under previous permits.

We cannot approve the application except under the condition that new plans and specifications are to be submitted for approval or disapproval.

Please let us have your decision on this matter before we advertise the application.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP  
State Reclamation Engineer

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CC to Mr. C. E. Fix

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**MINING***Mine and Prospect*EXAMINATIONS, REPORTS  
DEVELOPMENT, OPERATIONS**MECHANICAL**HEATING, AIR CONDITIONING  
PLANT LAYOUT, MACHINE DESIGN  
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DESIGN, SUPERVISION  
INSPECTION**RAYMOND J. BRIGGS AND ASSOCIATES  
CONSULTING ENGINEERS****BRIGGS ENGINEER BUILDING****619 GROVE STREET****TELEPHONE 3-3881****BOISE, IDAHO****CIVIL***Design, Appraisals  
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ROADS AND STREETS

STRUCTURES OF CONCRETE,  
TIMBER, EARTH AND ROCK

REGISTERED:

IDAHO, OREGON, WASHINGTON,  
UTAH, NEVADA, CALIFORNIA

February 11, 1954

Mr. Mark Kulp, State Reclamation Engineer  
Department of Reclamation,  
State House, Boise, Idaho

Re: Application for Little Wood River  
Irrigation Dist. to construct a  
Reservoir and appropriate and  
store water.

Dear Mr. Kulp:

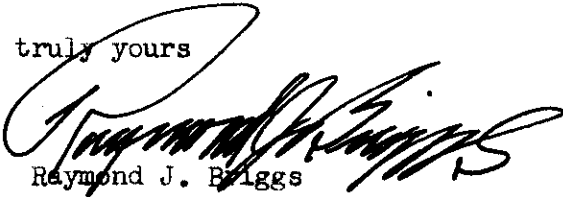
Herewith transmitted to you is Reclamation Department Form No. 2, filled out as an application for the Little Wood River Irrigation District, Carey, Blaine County, Idaho, for permit to construct a reservoir and appropriate and store waters of the Little Wood River, Blaine County, Idaho.

Primarily the application is for a permit to raise the existing dam on the Little Wood River and to thus create reservoir capacity in addition to that now existing and to appropriate, store and use the water proposed to be stored in the additional reservoir capacity to be created by raising the existing dam.

In payment of the filing fee there is attached the check of Parry, Keenan, Robertson and Daly, Lawyers, Twin Falls, check numbered 7184, dated February 8, 1954 and signed by F. M. Brown, receipt for which may be mailed by your office to Mr. C. E. Fix, of the legal firm, Fidelity Bank Building, Twin Falls, Idaho

Please let me know if you discover any errors in the application or require additional information.

Very truly yours

  
Raymond J. Briggs

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Encl.

cc: Mr. C. E. Fix, Attorney, Twin Falls  
Bessie Stanford, Secretary, Little Wood River Irr. Dist.

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**STATE OF IDAHO**  
**DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION**

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF IDAHO IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 42-203, IDAHO CODE.

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That the outlet of the reservoir

is described as being located South 78°, 15 minutes West 1,648 feet, distant from the NW¼ corner of Section 13, Township 1 North, Range 20 East, B.M. and in the NW¼NW¼ of said section.

That the lands to be irrigated by the use of such water are the lands within the boundaries of the Little Wood River Irrigation District, located in Township 1 North and Townships 1 and 2 south, Range 21 East, B.M.

That any protest against the approval of this application must be filed in the Department of Reclamation, at Boise, Idaho, within forty (40) days from the date of this notice, and such protest shall state the name and address of the protestant, and shall clearly set forth his objections to the approval of said application.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1954.

MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer

SERVICE OF THE FOREGOING, By Copy, is hereby acknowledged this 26th day of February, 1954.

LITTLE WOOD RIVER  
IRRIGATION DISTRICT

3/1/54 By RAYMOND J. BRIGGS

Its Engineer P - 935

Date of first publication: March 4

Date of last publication: March 18

Last date for protest: April 4, 1954

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for B.U. see CW LT report.

in reviewing R604

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apt has inspected the  
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why is it taking so long  
to lie R 935

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