

State of Idaho
License and Certificate of Water Right

Water License No. 19977

Amount .44 second foot

Water District No.

Priority October 16, 1949

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that BEN G. KOPP
of American Falls, Idaho, made application for a permit to appropriate the
public waters of the State of Idaho, dated December 5, 1946; that Permit No. 19977
was issued under said application; that Certificate of Completion of works, with a carrying capacity of
3 second feet, was issued thereunder on January 10, 1952, showing that said works
were completed on the 3rd day of January, 1952; and that on the 30th
day of October, 1954, BEN G. KOPP

of American Falls, State of Idaho, made proof to the satisfaction of the
State Reclamation Engineer of Idaho, of the right to use the waters of a well
, ~~A/T/T/T/T/T/T/T/T/T~~ (subterranean flow), for the purpose of irrigation and domestic,
, under Use Permit No. 19977 of the Department of Reclamation
and that said right to the use of said waters has been perfected in accordance with the laws of Idaho,
and is hereby confirmed by the State Reclamation Engineer of Idaho and entered of record in Volume
9 of Licenses at page 5855, on the 5th day of November, 1956;
The right hereby confirmed dates from October, 16, 1949;

The Point of Diversion is located
in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 14, Twp. 7 S., R. 31 E., B. M. Power 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 .44 cubic feet per second.

Description and location of use:

Twp.	Range	Sec.	Forty-acre Tract	No. Acres Described in Permit	No. Acres Actually Irrigated
7 3.	31 E.	14	SW 1/4	40	40
			SE 1/4	40	--
			NE 1/4	40	--
			NW 1/4	40	--
			SW 1/4	40	--
			SE 1/4	40	--
			Total Number of Acres Actually Irrigated --		

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

WITNESS the seal and signature of the State Reclamation Engineer, affixed at Boise, Idaho, this
5th day of November, 1956.

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer.

(SEAL)

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT
To Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho

24-2261

Application No. 27545
Permit No. 19977
District No.

1. Name of Applicant: BEN G. KOPP

Postoffice address: American Falls

County: Power

State: Idaho

I. If applicant is a corporation, give:

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

II. The financial resources of the applicant are:

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

2. Quantity of water claimed: Three (3) cubic feet per second.

3. Source of water supply: Subterranean flow (well) which is a tributary of

4. Location of point of diversion: feet distant from the

corner of Section , T. , R. , B.M., and is in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$
of Section 14 , T. 7 S. , R. 31 E., B.M., County of Power

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

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

(a) Point of use of water: feet distant from corner of Section

T. , R. , B.M., in the of Section , T. , R. , B.M.

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

(c) Water is to be returned to at a point feet

distant from the corner of Section , T. , R. , B.M., in the
of Section , T. , R. , B.M.

7. Estimated cost of works: \$4,000.00

8. Kind of works: Well, pump and ditches

9. Height of dam feet; length of dam at top feet; length of dam at bottom

feet; material used in dam:

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

11. Ditch: Width at bottom 2 feet; width at water line 4 feet; depth of water 1 feet;

dimensions of flume:

Diameter of pipe inches; length of conduit 2 miles.

Average grade per mile 5 feet.

12. The time required for the completion of such work is Three (3) years.

13. The time required for the complete application of the water to the proposed use is None additional years.

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

14-A. Existing water rights and/or valid permits appurtenant to the lands to be irrigated are:

15. (a) Is reservoir to be used? 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.

BEN G. KOPP *Applicant.*

By _____ Agent.

Date of first receipt at Department of Reclamation: 11:15 A. M. December 5, 1946

Returned to applicant for correction:

Corrected application received:

Approval of State Reclamation Engineer

The number of this permit is 19977

Recorded in Book 72 Page 19977 Approved December 19, 1946

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 February 19, 1947 and to continue diligently and uninterruptedly to completion, unless temporarily interrupted by circumstances over which permit holder has no control.

One-fifth of the work above specified to be completed on or before June 19, 1948

The whole of said work to be completed on or before December 19, 1949

Beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith, to be made on or before December 19, 1949

Witness my hand this 19th day of December, 1946

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We, ARNOLD WILLIAMS, 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 19th
day of December, 19 46

STATE OF IDAHO

Countersigned: _____
(SEAL) By IRA H. MASTERS
Secretary of State.

STATE OF IDAHO
By ARNOLD WILLIAMS
Governor.

Remarks: Applicant intends to drill a well approximately 14" in diameter, and 150 feet deep, operated with electric power.

14.

[illegible]

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION OF WORKS

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that BEN G. KOPP of American Falls, County of Power, and State of Idaho, the holder of Permit No. 19977, issued upon Application No. 27545 bearing date of priority of December 5, 1946, authorizing the diversion of Three (3) second feet of the waters of subterranean flow from a well, County of Power, State of Idaho, for irrigation and domestic purposes, has fully complied with the provisions of the laws of the State of Idaho relating to the proof of completion of the works of diversion set out and described in said Permit; that said works are adequate for diverting and conveying to the place of intended use Three (3) second feet of the waters of said well; that the point of diversion of said waters is in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B.M., and that the lands proposed to be irrigated by the use of said water are described as follows, to-wit: S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B.M.

Witness my hand this 10th day of January, A. D. 1952.

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer

Proof of completion of works made January 3, 1952.

Certificate of completion of works issued January 10, 1952.

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November 6, 1956

RE: Permit No. 19977

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
Box 332
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

We enclose License and Certificate of Water Right issued under Permit No. 19977 confirming your right to the use of $\frac{1}{4}$ second foot of the waters of a well located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B.M., with priority of October 16, 1949, for irrigation and domestic use on the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B.M.

We also enclose departmental receipt No. 28249 for the \$2.00 license fee.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

R:hll
Enc.

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ROBERT E. SMYLIE
GOVERNOR

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

BOISE

October 19, 1956

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Box 332
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

We now have on file the report of our field engineer on examination for beneficial use on your Permit No. 19977 which shows that your well in the SW¹/₄SW¹/₄ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B.M. will deliver 22 inches or .44 second foot of water which has been used to irrigate 40 acres of land in the same subdivision.

A License can, therefore, be issued for .44 second foot of water upon receipt of the license fee of \$2.00.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Edna P. Rutledge
Chief Clerk

R:hll

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State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

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

Permit No. 19977This proof is for Beneficial Use In Water District No. _____1. Name of applicant Ben G. Kopp, Box 332, American Falls, Idaho2. Source of water supply: Subterranean, from a well3. Location of point of diversion: Is in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 14T. 7 S. R. 31 E. County of Power

4. Describe works as they exist, giving dimensions and capacities of same: Well is 365' deep by 14" diameter, cased 85'. H is 50'. Draw down is 120'. 2 stage 10" bowls. 130' 8" column. 30 hp. U. S. Motor serial No. 891699. Peerless Turbine Pump serial No. 155196. 6'x8'x7' high well house concrete floor, galvanized sheet metal covering 8" deliver by 20' long to the East into a diked ditch. Delivery to the fields by gravity.

5. Water is used for: Irrigation and domestic purposes6. 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):

? W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Twp. 7 South, Range 31 East, B. M.

See the map

S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ & SE $\frac{1}{4}$ S 14,

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

8. What large stream would the water here appropriated finally reach? _____

Remarks: Crops are hay & grain.

*Talked to Mr K again Sept 14-56
Water not improving in well.
Will take Palisades water*

This examination was made on the 4 day of Aug, 19 53(Signed) E. N. Humphrey Examiner.

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Don O. Kopp
Box 332, American Falls, Idaho
Permit No. 19977

Examination for Beneficial use

County Power
14 75. 31E.

30 ft well

P.D. = SW SW. 514.

Drig & dom.

53' 7"

6 in 2 in

122

22"

22" with V notch weir

Dec 5-1946

4w = Dec 17-37

10 ft

365' x 14' cul 85'
h=50' dd to 120'

2 stage 10" 130' cul. 8"

U.S. motor 30 hp. 1800 rpm
448 37 # 891699

155796 Peerless pump

6' x 8' x 7 1/2' well house
concrete floor.

Galv sheet metal
roof

8" x 20' cul. to East
with diked ditch

[P] pumping plant panel

Type KAU 14

outside to SW. 2' on
post panel

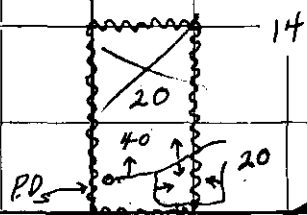
INSTRUCTIONS TO EXAMINERS

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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Department of Reclamation

T7S. R. 31E.



Highway #30 N.

approx. 3 mi. Am. Falls

Subdivisions = ~~Two~~ One

Area = ~~60~~ acres 1"

Q = 22 inches.

would like another check as well is very low

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE

REPORT OF ENGINEER

PERMIT NO. 19977

REPORT ON PROOF OF Beneficial Use

BEN G. KOPP, Box 332, American Falls, Idaho

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app-	3 Cpl
of n-	3 Cpl
Sub.	1
acres-	40

August 30, 1956

RE: Permit No. 19977

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
Box 332
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

You will recall that you requested that report in connection with your Permit No. 19977 be not turned in last year. Accordingly, I will call on you Friday morning, September 14 to discuss your desires in connection with this.

A disposition of some nature must be made of this Permit. I will stop and discuss the matter with you.

Yours truly,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

E. N. Humphrey
Deputy State Reclamation Engineer

H:hll

19977

Jan. 7 - 1955.
Department of Reclamation:-
Dear Sirs:-

Received your letter
of Jan 3- Stating that you
had not received a reply to
your letter Dec. 6.

When I asked Mr. Sparks
why he hadn't replied, he
told me that he had
corrected the error
and had sent it right
back to you.

Very Truly Yours
Ben E. Kopp.
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Robert E. Smylie
Governor

January 10, 1955

R : Permit No. 19977

Mr. T. C. Sparks
Notary Public
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Sparks:

This morning's mail brings us your memorandum dated January 8, 1955 returning corrected depositions of Mack Bowler and Carlos H. Lounsbury, witnesses in proof of beneficial use on Permit No. 19977 in the name of Ben G. Kopp.

This completes the proofs but 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 Mr. Kopp at the time he makes the examination so that arrangements may be made to show him over the grounds.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:hll
cc Mr. Ben G. Kopp

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LEN JORDAN
GOVERNOR

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

BOISE

December 6, 1954

RE: Permit No. 19977

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Department of Reclamation

Mr. T. C. Sparks
Notary Public
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Sparks:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 4 enclosing depositions of Ben G. Kopp and two witnesses also affidavit of publication in the Power County Press all submitted in proof of beneficial use on Permit No. 19977.

However, Question 7 of the witnesses is not completely answered and we return same in order that they may give the legal description by subdivision, Section, Township and Range of the land where the water has been used and also state the nature as to whether cultivated or meadow land.

We return the receipted bill for costs of publication which Mr. Kopp will doubtless wish to keep in his own files.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Jeanne L. Anderson
Chief Clerk

A:hll

Enc.

cc Mr. Ben G. Kopp
Box 332
American Falls, Idaho

American Falls, Idaho
January 8, 1955.

Depositions both enclosed, with question No. 7 now fully and completely answered.

Kopp
T.C. Sparks,

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~~XXXXXXXXXX~~
~~XXXXXX~~
Robert E. Smylie
Governor

January 3, 1955

R : Permit No. 19977

Mr. T. C. Sparks
Notary Public
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Sparks:

We do not seem to have received a reply to our letter of December 6 in which we returned the depositions of two witnesses for proof of beneficial use on Permit No. 19977 of Ben G. Kopp for certain corrections.

Possibly you and Mr. Kopp have over-looked this so we are bringing it to your attention in order that the proof may be accepted and filed.

Very truly yours,

MARK H. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:hll
cc Mr. Ben G. Kopp
Box 332
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Chief Clerk

A:hl1
Enc.

cc Mr. Ben G. Kopp
Box 332
American Falls, Idaho

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Power County Abstract Co., Ltd.

T. C. SPARKS, Manager

Insurance - Abstracts - Surety Bonds - Title Insurance

Telephone 4701

AMERICAN FALLS, IDAHO

December 4, 1954

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Department of Reclamation
State House
Boise, Idaho

Department of Reclamation

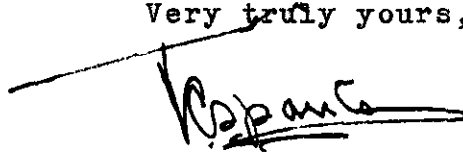
Gentlemen: RE PERMIT No. 19977 - BEN G. KOPP

I am enclosing herewith the following items in connection with the above proof, to-wit:

1. Proof of Publication of Notice of Proof, in duplicate.
2. Receipt for payment of publication fees.
3. Deposition of Holder of Permit.
4. Deposition of Witness Mack Bowler.
5. Deposition of Witness Carlos H. Lounsbury.

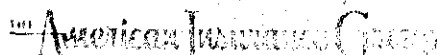
If anything further in this matter is required at this time, please advise either the undersigned or Mr. Kopp.

Very truly yours,



T.C. Sparks, Notary Public.

S/s.
5 Encls.


American Indian Group

With every American, the arrow is secure

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Affidavit of Publication

County of Power, } ss.
State of Idaho, }

Laura Hartley being first duly sworn
on oath, states:

That she is the Bookkeeper of the Power
County Press, a newspaper of general circulation in Power
County, Idaho, published weekly at American Falls in said
county; that said newspaper has been published in said coun-
ty uninterruptedly and continuously for over seventy-eight
consecutive weeks, prior to the first publication of the an-
nexed notice or advertisement:

That the annexed notice or advertisement was published
as per clipping attached in the regular and entire edition of

said newspaper and not in any supplement thereof for four
successive weekly issues thereof, the date of the first publi-
cation being the 30th day of September, 19 54
the date of last publication being the

21st day of October, 19 54

(Signed) Laura Hartley

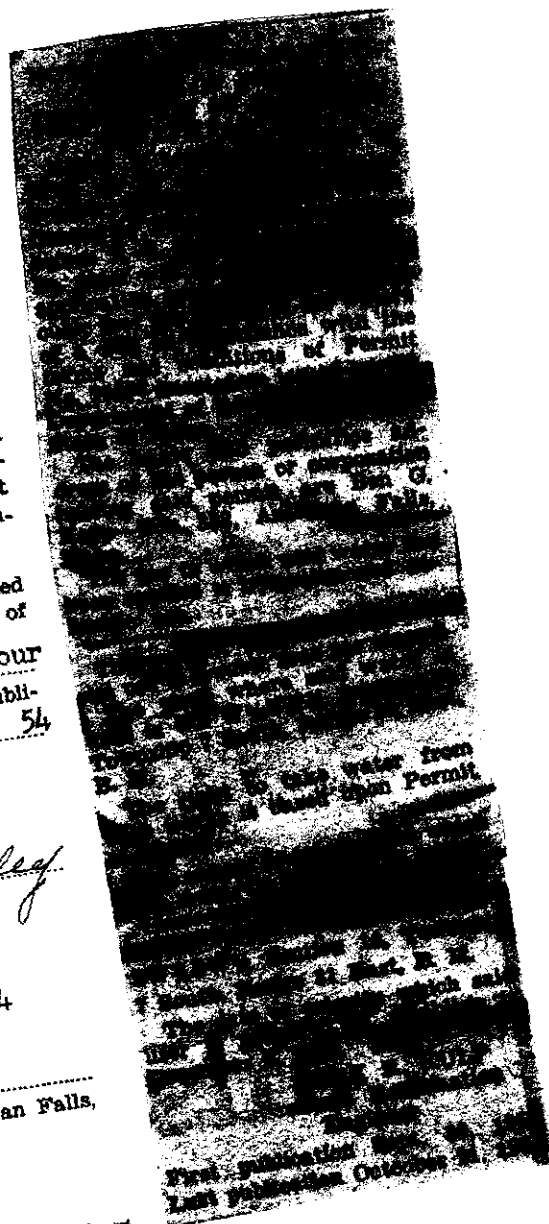
Subscribed and sworn to before me this

4th day of November, 19 54

W. P. [Signature]
Notary Public, residing at American Falls,
Idaho.

My Commission expires the

(SEAL) 22 day of October, 19 55



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21 st day of October, 1954

(Signed) *Laura Hartley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

4th day of November, 1954

Notary Public, residing at American Falls, Idaho.

My Commission expires the

(SEAL) day of , 19

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

Notice is hereby given that at 10:00 A. M. on the 12th day of October, 1954, at American Falls, County of Power, State of Idaho, before T. C. Sparks, Notary Public, proof will be submitted of the application to beneficial use of 1 cubic foot per second of the waters of a well in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 19977 heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit are Ben G. Kopp—Box 332, American Falls, Idaho.

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

The amount applied to beneficial use is 1 cubic foot per second.

The place where said water is used is the W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B. M.

The right to take water from such works is based upon Permit No. 19977.

The source of supply from which such water is diverted is subter-

anean water from a well in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B. M.

The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is December 5, 1946.

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation
Engineer

First publication Sept. 30, 1954
Last publication October 21, 1954

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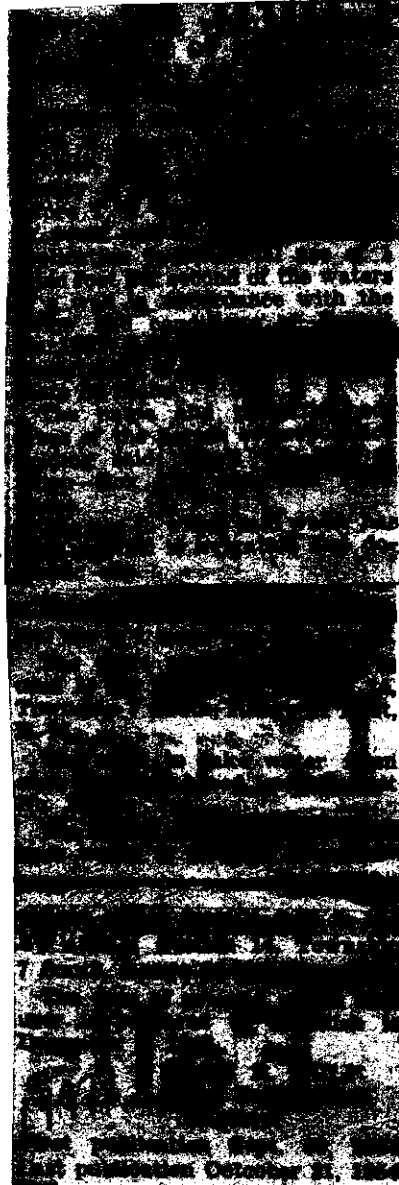
4th day of November 19 54

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(SEAL)

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21 st day of October 1954

(Signed) _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

4th day of November 1954

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(SEAL) _____ day of _____, 1954

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State Reclamation
Engineer
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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

Permit No. 19977

Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use

Deposition of Holder

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

Ans. Ben G. Koopp, American Falls, Idaho, Farmer, P.O. Address:
Box 332, American Falls, 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. Permit No. 19977, dated December 19, 1946. Priority: December 5, 1946

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

Ans. Subterranean Well. Point of diversion, approximately 165 ft
NE of the SW corner of Section 14, Twp. 7 S., R. 31 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. Well is 365 ft. deep, first 80 ft. cased with 14" I.D. steel casing; it is 56 to 59 ft. to water. Pump discharge is 50 miner's inches, or 1 cu. ft. per second; this was determined by measurements made at the time pump was installed, by the pump men. Water is conveyed to land by open ditch, 2' wide on bottom, 4' wide at top and 3' deep, and total length of approximately 3/4th 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 use only. 30 acres irrigated in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and 20 acres in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, all in Section 14, Twp. 7 S., R. 31 E., B.M. Land is cultivated land, no meadow. Improvements consist principally of the change-over from dry farm crops to irrigated crops on the lands irrigated. My residence is on the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ said Section 14.

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

Ans. Irrigation only.

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. I am the holder of the original permit.

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

Ans. During each and all of the years 1952, 1953 and 1954, I have planted, irrigated cultivated and harvested all of the land the pump would provide water for, consisting of approx. 50 acres, all by open ditch.

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. No water from any other source has been available.

(Sign) Ben E. Papp.

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 American Falls, County of Power, State of Idaho, on this 30 day of October, A. D. 1954.,

K. Papp
Notary Public,

My commission expires October 22, 1955. Residing at American Falls, Idaho.

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

Permit No. 19977

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. Mack Bowler, Age 58, American Falls, Idaho, Implement
Dealer, P.O. Address: American Falls, Idaho

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with Ben G. Kopp, the
holder of Permit No. 19977? How long have you known him and where does
he reside?

Ans. 40 Years. Resides 2 miles from American Falls, Idaho

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 19977, 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 con-
veying water from point of diversion to place of use.

Ans. Subterranean Well. Open Ditch, 2' on Bottom; 4' on top;
3' deep.

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

Ans. 2 sec. feet. I have seen 1 sec. ft. being so conveyed.

Ques. 6. (Pumps) How much water in cubic feet per second, miner's inches, or gallons
per minute have you seen the pump deliver, and how did you measure or estimate the
amount?

Ans. 1 cu. ft. per sec. of time. I am working with similar installat-
ions constantly, and base my estimate on experience.

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Ques. 7. State for what purpose water is used and at what place. (If for irrigation, give each subdivision in which water has been used and number of acres irrigated in each subdivision.) State whether cultivated or natural meadow land and the nature of all improvements which have been made as a direct result of said use.

Ans. Irrigation use only. 40 acres irrigated in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and 10 acres in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 14, Twp. 7 S., R. 31 E., B.M. All reclaimed land is cultivated land, no natural meadow. Land above described has been transformed from dry farm land to irrigated land by Mr. Kopp's well and irrigation development.

Ques. 8. If for power or other purposes than irrigation, state how water has been applied and to what extent.

Ans. Not for power.

Ques. 9. (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. Light volcanic ash, good slope for irrigation by ditch; and it will require 1 inch per acre for proper irrigation.

Ques. 10. Have you any interest in the works, water or lands above mentioned? If so, in what way and to what extent?

Ans. No.

Ques. 11. 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. I have visited this installation many times during the past three years at times during the irrigation season when the system was in operation. This observation has covered each and every year for the past three years.

(Signed)

Mark Bonby

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 American Falls, County of Power, State of Idaho, on this 30 day of October, A. D. 1954.

K. J. [Signature]
Notary Public.

Residing at American Falls, Idaho

My commission expires October 22, 1955.

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE, IDAHO

Permit No. 19977

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. Carlos H. Lounsbury, Age 35, Residence: American Falls, Idaho;
Occupation: Mechanic; P.O. Address: American Falls, Idaho.

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with Ben G. Kopp, the
holder of Permit No. 19977 Yes. ? How long have you known him and where does
he reside?

Ans. 25 Years. He resides about 2 miles NE of American Falls,
Idaho.

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 19977. Yes, 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 con-
veying water from point of diversion to place of use.

Ans. Source: Subterranean Well; Place of Diversion: SW cor of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$
Sec. 14, Twp. 7 S., R. 31 E., B.M. Open ditch 2' wide on bottom, 4' on
Top and 3' Deep is used to convey water from point of diversion to
place of use.

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

Ans. 2 second feet. I have seen 1 sec. ft. being so conveyed.

Ques. 6. (Pumps) How much water in cubic feet per second, miner's inches, or gallons
per minute have you seen the pump deliver, and how did you measure or estimate the
amount?

Ans. I have seen 448 gals. per min. delivered by the pump. I have
been working with this type of installation for a long time, during which
I have learned to make a close estimate of water, taking into account its
velocity in pipe and pipe size.

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September 20, 1954

RE: Permits Nos. 19977 &
G-23182

Power County Press
American Falls
Idaho

Gentlemen:

On September 11th we sent you two notices for publication, one in connection with Permit No. 19977 of Ben G. Kopp and the other on G-23182 of Robert Schroeder.

To date we have received no acknowledgment of these notices nor a copy of your paper containing same.

Please inform us if the notices are being published and send us a copy of same.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KUPP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

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September 11, 1954

RE: Permit N . 19977

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
Box 332
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

We have sent to the Power County Press, notice of Beneficial use proof to be made for fifty inches of water under your Permit No. 19977, at 10:00 A.M. October 12, 1954, with instructions to publish once a week for four weeks prior to that date and to send you the affidavit of Publication together with statement of costs.

At the time set, you should appear before Mr. T. C. Sparks, Notary Public, together with two disinterested witnesses who are familiar with the terms of the Permit and the work done thereunder for the purpose of executing the enclosed depositions.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:hl:
Enc.

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

BOISE, IDAHO

Re: Permit No. 19977

Date: September 11, 1954

Power County Press

American Falls, Idaho

Gentlemen:

Enclosed you will find notice for publication once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to **October 12, 1954** the date set for proof, the expense of the publication to be paid by the applicant, **Ben G. Kopp** of **Box 332,** **American Falls, Idaho,** to whom you should furnish proof of publication on or prior to the date set for proof.

Please acknowledge receipt of this notice, and furnish this office with a copy of the first publication, in order that we may check same.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

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

Notice is hereby given that at 10:00 A. M. on the 12th day of October, 1954,
at American Falls, County of Power, State of Idaho, before
T. C. Sparks, Notary Public, proof will be submitted of the
application to beneficial use of 1 cubic foot per second of the waters of a well
in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 19977
heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit are
Ben G. Kopp - Box 332, American Falls, Idaho

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

The amount applied to beneficial use is 1 cubic foot per second

The place where said water is used ~~(irrigation, domestic use, etc.)~~
is the W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B.M.

~~The construction of such works is by contract and the cost thereof is \$0.00, paid in cash.~~

The right to take water from such works is based upon Permit No. 19977

The source of supply from which such water is diverted is subterranean water from a well
in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B.M.

The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is December 5, 1946

MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer.

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NOTICE TO ACCOMPANY THIS LETTER MUST BE MADE IN DUPLICATE

(Date) Sept. 10 - 1954

(P. O.) 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

Power County Press of American Falls - published in
the county in which the works are situated.

Ben G. J. Hoff.

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

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

Engineer.

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January 15, 1952

RE: Permit No. 19977

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
Box 332
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

We enclose certificate of completion of works issued under Permit No. 19977, for the diversion of 3 second feet of water from a well in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B.M., for irrigation and domestic use on the S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of said section 14.

We also enclose departmental receipt No. 24102 for the \$5.00 fee paid in connection with proof of completion of works.

Proof of beneficial use was also due on this permit on or before December 19, 1951, as per notice sent you on October 1, 1951. It can be made at a later date, but this will mean a little later than the original priority.

Before beneficial use proof is made, the statutes require publication of a notice once a week for four consecutive weeks in a county newspaper. This notice should be made in duplicate on Form 10 enclosed, setting the time and place and naming the Notary Public before whom proof is to be made. The place may be at American Falls or any place convenient for you and your two witnesses, and the time should be set sufficiently far ahead to allow for four weeks' publication.

Both copies of Form 10 to be returned to this department together with Form 11 which is your authorization for us to have the notice published at your expense in the designated county newspaper.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

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Permit No. 19977

STATE OF IDAHO
Department of ReclamationRECEIVED
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Department of Reclamation

Proof of Completion of Works

AFFIDAVIT OF HOLDER

STATE OF IDAHO

County of POWER

ss.

Ben G. Kopp

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

First: That he is the holder and owner of Permit to appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho No. 19977, and that his postoffice address is American Falls.

State of Idaho

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

Subterranean flow from a well

Third: That the point of diversion of said water is SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 11

Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B.M.

Fourth: That under the terms and conditions of said permit, construction thereunder was required to be completed by December 19th, 1951.

Fifth: That the use for which said water is intended is

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

I. Kind of works: Well and Ditch well Diameter 14 in. Depth 312 ft.
Electric Power, Pump (Reservoir, dam, ditch, flume, pipe or otherwise)

II. Dimensions of work:

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

(State whether wood, earth, stone or concrete)

(b) Capacity of reservoir acre feet.

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

(d) Conduit width at bottom feet, width at water line
(State whether ditch, flume or pipe)

feet, depth of water feet; diameter of pipe inches, average grade per mile is feet. Length of conduit is miles.

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

Eighth: That water appropriated under said permit is available for 240 acres of land described as follows: S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 11, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B.M.

Ninth: Remarks: That O.B. Sigman Drilled well, Started in 1950 and quit drilling in 1951

Ben G. Kopp
(Sign Here)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of January, 1951

Christ T. Colwell

Notary Public.

My commission expires

RESIDING AT AMERICAN FALLS, IDAHO
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JANUARY 14, 1952

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January 5, 1952

RE: Permit No. 19977

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
Box 332
American Falls,

Dear Mr. Kopp:

We acknowledge receipt of your affidavit in proof of completion of works under Permit No. 19977.

However, this affidavit should give the depth and size of your well and casing, and the kind and power of your pump as mentioned in office letter addressed you on December 21, 1951. We return your affidavit for this additional information.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:fg
Enc.

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December 31, 1951

RE: Permit No. 19977

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
P. O. Box 332
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

We have your letter of December 28, 1951, in reply to office letter addressed you on December 21, 1951, returning O. B. Sigman's affidavit in proof of completion of works under your Permit No. 19977.

It will be all right to have Mr. Sigman complete the log and return it later on, but the important thing right now is for you to execute the affidavit in proof of completion of works, as this was due on or before December 19, 1951.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:fg

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Dec. 23-51

Department of Reclamation,
Dear Sirs :-

Received your letter of the 21st
of Dec. Stating that Mr. Sigman
is to fill out the completion
of the Well. I will have
Mr. Sigman fill them out,
as soon as he comes back,
from the Mayo Clinic.

Very Truly Yours

Ben G. Kopp.

Am. Falls,

P. O. Box 332,

Idaho.

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Department of Reclamation

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December 21, 1951

RE: Permit No. 19977

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
American Falls
Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

We return the affidavit of O. B. Sigman, submitted in proof of completion of works under your Permit No. 19977, for the reason that this affidavit should be executed by yourself as permit holder rather than by the well driller.

The affidavit is correct as to form except that more information should be given as to the size and depth of the well, amount of casing, and if a pump has been installed, the kind and power of the pump.

Since the underground water laws passed by the 1951 State Legislature calls for a log to be filed in connection with wells, it will be helpful if you will have Mr. Sigman fill out the enclosed log and return it with your amended affidavit.

We hold to your credit your check for the \$5.00 fee in connection with completion of works proof.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:fg
Enc.

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Permit No. 19977

STATE OF IDAHO
Department of Reclamation

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Proof of Completion of Works

AFFIDAVIT OF HOLDER

STATE OF IDAHO

County of Power

SS.

Ben G. Kopp, being first duly sworn, upon his oath deposes and says:

First: That he is the holder and owner of Permit to appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho, No. 19977, and that his postoffice address is American Falls.

State of Idaho

Second: That the name of the stream which said water is to be diverted is subterranean flow from a well

Third: That the point of diversion of said water is in the SW¹/₄ SW¹/₄ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B. M.

Fourth: That under the terms and conditions of said permit, construction thereunder was required to be completed by December 19, 1951.

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

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

I. Kind of works: Well and ditch
(Reservoir, dam, ditch, flume, pipe or otherwise)

II. Dimensions of work:

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

(State whether wood, earth, stone or concrete)

(b) Capacity of reservoir acre feet.

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

(d) Conduit width at bottom feet, width at water line
(State whether ditch, flume or pipe)

feet, depth of water feet; diameter of pipe inches, average grade per mile is feet. Length of conduit is miles.

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

Eighth: That water appropriated under said permit is available for 240 acres of land described as follows: S¹/₂ SW¹/₄, SE¹/₄ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B. M.

Ninth: Remarks: That B.B. Sigman drilled this well. Started in 50 and quit drilling 251.

B.B. Sigman
(Sign Here)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of December, 1951.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

RESIDING AT AMERICAN FALLS, IDAHO
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JANUARY 24, 1953

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

BOISE

October 1, 1951

Mr. Ben G. Kopp

American Falls, Idaho

Dear Sir:

Under the terms of your permit No. 19977 you are required to complete your diversion works and make proof of beneficial use on or before December 19, 1951.

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

We also enclose blank notice for proof of application of water to Beneficial Use under this permit, which should be filled out and returned to this office at least forty (40) days before the date upon which you wish to make proof. The proof must be submitted before a Notary Public or other officer authorized by law to administer oaths. The date for proof as set out in your permit, is December 19, 1951, and if proof is submitted subsequent to said date, your priority will be brought down a length of time equal to the time elapsing between the date proof should have been made and the date proof is actually made.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer

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December 18, 1950

Re: Permit No. 19977

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

We enclose the approval of the State Reclamation Engineer of your Application for Extension of Time for Completion of Works on Permit No. 19977 to December 19, 1951.

This should be attached to the original Permit of which it now forms a part.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:bh
Enc.

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Permit No. 19977

Application for Extension of Time FOR COMPLETION OF WORKS

Ben G. Kopp, of American Falls

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

He is the owner and holder of Permit to Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho No. 19977

Under the terms and conditions of said permit, construction work thereunder was required to be completed by January 1, 1951

That he has heretofore performed the following work described under said permit

Well has been drilled, 241 ft. deep- but not tested. Have pump but not yet installed.

costing \$ 3,100.00

That he is unable to complete the remainder of the work within the required time, for the following reasons, to-wit:

Waiting for well to be tested.

State Reclamation Engineer

WHEREFORE, He asks that the Commissioner of Reclamation extend the time for the completion of works under said permit to December 19, 1951

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of December 1950

Ben G. Kopp.
William W. Lator
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 16, 1953

Date of receipt at office of Department of Reclamation Dec. 13, 1950

STATE RECLAMATION ENGINEER
APPROVAL OF COMMISSIONER OF RECLAMATION.
State Reclamation Engineer

I, Mark R. Kulp, Commissioner of Reclamation of the State of Idaho, hereby extend the time for the completion of construction work under Permit to Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho, No. 19977 to December 19, 1951

Witness my hand this 15th day of December, 1950

Mark R. Kulp
State Reclamation Engineer

Form No. 5-A

STATE OF IDAHO

DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

Mr. Ben G. Kepp

BOISE

November 1, 1950

American Falls, Idaho

Dear Sir:

Under the terms of your permit No. ~~19977~~ you are required to complete your diversion works and make proof of beneficial use on or before ~~January 1, 1951~~.

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

We also enclose blank notice for proof of application of water to Beneficial Use under this permit, which should be filled out and returned to this office at least forty (40) days before the date upon which you wish to make proof. The proof must be submitted before a Notary Public or other officer authorized by law to administer oaths. The date for proof as set out in your permit, is ~~January 1, 1951~~, and if proof is submitted subsequent to said date, your priority will be brought down a length of time equal to the time elapsing between the date proof should have been made and the date proof is actually made.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer

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✓
December 9, 1949

Re: Permit No. 19977

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

We enclose herewith the approval of the
State Reclamation Engineer of your application for
Extension of Time for Completion of Works under
Permit No. 19977 to January 1, 1951.

This should be attached to the original
Permit of which it now forms a part.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:dh
Enc.

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Permit No.

Application for Extension of Time FOR COMPLETION OF WORKS

Ben G. Kopp

of American Falls

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

He is the owner and holder of Permit to Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho No. 19977

Under the terms and conditions of said permit, construction work thereunder was required to be completed by December, 19th., 1949

That he has heretofore performed the following work described under said permit:
Contracted for well to be drilled, that the driller was hurt and was
unable to perform under the contract, that the contract has not
recovered from the injury and it is not definite how soon he can
complete the contract. Have surveyed for ditches and have installed
electric power line to place.
costing \$1000.00

THAT he is unable to complete the remainder of the work within the required time, for the following reasons, to-wit:

As stated above. Will have to get some one to drill well which will
be as soon driller can do same.

WHEREFORE, He asks that the Commissioner of Reclamation extend the time for the completion of construction work under said permit, to January 1st. 1951, 19

Ben G. Kopp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th. day of December, 1949

Charles H. Coleman

My commission expires Notary Public.

Date of receipt at Department of Reclamation. Dec. 7, 1949

RESIDING AT AMERICAN FALLS, IDAHO
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JANUARY 14, 1951

State Reclamation Engineer

APPROVAL OF ~~COMMISSIONER OF RECLAMATION~~

I, Mark R. Kulp

~~State Reclamation Engineer~~

of the State of Idaho, hereby extend the time for the completion of construction work under Permit to Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho, No. 19977 to January 1st. 1951

Witness my hand this 8th day of December, 1949

State Reclamation Engineer

Mark R. Kulp

By

November 15, 1949

Re: Permit No. 19977

Mr. Ben Kopp, Jr.
Box 332
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

In reply to your letter of November 10, 1949, stating that your father is on vacation and upon his return will file his application for Extension of Time for Completion of Works under Permit No. 19977:

Under the terms of this Permit, this proof is due on or before December 19, 1949, and the application should be filed prior to that date.

If your father does not return before that time, possibly you could fill out the application as his agent, if you are familiar with the facts in the case.

Very truly yours,

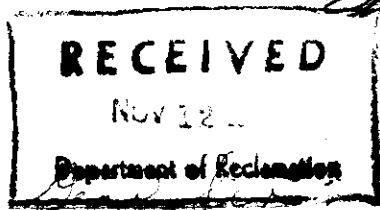
MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

A:bh

Chief Clerk

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Nov 1, 1949
Am. Falls, Ida



Received your
letter and application of
extension. Dad is on
a vacation and I do not
know when he will
return. But he thought he
would know for sure
whether he would drill a
well by the 31st of December.

I'm sure he will let
you know as soon as he
returns.

Very Truly Yours,
Ben Kopp, Jr.

BK 332

done

Dec. 19

19977

November 3, 1949

Re: Permit No. 19977

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
Box 332
American Falls, Idaho

Dear Mr. Kopp:

In reply to your letter of November 3, 1949, we enclose a Form of Application for Extension of Time for Completion of Works under your Permit No. 19977.

This should be executed by you before a Notary Public and returned to this Department for approval by the State Reclamation Engineer.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation Engineer
By

Chief Clerk

A:bh
Enc.

19977

Nov. 3 - 1949,

Department of Reclamation:-

Dear Sirs:-

Received your letter
of Oct. 4, Stating for me to complete
my diversion work by Dec. 19-
1949, I would like to know if
I can get this extended to
the First of July - 1950?

Very Truly yours

Ben E. Kopp.

American Falls

P. O. Box 332. Idaho.

19977

app. 12-19-46



19977

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

Mr. Ben G. Kopp

BOISE

October 4, 1949

American Falls, Idaho

Dear Sir:

Under the terms of your permit No. 19977 you are required to complete your diversion works and make proof of beneficial use on or before December 19, 1949.

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

We also enclose blank notice for proof of application of water to Beneficial Use under this permit, which should be filled out and returned to this office at least forty (40) days before the date upon which you wish to make proof. The proof must be submitted before a Notary Public or other officer authorized by law to administer oaths. The date for proof as set out in your permit, is December 19, 1949, and if proof is submitted subsequent to said date, your priority will be brought down a length of time equal to the time elapsing between the date proof should have been made and the date proof is actually made.

Very truly yours,

MARK R. KUTP
State Reclamation Engineer

19977

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION
BOISE

Permit No. 19977

Date December 20, 1946

Dear Sir:

We enclose herewith the above numbered permit. BE SURE AND
NOTE LIMITATIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SAME as given under approval of the
State Reclamation Engineer on the fourth page.

Mr. Ben G. Kopp
American Falls, Idaho

MARK R. KULP

State Reclamation Engineer

19977

NAME OF APPLICANT BEN. G. Kopp

FORM No. 0

TOWNSHIP - 7 SOUTH
RANGE - 31 EAST

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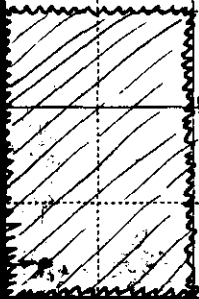
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WELL - POINT OF DIVERSION



Permit Map No. 19977
As Approved
DEC 19 1946
MARK R. KULP
State Registration Engineer

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

Notice is hereby given that at 10:00 A. M. on the 12th day of October, 1954, at American Falls, County of Power, State of Idaho, before T. C. Sparks, Notary Public, proof will be submitted of the application to beneficial use of 1 cubic foot per second of the waters

of a well in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 19977 heretofore issued by the Department of Reclamation of the State of Idaho.

The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit are Ben G. Kopp—Box 332, American Falls, Idaho.

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

The amount applied to beneficial use is 1 cubic foot per second.

The place where said water is used is the W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B. M.

The right to take water from such works is based upon Permit No. 19977.

The source of supply from which such water is diverted is subterranean water from a well in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 31 East, B. M.

The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is December 5, 1946.

MARK R. KULP
State Reclamation
Engineer

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