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33

Point of Diversion

Little Smith

ditch
Creek

Cistern
1/2 Pipe

Mid. Fk. Clearwater River

**Notice Of Proof Of Completion
Of Works And Application
Of Water To Beneficial
Use**

Notice is hereby given that at 10:30 a. m. on the 17th day of May, 1931, at Kooskia, County of Idaho, State of Idaho, before Lloyd A. Fenn, notary public proof will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of twenty (2) cubic feet per second of the waters of Little Smith Creek and of the application to beneficial use of said water in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 17303, heretofore issued by the Commissioner of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation, holding said permit, are B. F. Cressler, Kooskia, Idaho.

2. Said works of diversion will be duly completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conducting to the place of use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is twenty (20) cubic feet per second.

3. The use to which said water has been applied is irrigation and domestic, sawmill purposes and fire protection, and the amount applied to beneficial use is twenty (20) cubic feet per second.

4. The place where said water is used is SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 32, Twp. 33 N., R. 6 E., and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 5, Twp. 32 N., R. 6 E. B. M.

5. The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is May 19, 1930.

9-4 R. W. Faris,
Commissioner of Reclamation.

State of Idaho }
County of Idaho } ss.

Affidavit of Publication.

Roy M. Canfield

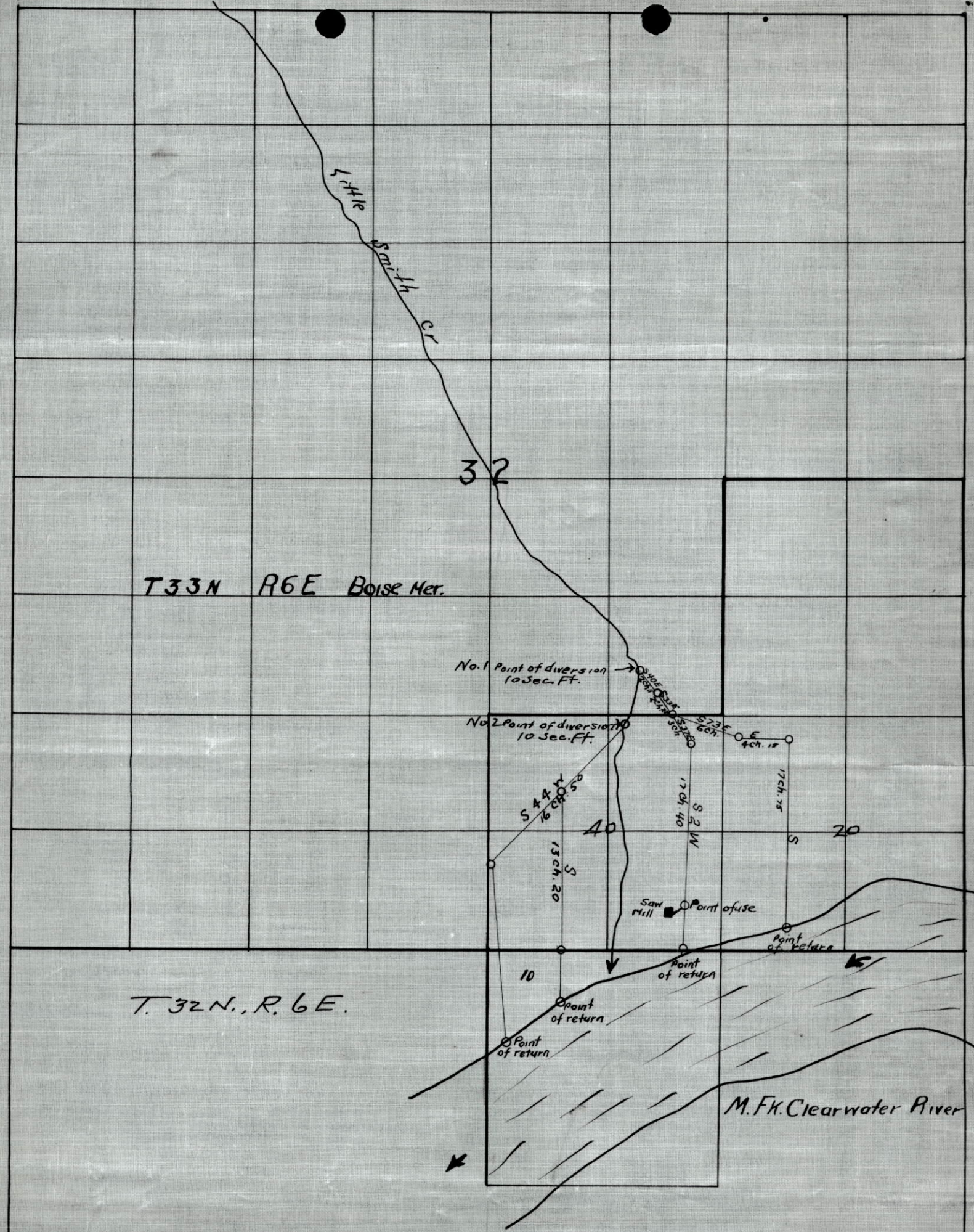
being first duly sworn, says he is the foreman of the
THE KOOSKIA MOUNTAINEER, a weekly newspaper,
published and issued weekly at KOOSKIA, Idaho County,
State of Idaho, and is of general circulation in said county and
state; that the said notice, of which the one hereto attached is a
true copy, was published in said paper for four weeks,
being published four times, the first publication being on
April 22, 1931, and the last publication being
on May 13, 1931; that the said notice was published
in the newspaper proper and not in a supplement; that said news-
paper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said
county during a period of 78 consecutive weeks prior to the first
publication of said notice or advertisement.

Roy M. Canfield
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of

May, 19 31

Lloyd A. Fenn
Notary Public
Residing at Kooskia, Idaho.

17303



MAP OF CRESSLER DITCH To Accompany Application For Use Permit

Permit Map No. 17303
 As Approved

By B.F. Cressler

Kooskia Idaho March 27, 1930

MAY 21 1930

Scale 8"=1 mile

GEO. N. CARTER
 Commissioner of Reclamation

17303

State of Idaho

License and Certificate of Water Right

Water License No. 17303

Amount 1.0 Sec. Ft.

Water District No.

Priority May 19, 1930

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that B. F. Cressler
 of Kooskia, Idaho, made application for a permit to appropriate the
 public waters of the State of Idaho, dated May 19th, 1930; that Permit No. 17303
 was issued under said application; that Certificate of Completion of works, with a carrying capacity of
 second feet, was issued thereunder on June 10th, 1932, showing that said works
 were completed on the 17th day of May, 1931; and that on the 17th
 day of May, 1931,

B. F. Cressler

of Kooskia, State of Idaho, made proof to the satisfaction of the
 Commissioner of Reclamation of Idaho, of the right to use the waters of Little Smith Creek
 water River, a tributary of Middle Fk. of Clear, for the purpose of Irrigation & domestic use, sawmill and
 fire protection, under Use Permit No. 17303 of the Commissioner of Reclamation
 and that said right to the use of said waters has been perfected in accordance with the laws of Idaho, and is
 hereby confirmed by the Commissioner of Reclamation of Idaho and entered of record in Volume 7
 of Licenses, at page 3706, on the 10th day of June, 1932;

The right hereby confirmed dates from May 19th, 1930;

The Point of Diversion is located
 in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 32, Tp. 33 N., R. 6 E., B. M. Idaho County

That the amount of water to which such right is entitled and hereby confirmed, for the purposes aforesaid,
 is limited to an amount actually needed and beneficially used for said purposes, and shall not exceed 1.0
 cubic feet per second.

Description and location of use: At claimant's house in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, sec. 32, T. 33 N., R. 6 E. B.M.

Twp.	Range	Sec.	Forty-acre Tract	No. Acres Described in Permit	No. Acres Actually Irrigated
33 N.	6 E.	32	SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	40	10

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

WITNESS the seal and signature of the Commissioner of Reclamation, affixed at Boise, Idaho,
 this 10th day of June, 1932

R. W. FARIS
 Commissioner of Reclamation

(SEAL)

81-2006

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

Application No. 24345
Permit No. 17303
District No.

1. Name of Applicant: B. F. Cressler

Postoffice address: Kooskia, County: Idaho, State: Idaho.

I. If applicant is a corporation, give:

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

II. The financial resources of the applicant are:

- (b) Treasury stock:
- (d) Other resources:

(a) Cash on hand:

(c) Bonds to be issued:

2. Quantity of water claimed: twenty cubic feet per second.

3. Source of water supply: Little Smith Creek which is a tributary of Middle Fork of Clearwater River.

4. Location of point of diversion: No. 1 - 10 sec. ft.
No. 2 - 10 sec. ft. ~~from~~ distant from the
corner of Section , T. , R. , B. M., and is in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$
of Section 32, T. 33 N., R. 6 E., B. M., County of Idaho.

5. Water is to be used for: irrigation, domestic use, saw mill use, boiler use and fire protection.

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

(a) Point of use of water: 1980 feet distant from SE corner of Section 32
T. 33 N., R. 6 E., B. M., in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 32, T. 33 N., R. 6 E., B. M.

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

(c) Water is to be returned to Middle Fork of Clearwater River at a point 4 chains ~~feet~~
of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$
distant from the SE corner of Section 32, T. 33 N., R. 6 E., B. M., in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$
of Section 32, T. 33 N., R. 6 E., B. M.

7. Estimated cost of works: \$ 150.00

8. Kind of works: ditches.

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

10. Size of headgates Width one feet; height one feet.

11. Ditch: Width at bottom one feet; width at water line 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet; depth of water $\frac{1}{2}$
feet; dimensions of flume

Diameter of pipe inches; length of conduit one mile~~x~~

Average grade per mile 26 feet.

12. The time required for the completion of such work is one year. ~~XXXXXX~~ (now completed)

13. The time required for the complete application of the water to the proposed use is no additional years.

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

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

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

B. F. Cressler Applicant.

By Agent.

Date of first receipt at Department of Reclamation: One P.M., May 19, 1930.

Returned to applicant for correction:

Corrected application received:

APPROVAL OF COMMISSIONER OF RECLAMATION

The number of this permit is 17303
Recorded in Book 62 Page 17303 Approved May 21, 1930.
This is to certify that I have examined the within application for a permit to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho, and hereby approve the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:
Bond in the sum of \$ to be filed on or before
Work to begin on or before July 20, 1930 and to continue diligently and uninterruptedly to completion, unless temporarily interrupted by circumstances over which permit holder has no control.
One-fifth of the work above specified to be completed on or before November 21, 1930.
The whole of said work to be completed on or before May 21, 1931.
Beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith, to be made on or before May 21, 1931.

Witness my hand this 21st day of May, 1930.

GEO. N. CARTER
Commissioner of Reclamation.

Remarks:

14.

Twp.	Range	Sec.	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				Totals
			NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	
33-N.	6-E.	32																	
32 N.	6 E.	5		10													40	20	60
Total Number of Acres to be Irrigated -																			10
																			70

PERMIT NO. 17303
CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION OF WORKS

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that B. F. Cressler of Kooskia, County of Idaho, and State of Idaho, the holder of Permit No. 17303, issued upon Application No. 24345 bearing date of priority of May 19, 1930, authorizing the diversion of 2 second feet of the waters of Little Smith Creek, County of Idaho, State of Idaho, for irrigation & domestic use; saw-mill and fire protection purposes, has fully complied with the provisions of the laws of the State of Idaho relating the proof of completion of the works of diversion set out and described in said Permit; that said works are adequate diverting and conveying to the place of intended use 1.0 second feet of the waters of Little Smith Creek; and that the point of diversion of said waters is in the NW¼SE¼, Sec. 32, T. 33 N., R. 6 E. B. M.; and that the lands proposed to irrigated by the use of said water are described as follows, to-wit: 70 acres-10 in the NW¼NE¼, sec. 6, T. 33 N., R. 6 E.B.M.; 60 in the SW¼SE¼ & SE¼SE¼, sec. 32, T. 33 N., R. 6 E.B.M.

Witness my hand this 10th day of June A. D., 1932.

(SEAL)

R. W. FARIS
Commissioner of Reclamation

Proof of Completion of Works made May 17, 1931
Certificate of completion of works issued June 10, 1932

LICENSE ISSUED FOR 1.0 SEC. FT.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 81-2006

WATER RIGHTS EDIT REPORT

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ACT

ION

N OWNER LAST NAME - CRESSLER

FIRST NAME - B. F.

STATE - ID

N SOURCE - LITTLE SOUTH CREEK

CITY - KOOSKIA

TRIBUTARY OF - CLEARWATER RIVER, MIDDLE FORK

N STAGE - LICENSE

PRIORITY - 05-19-1930 COUNTY - IDAHO

TOTAL DIV. RATE - 1.0000CFS

N DIVERSION POINT - NWSW 32 33N 06E

USE DIV. RATE - 1.0000CFS

N USE - IRRIGATION

N USE - INDUSTRIAL

N USE - DOMESTIC

N USE - FIRE PROTECTION

N USE - IRRIGATION

PLACE OF USE - TWN 33N RNG 06E SEC 32 TRACT SWSE

AC 10

N USE - DOMESTIC

PLACE OF USE - TWN 33N RNG 06E SEC 32 TRACT SESE

N NON IRRIG USE - I/SAWMILL D/1 HOME.

OLD NO. - 17303

IDENT. NO. 81-2006

WATER RIGHT
DATA ENTRY LOG

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WATER RIGHT ANALYSIS FORM

- DATA ENTRY -

Identification No. 17303 / 81-2006
Old No. New No.

Record

1. Original Owner: B. F. Cressler

Present Owner: _____

2. Address: _____

3. City: Kooakia State: ID Zip: _____

4. A. Source of Water: Little Smith Creek
B. Tributary of: Clearwater River, Middle Fork

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

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

C. Priority Date: 5-19-1930

D. County: 49

E. Total Diversion Rate: 1.

F. Total Diversion Volume: _____

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

H. Water District: _____

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

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

	Tract	Sec.	Twp.	Rge.	Gov't Lot	Rediv.
6. A. Point of Diversion	<u>NW SW</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>33N</u>	<u>6E</u>	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

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

from _____ to _____ for A purposes. Amount 1.
(cfs or ~~AC-FT/yr.~~)

from _____ to _____ for I purposes. Amount _____

from _____ to _____ for D purposes. Amount _____

from _____ to _____ for F purposes. Amount _____

from _____ to _____ for _____ purposes. Amount _____

from _____ to _____ for _____ purposes. Amount _____

from _____ to _____ for _____ purposes. Amount _____

A. Proof Due Date:
B. Date Permit Approved or Denied:
C. Protested Date:
D. Hearing Date:
E. Old Number: ~~17303~~ 17303
F. Proof Made (P or blank):
G. Field Exam Made (P,R,F or blank):
H. Conditions of Approval:

12. Other Rights for Same Use: I/James D/1 home

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

10. Remarks: A.
B.
C.
D.
E.

9. A. Decree Name:
B. Decree Date:

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8. Use code: A

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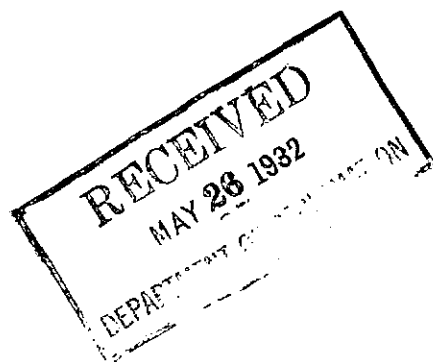


C. BEN ROSS, GOVERNOR

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
R. W. FARIS, COMMISSIONER
BOISE

BUREAU OF WATER RESOURCES
MANS H. COFFIN
DIRECTOR
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER

May
13th
1932



RE: PERMIT NO. 17303

MR. B. F. CRESSLER
Kooskia, Idaho

Dear Sir:

Under date of March 7, 1932, you were informed by this Department that there was a large discrepancy in the quantity of water claimed under your permit as revealed by your depositions and the engineer's report. You were also informed that the field engineer recommended the issuance of a certificate of COMPLETION OF WORKS, and a license for one cubic foot per second. In the issuance of any license the Department is compelled to limit the quantity of water to the amount that is actually being applied to BENEFICIAL USE at the time of the field engineer's examination.

If you desire to have the certificate of COMPLETION OF WORKS and the license issued for one cubic foot per second, we will issue them as soon as you notify the Department.

Very truly yours,

R. W. FARIS
Commissioner of Reclamation

By

Chief Clerk

PH/LP

17303
R. W. Faris
Kooskia Ida, May 23, 1932
Kind Sir, send certificate of
completion of work, and issue license for one cubic
foot per second
Yours truly
B. F. Cressler

May
13th
1932

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If you desire to have the certificate of COMPLETION OF WORKS and the license issued for one cubic foot per second, we will issue them as soon as you notify the Department.

Very truly yours,

R. W. FARIS
Commissioner of Reclamation

By _____
Chief Clerk

PH/LP

17303

March 7, 1932

Re: PERMIT NO. 17303

Mr. B. F. CRESSLER,
Kooskia,
I d a h o

Dear Sir:

The certificate of completion of works and license are now ready to issue on the above mentioned permit. However, there is a large discrepancy in the quantity of water that is being applied to beneficial use, as revealed by your depositions and the engineer's report.

On the 20th day of December, 1931, when the field engineer made his examination, Little Smith Creek was flowing only approximately 1 cubic foot per second. The field engineer recommended issuing a certificate of completion of works and license for the diversion of 1 second foot of water. However, since there is such a large difference in the quantity of water your permit claims and the amount recommended by the field engineer, we would like to know something of the method you used in determining the quantity of water you are diverting.

It will be appreciated if you will give this matter your prompt attention in making an early reply.

Very truly yours,

R. W. PARIS,
Commissioner of Reclamation

By _____
Office Engineer

PH/mt

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Kooshia, Ida.

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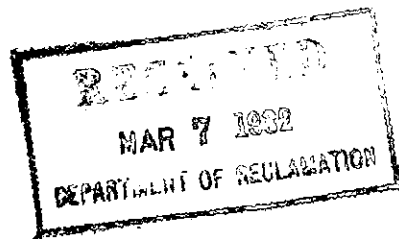
Department of Reclamation
Boise, Idaho.

Kind Sir, I enclose find money order
of \$7.00 for completion of work
and Beneficial use

R.E. Permit No 17303.

and oblige

B. F. Cressler



17303

February 5th, 1932

Re: Permit No. 17303

MR. B. F. CRESSLER
Kooskia, Idaho

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of the Engineer's report covering his examination for COMPLETION OF WORKS and application of water to BENEFICIAL USE under the above permit.

Upon receipt of the following fees your certificate for COMPLETION OF WORKS and your license will be issued; \$5.00 for COMPLETION OF WORKS and \$2.00 for BENEFICIAL USE, making a total of \$7.00.

Very truly yours,

R. W. PARIS
Commissioner of Reclamation

By _____
Chief Clerk

PH/LP

17303

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

Permit No. 17303This proof is for COMP. WORKS & USE

In Water District No. _____

1. Name of applicant: B. F. Cressler
2. Source of water supply: Little Smith Creek
3. Location of point of diversion: Is in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ & SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 32
T. 33 N. R. 6 EBM County of Idaho

4. Describe works as they exist, giving dimensions and capacities of same: Diversion check of rocks and earth. Ditch 2 ft. wide x 1 ft. deep, 1/8 mile long. Concrete cistern of 2300 gal capacity discharges into pipe line of 2" to 3/4" diameter which leads to house and premises. Static head - 20 ft.

5. Water is used for: Irrigation and domestic use, sawmill, and fire protection

6. State whether or not water has been turned into works of diversion: yes

7. List legal subdivisions of lands to be irrigated. If proof is for beneficial use, give exact number of acres under cultivation in each forty-acre tract. (Describe manner and place of use if for other than irrigation): SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 32, Twp. 33 N., R. 6 E., B.M.; also, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 5, Twp. 32 N., R. 6 E., B.M.

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

8. What large stream would the water here appropriated finally reach? Chamwater River
- Remarks: Stream flows 1 sec. Ft. at date of inspection

This examination was made on the 20th day of Sept 1931

(Signed)

Frederic H. Johnson
17303

Examiner.

82-
B.F. Cressler
Kooskia

Permit No. 17303

Examination for COMP. WORKS &
BEN. USE

County IDAHO

INSTRUCTIONS TO EXAMINERS

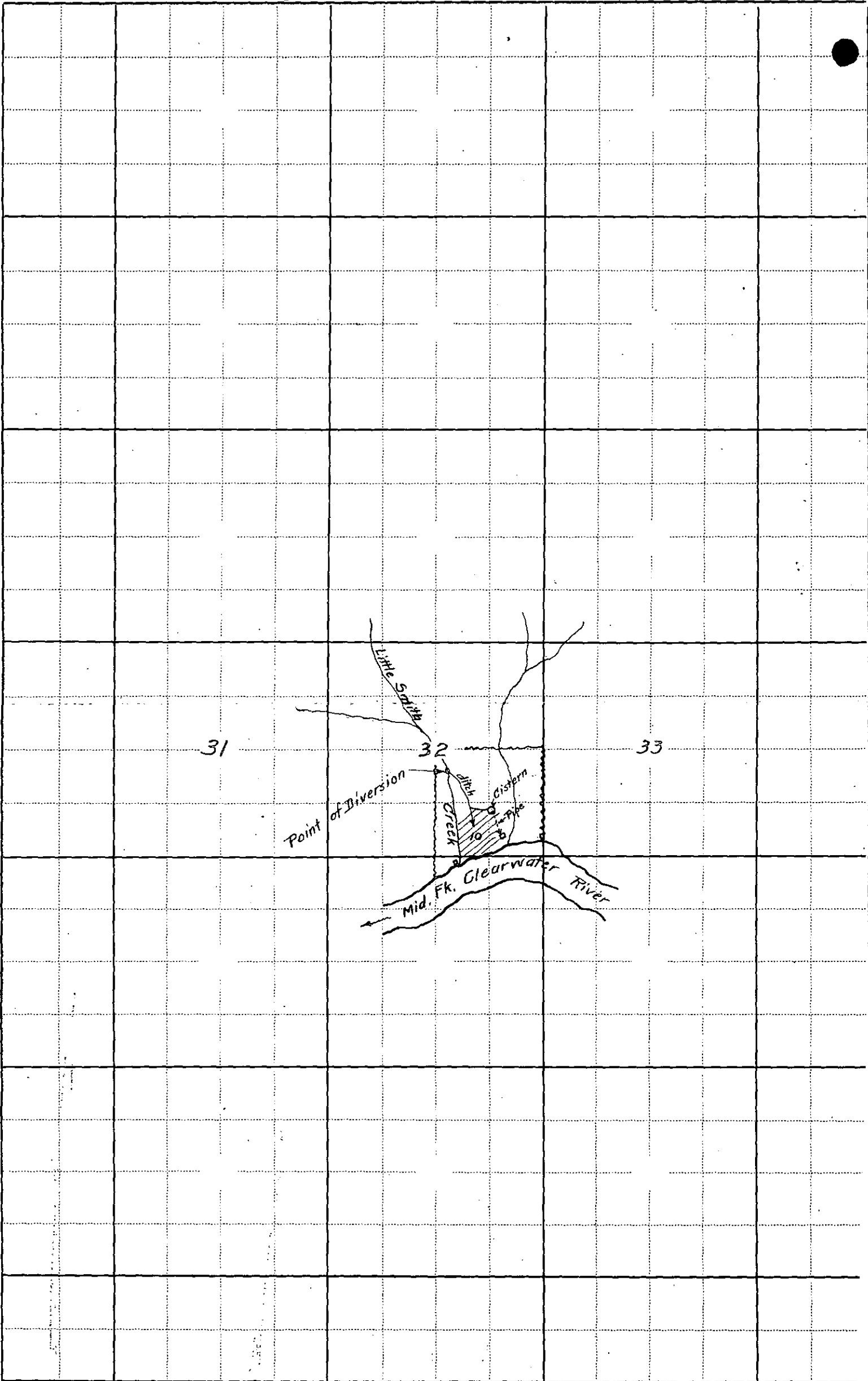
1. Always carefully note the location of the point of diversion, and accurately plat same.
 2. When proof is for beneficial use, carefully check up the number of acres actually irrigated in each forty and accurately plat same.
 3. Make a map showing the correct location of streams and ditches, and the irrigated lands, and any adjacent permanent landmarks, such as towns, lakes, large streams and public roads.
 4. If any unusual conditions are discovered, make a 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.
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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE

REPORT OF ENGINEER

PERMIT NO. _____

REPORT ON PROOF OF _____



SCALE: 2 INCHES EQUALS 1 MILE. DRAW MAP IN INK.

May 21, 1931.

Re: Permit No. 17303.

Mr. B. F. Cressler
Kooskia, Idaho

Dear Sir:-

We are in receipt of depositions of yourself and two witnesses in the matter of proof of completion of works and beneficial use of water under the above permit, also, affidavit of publication of notice of such proofs. These are in proper form and will be placed on file without further action until the report can be made by our field engineer, at which time you will be further advised.

Very truly, yours,
R. W. FARIS
Commissioner of Reclamation.
By
Chief Clerk.

17303

**Notice Of Proof Of Completion
Of Works And Application
Of Water To Beneficial
Use**

Notice is hereby given that at 10:30 a. m. on the 17th day of May, 1931, at Kooskia, County of Idaho, State of Idaho, before Lloyd A. Fenn, notary public proof will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of twenty (2) cubic feet per second of the waters of Little Smith Creek and of the application to beneficial use of said water in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 17303, heretofore issued by the Commissioner of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation, holding said permit, are B. F. Cressler, Kooskia, Idaho.

2. Said works of diversion will be duly completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conducting to the place of use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is twenty (20) cubic feet per second.

3. The use to which said water has been applied is irrigation and domestic, sawmill purposes and fire protection, and the amount applied to beneficial use is twenty (20) cubic feet per second.

4. The place where said water is used is SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 32, Twp. 33 N., R. 6 E., and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$

State of Idaho }
County of Idaho } ss.

Affidavit of Publication.

Roy M. Canfield

being first duly sworn, says he is the foreman of the THE KOOSKIA MOUNTAINEER, a weekly newspaper, published and issued weekly at KOOSKIA, Idaho County, State of Idaho, and is of general circulation in said county and state; that the said notice, of which the one hereto attached is a true copy, was published in said paper for four weeks, being published four times, the first publication being on April 22, 1931, and the last publication being on May 13, 1931; that the said notice was published in the newspaper proper and not in a supplement; that said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said county during a period of 78 consecutive weeks prior to the first publication of said notice or advertisement.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of

May, 1931

Lloyd A. Fenn
Notary Public
Residing at Kooskia, Idaho.

17303

PERMIT NO. 17303

Proof of Completion of Works

DEPOSITION OF HOLDER

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

Ans. B. F. Cressler; Kooskia, Idaho residence; occupation,
farmer; postoffice address: Kooskia, Idaho.

Ques. 2. If acting in 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. individual

Ques. 3. State number and date of permit, amount of water you are authorized to divert, source, and point of diversion.

Ans. Permit number 17303; date May 19, 1930; authorized amount
of water: 20 cubic feet; source-Little Smith Cr; diversion in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec
32 Tp 33 N R 6 E

Ques 4. State purpose for which water is to be used, and, if for irrigation, state the number of acres and give description of the land you intend to reclaim.

Ans. For irrigation, domestic use, sawmill purposes and fire protec-
tion: Irrigation on 70 acers; in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec 5, twp 33xN R 6 E B M a
total of ten acers; in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 32 twp 33 N R
6 E B M a total of sixty acers

Ques. 5. State whether or not the water has been turned into your works of diversion, and, if so, when and to what extent.

Ans. Turned in May 19, 1930

Ques. 6. State whether or not the works of diversion are fully completed, and whether or not they comply in all respects with the terms of the permit.

Ans. Fully completed

Ques. 7. If the works of diversion do not comply with all the terms of your permit, state fully those particulars in which there is any variance.

Ans. Comply fully

Ques. 8. Give description of works, state dimensions and capacity of each part, and give cost of same.

Ans. 1600 feet of ditch one foot deep; one foot wide at bottom and
16 inches at top; cost \$125.00; diversion dam ten feet long and three
feet high of earth and stone, cost \$25.00

(Sign here.) B. F. Cressler

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 Kooskia,

County of Idaho, State of Idaho, on this 17
day of May A. D. 1931.

Ray A. Fenn
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Jan 23, 1934

17303

Permit No. 17303

Proof of Completion of Works**DEPOSITION OF WITNESS**

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

Ans. H. H. Warren, age 33, residence and postoffice address is
Kooskia, Idaho, occupation of school teacher

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with B. F. Cressler, the
holder of Permit No. 17303, authorizing the diversion of twenty second-feet of the
waters of Little Smith Creek, at SE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 32
for irrigation purposes? How long have you known him, and where does he reside?

Ans. Yes. Have known him eleven years; he resides on his farm above
Kooskia, Idaho

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 17303, and are you familiar
with its terms and conditions?

Ans. yes

Ques. 4. (If for irrigation purposes). Are you acquainted with the land proposed to
be irrigated under said permit? If so, describe same, state its character, and give your
estimate of the amount of water required for its profitable cultivation.

Ans. Am well acquainted with the land. Have helped clear a portion of
it. Formerly forest land on a bench above Middle Fork of the
Clearwater River. It is a sandy loam; would require at least
20 cubic feet per sec for profitable irrigation

Ques. 5. Are the works of diversion fully completed and of sufficient capacity to con-
vey the entire amount of water set out in the permit from point of diversion to place of use?

Ans. yes

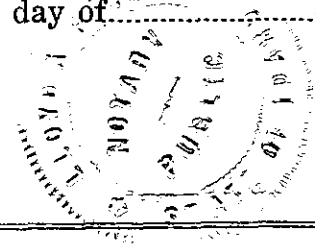
Ques. 6. Describe the works of diversion as they now exist, and give your estimate of
their capacity.

Ans. Water is taken out on east side of creek and is diverted by a
dam of earth and stone ten feet long and three feet high. The
ditch to the land is of earth and about 1500 feet long to the
first point of use. Ditch is a foot wide on bottom and a foot
deep, and 16 inches wide. Will carry a little over twenty cubic
feet per second

(Sign here.)

H. H. Warren

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 Kooskia
County of Idaho, State of Idaho, on this 17
day of May, A. D. 19 31.



Notary Public Kooskia Idaho

17303

Permit No. 17303

Proof of Completion of Works**DEPOSITION OF WITNESS**

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

Ans. Clarence Bullock, age 38, a farmer whose residence and postoffice address is Kooskia, Idaho.

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with B. F. Cressler, the holder of Permit No. 17303, authorizing the diversion of twenty-second-feet of the waters of Little Smith Creek, at SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 32 for irrigation purposes? How long have you known him, and where does he reside?

Ans. Yes. Ten years; lives on ranch above Kooskia

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 17303, and are you familiar with its terms and conditions?

Ans. yes

Ques. 4. (If for irrigation purposes). Are you acquainted with the land proposed to be irrigated under said permit? If so, describe same, state its character, and give your estimate of the amount of water required for its profitable cultivation.

Ans. Have lived adjoining Mr. Cressler for ten years; have seen land cleared; been upon land many times; it is bench land along Middle Fork River; sandy loam; formerly forest; requires water for irrigation; would demand about twenty cubic feet per second.

Ques. 5. Are the works of diversion fully completed and of sufficient capacity to convey the entire amount of water set out in the permit from point of diversion to place of use?

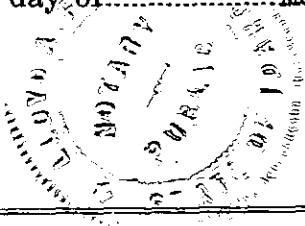
Ans. yes

Ques. 6. Describe the works of diversion as they now exist, and give your estimate of their capacity.

Ans. Above the land irrigated is a diversion dam of earth and stone ten feet long and three feet high; water is conveyed by an earth ditch about a foot deep, a foot wide at bottom and 16 inches wide at top. Will carry about twenty five cubic feet at capacity.

(Sign here.) *Clarence Bullock*

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 Kooskia County of Idaho, State of Idaho, on this 17 day of May, A. D. 1931.



Henry A. Jensen
Notary Public Kooskia, Idaho

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

Permit No. 17303

Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use

Deposition of Holder

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

Ans. B. F. Cressler, residence Kooskia, Idaho, occupation a farmer;
residence and postoffice address: Kooskia, Idaho

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

Ans. individual

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

Ans. Number 17303, dated May 19, 1930, as priority

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

Ans. Source of water is Little Smith Creek and point of diversion is
2850 feet north of SE corner of Sec 32, Twp 33 N R 6 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.

Ans. Diversion dam is of earth and stone situate for diversion of
of water on west side of creek; it is ten feet long and three feet high;
ditch is over 1600 feet long and approximately one foot deep, one foot
wide on bottom and 16 inches wide at top and is capable of carrying 20
cubic feet per second-- grade is 25 feet per mile.

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

Ans. Irrigation of ten acres in sec 5 of twp 32 N R 6 E B M; forty acres
in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 32, twp 33 N R 6 E B M and twenty acres in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec
32 Twp 33 N R 6 E B M; all under cultivation and now irrigated by
ditch above described; land transformed from wooded area to tillable
and productive soil

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

Ans. Use for domestic purposes; for use of saw mill, and for fire
protection

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

Ans. twenty cubic feet per second

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. original permittee

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

Ans. Used for irrigation, domestic use, saw mill and fire protection
purposes during entire past year

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.

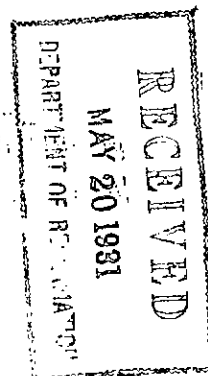
Ans. _____

(Sign) B. F. Cressler

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 Kooskia, County of Idaho, State of Idaho, on this 17 day of May, A. D. 19 31

Leah G. Jensen
Notary Public Kooskia Idaho

My commission expires Jan 23, 1934



STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

PERMIT No. 17303

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. Clarence Bullock, age 37, residence Kooskia, Idaho, occupation,
farmer, postoffice address Kooskia, Idaho.

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with B. F. Cressler, the
holder of Permit No. 17303? How long have you known him and where does he reside?

Ans. I am personally acquainted with B. F. Cressler and have known
him for twenty years; he now resides on his farm near Kooskia Idaho.

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 17303, 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. Source is in Little Smith Creek; about 2850 feet north of SE cor
of section 32, twp 33xN R 6 E B M is point of diversion which con-
sists of a dam about ten feet long and three feet high made of earth
and stone; from this point a ditch about 1600 feet long carries the
water to the first tract irrigated: ditch is a foot wide at bottom
16 inches wide at top and a foot deep.

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. Will carry twenty five second feet; have seen twenty second
feet running in the ditch

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

Ans. Water is chiefly used for irrigation on ten acres in sec 5 of
Twp 32 N R 6 E B M in northwest quarter; forty acres in SW $\frac{1}{4}$
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ section 32, Twp 33 N R 6 E B M and twenty acres in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$
section 32, Twp 33, N R 6 E B M;
Some water is used for domestic purposes and a small amount
for engine at a saw mill; also available for fire protection.

Land now grows alfalfa, garden truck, berries and fruit trees.

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

Answered in question 6.

Ans. _____

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

Ans. Land now under water is a sandy loam formerly under forest cover.

Twenty cubic feet per second is essential to proper irrigation

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. Full seventy acres have been under water the past year; for past ten years some portions of land have been under irrigation from this ditch.

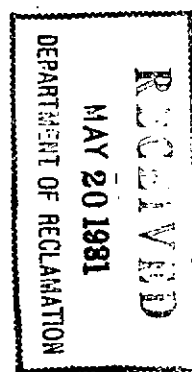
(Sign) Clarence Bullock

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 Kooskia, County of Idaho, State of Idaho,

on this 17 day of May A. D. 1931

Lloyd A. Jensen
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 23, 1934



STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

PERMIT No. 17303

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. H. H. Warren, age 33, residence Kooskia, Idaho, occupation
school teacher; postoffice Kooskia, Idaho.

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with B. F. Cressler, the
holder of Permit No. 17303? How long have you known him and where does he reside?

Ans. I am well and personally acquainted with B. F. Cressler and
have know him for eleven years and he resides on his farm
near Kooskia

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 17303, 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. Water is secured from Little Smith Creek about 2850 feet north
of SE corner of Sec 32, twp 33 N R 6 E B M; water is conveyed through
an earth ditch to the land; ditch is a foot wide on bottom, a foot
deep and about 16 inches wide at top. The dam at the point of di-
version is of earth and stone about ten feet long and three feet high.

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. It will carry about twenty five cubic feet per second and I have
seen it practically full of water, at least 20 cubic 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. The whole of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ section 32, twp 33 N R 6 E B M or forty acers;
twenty acers in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 32, twp 33 N R 6 E B M and
northwest ten acers in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 5, twp 32 N R 6 E B M
Land is cultivated and of sandy loam which would grow but little
until water was applied; it now grows alfalfa and all kinds of
garden truck

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

Ans. Water is used for domestic purposes about the farm; also has been used at small saw mill; and is available for fire protection in case of forest fire

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. Land is on bench along Middle Fork of Clearwater river and is a sandy loam; was formerly under forest cover; at least twenty cubic feet per second is necessary to proper irrigation

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. For past eleven years a portion of the land has been under irrigation from the ditch and the past year the full seventy acers were irrigated.

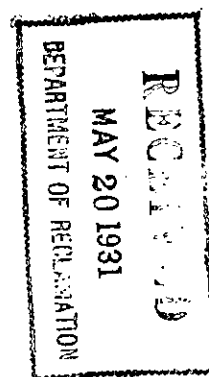
(Sign) *H. J. Warren*

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 Kooskia, County of Idaho, State of Idaho,

on this 17 day of May, A. D. 1931

Henry J. Jensen
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 23, 1934



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE

INSTRUCTIONS

PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS
AND
PROOF OF BENEFICIAL USE OF WATER

May 1, 1931

BOISE, IDAHO,

B. F. Cressler
c/o Lloyd A. Fenn
Kooskia, Idaho

DEAR SIR:

I enclose herewith the following forms to be used in connection with proof of completion of works and beneficial use of water under Permit No. 17303

DEPOSITION OF PERMIT HOLDER.
DEPOSITIONS OF TWO WITNESSES.

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

1. On May 17, 1931, the date set for proof, the enclosed forms (two for permit holder and two each for two disinterested witnesses) should be filled out and sworn to publicly before Lloyd A. Fenn, notary public.
Kooskia

2. When the depositions have been taken they should be mailed to this office, together with affidavit of publication of notice.

When these have been received, together with report of the examining engineer, if everything is properly executed, you will be further advised as to fees due, etc., before certificate is issued.

Yours truly,
R.W. FARIS, ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

Commissioner of Reclamation.

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

Date April 25, 1931

Publisher The Kooskia Mountaineer
Kooskia, Idaho

DEAR SIR:

Enclosed you will find notice for publication once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to May 17, 1931, the date set for proof, the expense of the publication to be paid by the applicant, B. F. Gressler, of Kooskia,

to whom you should furnish proof of publication on or prior to the date set for proof.

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

Very truly yours,

R. W. FARIS

Commissioner of Reclamation

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March 18, 1931.

Re: Permit No 17303

Mr. B. F. Cressler
Kooskia, Idaho

Dear Sir:-

We are in receipt of your notices for proof of completion of works and beneficial use of water under the above permit. One copy will be mailed to the Kooskia Mountaineer for the required four weeks publication prior to May 17th and deposition blanks for holder and two witnesses will be mailed to the notary public before whom proof is to be made.

Very truly yours
GEO. N. CARTER
Commissioner of Reclamation
By
Chief Clerk.

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NOTICE TO ACCOMPANY THIS LETTER MUST BE MADE IN DUPLICATE

(Date) March 14. 1931

(P. O.) Kooskia Idaho

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF RECLAMATION:

Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

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

B. F. Cressler

(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 compe-
tent engineer.)

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

Engineer.

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

Notice is hereby given that at 10:30 A.M. on the 17th day of May, 1931, at Kooskia, County of Idaho State of Idaho, before Lloyd A. Penn, notary public, proof will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of twenty (20) cubic feet per second of the waters of Little Smith Creek and of the application to beneficial use of said water in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 17303, heretofore issued by the Commissioner of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation, holding said permit, are

B. F. Gressler, Kooskia, Idaho

2. Said works of diversion will be fully completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conducting to the place of use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is twenty (20) cubic feet per second.

3. The use to which said water has been applied is irrigation and domestic, ~~and fire protection~~ purposes, and the amount applied to beneficial use is twenty (20) cubic feet per second.

4. The place where said water is used is SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 32, Twp. 33 N., R. 6 E.,
and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 5, Twp. 32 N., R. 6 E.
~~thirty two, township 33 N., R. 6 E., S. 14~~

5. The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is May 19, 1930

R. W. Paris

Geo. W. Carter

Commissioner of Reclamation.

NW 56 K
SW 52 - 32 - 33 N - 6 E.
Idaho

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Post Office Department
OFFICE BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 746

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID PAYMENT OF POSTAGE: \$300



MARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to _____

and Number, }
or Post Office Box, }

(NAME OF SENDER)

COMMISSIONER OF RECLAMATION

BOISE,

IDAHO.

RETURN RECEIPT

Received from the Postmaster the Registered or Insured Article, the original
number of which appears on the face of this Card.

B. F. Cressler

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, _____, 19

Form 3811

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State of Idaho
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE

INSTRUCTIONS

PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS

B. F. Cressler
Kooskia, Idaho

Boise, Idaho, March 2, 1931

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. 17303

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 21, 1931. Upon receipt of the blank properly filled out, notice for 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

Commissioner of Reclamation.

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

BOISE

March 2, 1931

B. F. Cressler
Kooskia, Idaho

Dear Sir:—

I enclose herewith blank notice of proof of application of water to beneficial use under your permit No. 17303, which should be filled out and returned to this office at least 60 days before the date upon which you wish to make proof. The date for proof, as set out in your permit, is May 21, 1931, and, if proof is submitted subsequent to said date, your priority will be brought down a length of time equal to the time elapsing between the date proof should have been made and the date proof is actually made.

Yours truly,

GEO. N. CARTER,
Commissioner of Reclamation.

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State of Idaho
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE

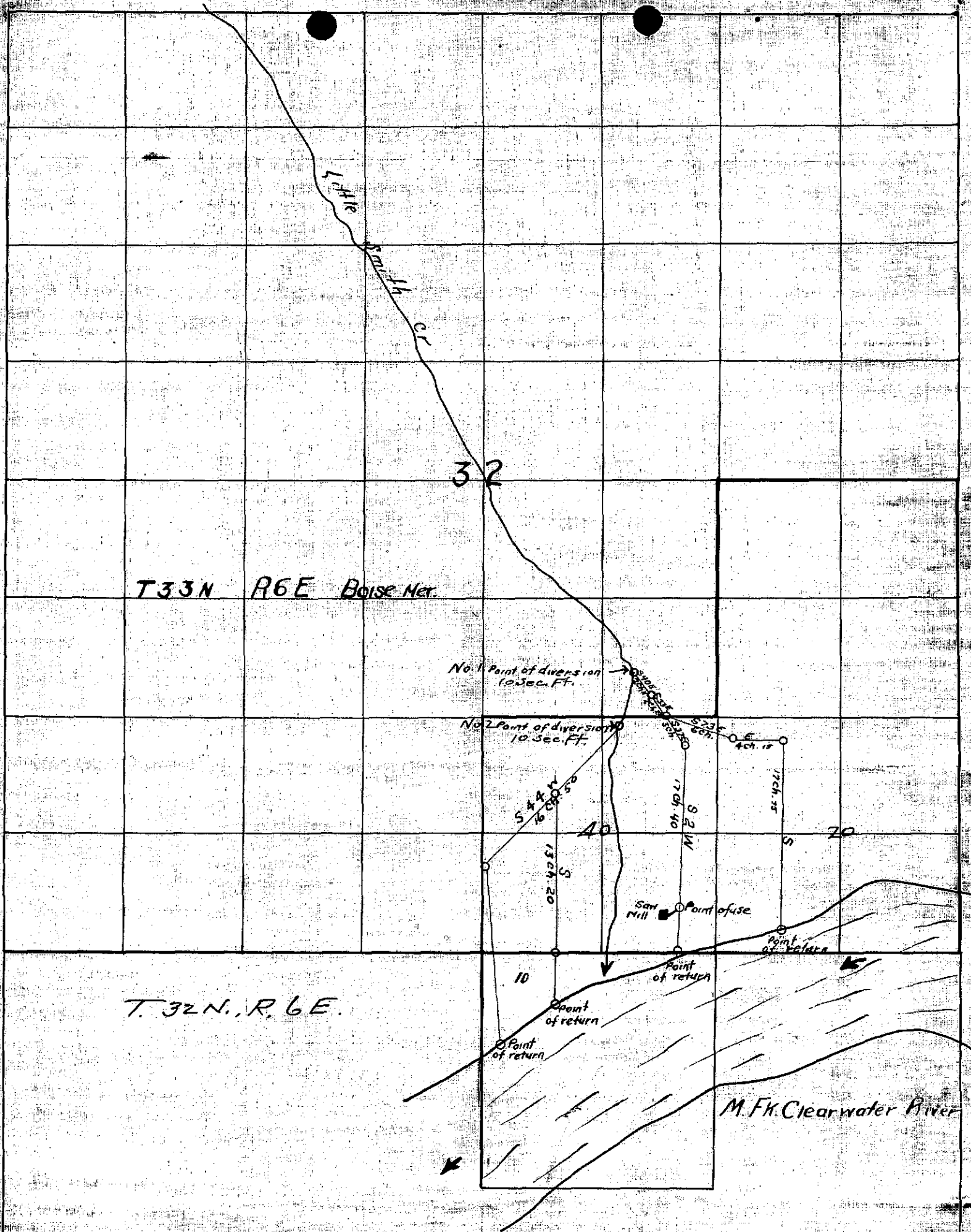
Permit No. 17303
Mr. B. F. Cressler
Kootenai, Idaho
Dear Sir:

May 23, 1930.
Boise, Idaho,

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

Incl. Receipt for fee.

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GEO. N. CARTER
Commissioner of Reclamation.



MAP OF CRESSLER DITCH

To Accompany Application For Use Permit

Permit Map No. 17303

By B. F. Cressler

As Approved

Kooskia Idaho March 27, 1930

MAY 21 1930

Scale 8"=1 mile

GEO. N. L. L. L.

Commissioner of the Department of Agriculture

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May 6, 1930.

RE: Application for Permit.

Mr. B. F. Cressler
Kooskia, Idaho

Dear Sir:

We are returning herewith your application to appropriate twenty second feet of the waters of Little Smith Creek for the following information:

Show on map - Location of Saw Mill, probably Point of use, also Point of Return of water to stream.

Answer paragraph 6 on the first page of application.

Very truly yours,

GEO. N. CARTER
Commissioner of Reclamation

By

Incl. Check for \$0.75

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Kovalev, Ido.

May 1, 30

Department of Reclamation
Boise, Ida.

Sir

Enclose find bank draft
#9.75.

Maps according to your
request in separate parcel.

And oblige

B. F. Cressler

May 15, 30

Enclose find maps as per
your request. Hope this will
meet with your approval.

And oblige

B. F. Cressler

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