

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

Application No. 21013
Permit No. 14889
District No. 5-0

1. Name of Applicant: G. A. Nelson.

Postoffice address: St. Charles County: Bear Lake 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: 3/50 cubic feet per second.

3. Source of water supply: Two unnamed springs which is a tributary of Bear Lake (if enough water)

4. Location of point of diversion: feet distant from the
corner of Section , T. , R. , B. M., and is in the SW quarter of SW quarter
of Section 15 , T. 16 S., R. 45 E., B. M., County of Bear Lake.
21 NE quarter of SE quarter

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: \$ 200.00

8. Kind of works: Ditch, pipe, cleaning spring, etc.

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 Boxes 2 ft. X feet; height feet.
18 inches are used for collecting water and 2 in. pipe
for carrying water to trough and thence to ditches.

11. Ditch: Width at bottom 4 inches ~~feet~~ width at water line 4 inches ~~feet~~; depth of water 1 in. on Sec. 15
" " " 21
~~feet~~; dimensions of flume

Diameter of pipe two inches; length of conduit 350 ft. in sec. 15 miles.
500 ft. in sec. 21
Average grade per ~~mile~~ rod 3 in. in sec. 15
1 1/2 in. in sec. 21 ~~feet~~

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

13. The time required for the complete application of the water to the proposed use is 0 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.

G. A. Nelson. Applicant.

By

Agent.

Commissioner of Reclamation

Date of first receipt at office of State Engineer 9 A. M. June 14, 1920.

Returned to applicant for correction June 16, 1920.

Corrected application received Aug. 11, 1920.

COMMISSIONER OF RECLAMATION
APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

The number of this permit is 14889

Recorded in Book 58 Page 14889 Approved August 24, 1920.

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 October 23, 1920 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 **February 24, 1921.**

The whole of said work to be completed on or before August 24, 1921.

Beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith, to be made on or before August 24, 1921.

Witness my hand this 24th day of August, 1920.

W. G. Swendsen,
State Engineer.
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	
16	3.	45 E.	15																2	
"	"	"	21																1	
				Total number of acres to be irrigated-----3																
				Equal amounts are claimed from each spring. I own the lands upon which the springs are located.-----																
				Proof of Completion of Works made June 27, 1921.																
				Certificate issued August 3, 1921.																
				CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION OF WORKS																
				TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:																
				This is to certify that G. A. Nelson of St. Charles, County of Bear Lake, and State of Idaho, the holder of Permit No. 14889, issued upon Application No. 21013 bearing date of priority of June 14, 1920, authorizing the diversion of 3/50 of 1 second feet of the waters of two unnamed springs, tributary of Bear Lake, County of Bear Lake, 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 3/50 of one second feet of the waters of unnamed springs; that the point of diversion of said waters is in the SW¼ SW¼ Sec. 15, T. 16 S. R. 45 E., B. M., and that the lands proposed to be irrigated by the use of said water are described as follows, to-wit: NW¼ SW¼ Section 15, T. 16 S. R. 45 E., B. M.																
				Witness my hand this 3rd day of August, A. D. 1921.																
				W. G. SWENDSEN, Commissioner of Reclamation																
				BY Geo. B. Archibald, Deputy.																
				License issued for 2/50 second feet. Aug 1921																

June 16, 1920

21013

Mr. G. A. Nelson,
St. Charles, Idaho.

Complete Par. 3. Fill in Par. 10, 11, 12 & 13. In Par. 14 state
irrigable acreage in each 40 acre tract. Duplicate maps are required
as per folder.

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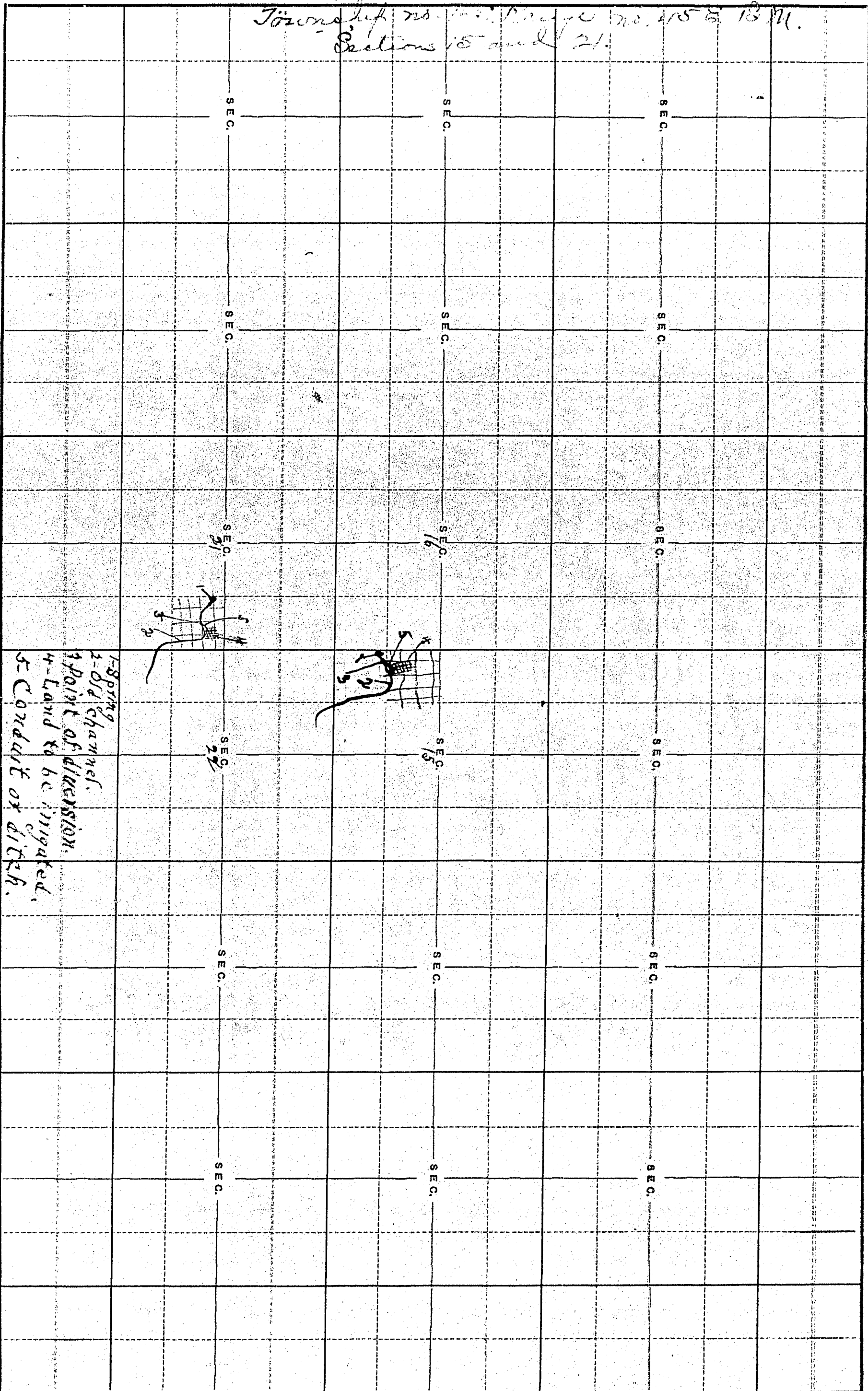
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~~14789~~

NAME OF APPLICANT

G. W. Nelson

*Township no. 10 N. Range no. 415 E. 13 M.
Sections 15 and 21.*



SCALE: 2 INCHES=1 MILE. DRAW PLAN IN INK.

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Map No. 1138

Aug 24 1920

[Faint handwritten notes and stamps are visible at the bottom of the page.]

State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

BOISE

Permit No. 14889
G. A. Nelson
St. Charles, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

Boise, Idaho,
Aug. 28, 1920.

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

W. G. Swendson

Commissioner of Reclamation.

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State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

BOISE

G. A. Nelson
St. Charles, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

May 9, 1921

I enclose herewith blank notice of proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use under your Permit No. ~~14889~~-----, which kindly fill out and return to me at least 60 days before the date upon which you wish to submit proof. The date of the proof is set out in your permit, and if proof is submitted subsequent to that your priority will be advanced a time equal to the difference of the time between the date proof should have been submitted and date it is submitted.

Yours truly,

W. G. Swendeen,
Commissioner of Reclamation.

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State of Idaho
ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
BOISE

INSTRUCTIONS
PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS

G. A. Nelson
St. Charles, Idaho.

Boise, Idaho,
May 9, 1921

Dear Sir:—

Under the terms of your permit No. 14839, you are required to complete your diversion works on or before Aug. 24, 1921. I enclose herewith blank affidavit to be filled out, sworn to by you before a Notary Public or a 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 will be issued to you.

The certificate to be issued under this proof will not give a perpetual right to the use of water for which application was made, as it only confirms the completion of 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.

Yours truly,

W. G. Swendsen

State Engineer.

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St. Charles, Ida.

June 24/1921

Mr. H. D. Swenson.

Commissioner of Reclamation.

Dear Mr. Swenson: In regard to offering proof on my application permit No. 14889, I am enclosing herewith ^{blank} ^{filled out with} acknowledgment for spring on section 15, T. 16 S., R. 45 E., 13. M. T. County of Bear Lake and also check of \$5.00 covering cost as per your instructions.

As you will note I have not included spring in section 21, T. 16 S., R. 45 E. B. M. Was under the strenuous conditions of the time I have been unable to complete the work and fulfill the requirements of this spring. May I therefore ask you to defer my offering of proof on this spring for one year.

And Oblige

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Yours very truly

E. W. Nelson.

June 30, 1921.

Re: Permit 14889.

Mr. G. A. Nelson,
St. Charles, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of affidavit of proof of completion of work on one unnamed spring covering 2/50 second feet of water appropriated under the above numbered permit. This proof is in proper form and certificate will be issued for the 2/50 second feet of water from this one spring upon receipt of the statutory fee of \$5.00.

In regard to extension of time for offering proof of completion on the other spring will say that you may be allowed an extension of time of four years from August 24, 1921. We enclose herewith blank upon which to make application for such extension as you wish.

We also acknowledge receipt of notice for publication of your intention to submit proof of beneficial use under the above numbered permit of 2/50 second feet of water. Will you kindly indicate the place and Notary Public or other officer authorized to administer oaths, before whom you desire to submit proof also the date you desire to submit proof. This date must be on or before August 24th, 1921, and must allow sufficient time for this notice to be published four weeks prior to the date of taking proof. Also kindly indicate the Newspaper in Bear Lake County in which you desire this publication run. Will you kindly give this your immediate attention in order that the proof may not be delayed, thus bringing down your priority date.

In regard to extension of time for submitting proof of beneficial use on the other spring will say that you may be allowed an extension of time of five years from August 24, 1921. We enclose blank upon which to make application for such extension as you wish. We fail to find the check for \$5.00 which you stated you were enclosing.

Very truly yours,
W. G. SWINDSEN,
Commissioner of Reclamation

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Permit No.
122 889

St. Charles, c. Ida.
July 1921.

Mr. J. G. Swendsen:

Commissioner of Reclamation
Boise, Ida.

Dear Sir: Received your valued favor
of June 30th. Regarding officer before
whom I would submit proof, preferably
Louis H. Booth, Justice of Peace of this
community (if capable) or E. L. McClave,
Notary Public, Montpelier, Ida.

"As to date will say Aug. 20-1921.

In regard to publication of this notice
would you allow me to call your
attention to paragraph 3, page 5,
relative to "General Instructions Relative
to Proof of Completion of Works". Since my
permit calls for less than 6 ⁴/₁₀ second
feet, I take it that you could save
me the expense of publishing the
notice in a newspaper, if so, I shall
appreciate it very much & shall be pleased
to receive blank for the same. Thanking you,
very truly yours

J. A. Nelson.

P.S. Money Order was forwarded in
a later letter. Trust it reached you.

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July 8, 1921.

Re: Permit 14889.

Mr. C. A. Nelson,
St. Charles, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of yours of the 5th inst. regarding proof of beneficial use under the above permit.

In regard to publication of notice of intention to submit proof of beneficial use will say that under a permit, two proofs are necessary before license will issue. One proof of completion of works and one proof of beneficial use of water. The proof of completion of works does not require advertising if the amount claimed is under 6.4 second feet. You have submitted this proof together with fee of \$5.00 and Certificate of Completion of Works will be issued you in a short time. However, the proof of beneficial use of water which you desire to make on August 20th must be advertised, regardless of the amount of water claimed.

We have set August 20th as the date, before Louis H. Booth at St. Charles, Idaho, and this notice will be published in the Montpelier Examiner for four weeks previous to August 20th, at your expense.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWENDSEN,
Commissioner of Reclamation

By

Chief Clerk.

MB

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July 13, 1921.

Re: Permit 14889.

Mr. G. A. Nelson,
St. Charles, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

We are this day mailing one copy of your notice of proof of beneficial use of water under the above numbered permit to the Montpelier Examiner for the required four weeks publication. Deposition blanks will be mailed to Louis H. Booth, N. P. in time for proof to be made August 20th.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWENDSEN,
Commissioner of Reclamation

By

MB

Chief Clerk.

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

BOISE

Boise, Idaho, July 13, 1921.

Montpelier Examiner,
Montpelier, Idaho.

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed find Notice for Publication under Permit no. 14889 which please publish once a week for four consecutive weeks in your paper. The expense of this publication will be paid by G. A. Nelson, St. Charles, Idaho to whom you will please furnish proof of publication of this notice on or before date of proof.

Please promptly acknowledge receipt of this notice, and kindly mail me your first issue containing its publication that I may compare it with my records.

Yours truly,

W. G. SWENDSEN,

Commissioner of Reclamation

(P. O.)

(Date)

Commissioner of Reclamation, Boise.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of.....enclosing notice of proof under Permit No. which will be published as you request, beginning with our issue of.....

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Notice of Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use

Notice is hereby given that at 10 a. m. on the 25 day of Aug, 1921,
 at St. Charles, County of Bear Lake State of Idaho,
 before Louis H Booth, J.P., proof will be submitted
 of the application to beneficial use of 250 cubic feet per second of the
 waters of unnamed spring in accordance with the terms and conditions of
 Permit No. 14889 heretofore issued by the State Engineer of the State of Idaho.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit are G. A. Nelson. St. Charles, Idaho.
2. The use to which said water has been applied is irrigation and domestic purposes.
3. The amount applied to beneficial use is 250
4. The place where said water is used (if for irrigation, give full and accurate description of the lands irrigated) Section 15 T16S, R 45E. B.M.
near NW 3/4 of 15
5. The name of the canal or ditch or other works by which said water is conducted to such place of use is unnamed
6. The right to take water from such works is based upon Permit No. 14889
7. The source of supply from which such water is diverted is unnamed spring
8. The date of the priority which said user is prepared to establish is 1914

SW 1/4 of 15
NE 1/4 of 16
16S - 45E

5-0

State Engineer.

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Commissioner of Reclamation, Boise.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of July 13 enclosing notice of proof under
Permit No. 14889 which will be published as you request, beginning with our issue of 7/22/21

(P. O.)

Montpelier, Idaho

(Date)

July 14, 1921

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DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

A. M. Nelson

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The Montpelier Examiner

Independent

H. M. NELSON, EDITOR AND MANAGER

All the News of Bear Lake County. Complete Job Equipment

MONTPELIER, IDAHO.

July 18, 1921

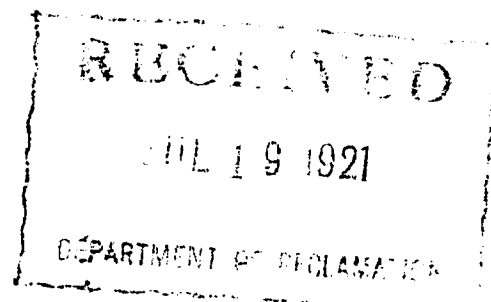
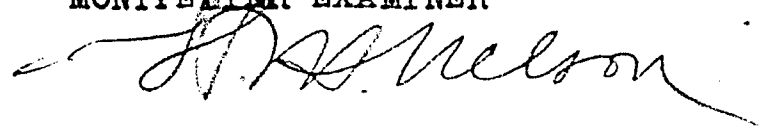
Mr. W. G. Swendsen
State Commissioner of Rec.
Boise, Idaho

Dear Sir:

Herewith proof of notice sent us last week. Will you kindly glance over it and see if it correct. We presumed that paragraphs 5 to 7 inc. were to be omitted.

Respectfully

MONTPELIER EXAMINER



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July 19, 1921.

Re: Permit 14889.

Mr. H. M. Nelson, Editor,
Montpelier Examiner,
Montpelier, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

We return herewith proof of notice in the matter of proof of beneficial use of water by G. A. Nelson. The proof is correct with the exception that the amount of $2/50$ ths seems to be written in rather a mis-leading manner. We suggest that you use an oblique dash instead of the straight line between the figures.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWENDSEN,
Commissioner of Reclamation

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MB

Chief Clerk.

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St. Charles, Ida
June 1921

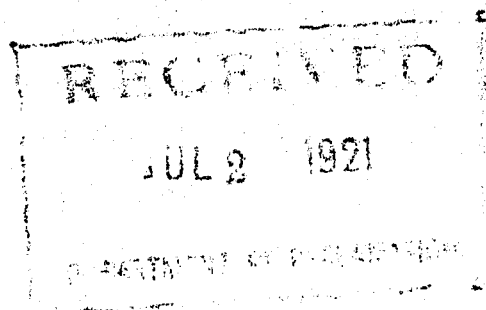
H. G. Swendsen

Department of Reclamation
Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir: I am forwarding herewith
money order of \$5.00 which was over-
looked and thus omitted ^{in application for water} permit No.
14889. Trusting this will not
inconvenience you and be received
in due time.

And Oblige

Very truly yours,
G. A. Nelson



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July 15, 1921.

Re: Permit 14889.

Mr. G. A. Nelson,
St. Charles, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

On checking your affidavit of completion of works, we note that you have not given us enough information, and we are, therefore, returning the same to you for the following corrections:

In paragraph 3, the point of diversion is not stated. The permit gives this as SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 15 and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 21-16S-45E. Kindly indicate the point of diversion from the spring on the affidavit.

In paragraph 8, the description of the lands irrigated is not definite enough. We desire this given by forty-acre tract. The permit states it as NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 15 and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 21-16S-45E. Please give the lands irrigated by forty-acre tract on the affidavit.

If you will give this your immediate attention, certificate will issue at once, upon the receipt of the affidavit in proper form.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWEENEY,
Commissioner of Reclamation

By

NE
Encl.

Chief Clerk.

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St. Charles, Idaho
July 15, 1921.

W. G. Swarden
Commissioner of Reclamation
Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir: Regarding permit no. 14889 I am returning herewith affidavit with corrections as per your instructions.

In regard to publication of notice in Montpelier Examiner. I understand that notice will be printed and above paper will submit bill to me. If this is not correct I will appreciate very much just what action is required on my part. Thanking you, I am,

Yours very truly
G. A. Nelson.

P.S. In case returning of affidavit with correction is too late for proper publication before Aug. 20 - May I ask you to kindly extend time until proper publication can be had.
G.A.N.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

14889

July 22, 1921.

Re: Permit 14889.

Mr. G. A. Nelson,
St. Charles, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of affidavit of proof of completion of works under the above numbered permit.

On checking the land list as given in this affidavit, we find that the permit gives the land to be irrigated in Section 15, to be NW¹/₄ NW¹/₄, while the map submitted with the permit shows the NW¹/₄ SE¹/₄ and the affidavit just submitted shows the SW¹/₄ SW¹/₄. We are at a loss to know which is the correct description of the land which you are irrigating, or desire to irrigate under this permit. If the land irrigated really is the SW¹/₄ SW¹/₄ as shown in the affidavit, it will be necessary that you file an application to amend the land list as given in the permit, together with maps in duplicate, showing the lands, stream and point of diversion from stream. We enclose blanks for that purpose. If the description given in the permit is correct - NW¹/₄ NW¹/₄, kindly correct the affidavit, and we will change the map accordingly to agree with the permit. In either case, the affidavit and permit must agree.

Regarding the advertisement of notice of beneficial proof, as you did not specify the lands in Section 15, we took it for granted that it was the same forty as designated in the permit, namely, NW¹/₄ NW¹/₄, and so inserted it in the notice. This notice was published for the first time today in the Montpelier Examiner. If the NW¹/₄ NW¹/₄ is wrong, will you kindly write the Montpelier Examiner, giving them the correct description and ask them to make the change in their next issue which will be on July 29th, and notify us accordingly. We are asking you to request this change in order to save the time which would be consumed in having you write us and then for us to write the paper. Kindly give this your immediate attention in order that it may be changed in the next issue.

You are correct in assuming that the notice will be printed and the paper will submit the bill to you.

Very truly yours,

W. G. STENDSKE,
Commissioner of Reclamation

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Chief Clerk.

Encl.

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St. Charles, Idaho
July 25-1921.

H. G. Swendsen.

Commissioner of Reclamation
Boise, Idaho.

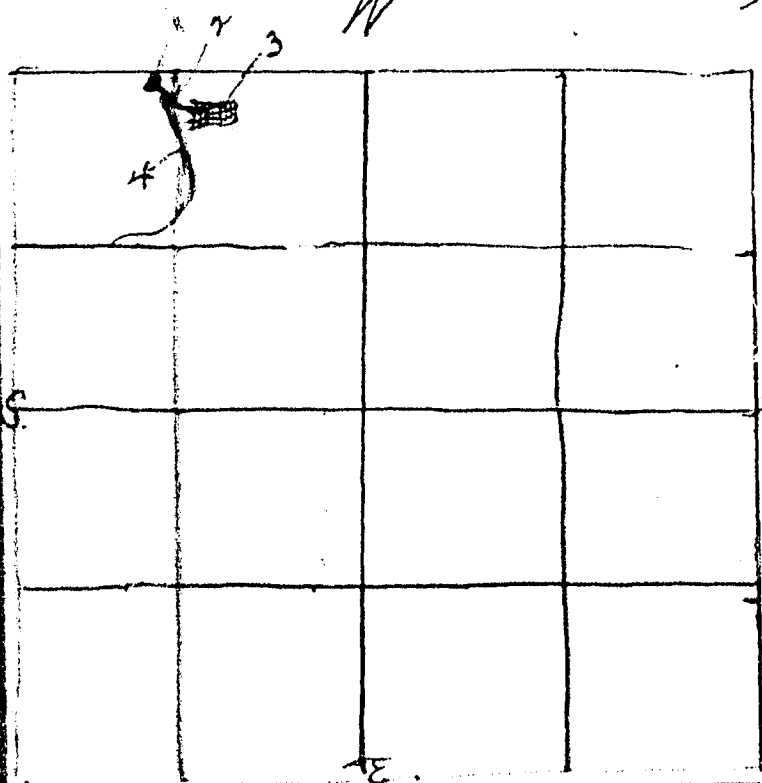
Dear Sir: Your valued favor of the
22nd with affidavit etc. for correction
received.

I am correcting the affidavit
and returning it herewith, also
writing the Montpelier Examiner
requesting the correction in the next
issue as per instructions.

As you will note the land to be
irrigated is located in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$. While
the spring is in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

Yours very truly

G. A. Nelson.



- 1 spring
2 ditch
3 land to irrigated NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$
4 old channel.

14889

Permit No.

4889

STATE OF IDAHO
Department of Reclamation

PROOF OF COMPLETION OF WORKS

AFFIDAVIT OF HOLDER

STATE OF IDAHO,

County of

Bear Lake

ss.

E. A. Nelson, 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. 4889, and that his postoffice address is St. Charles, State of Idaho.

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

unnamed spring.

Third: That the point of division of said water is

S.W. 1/4 S.W. 1/4 of 15 T. 16 S. 45 E. 13. M.

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

Aug. 24, 1921.

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

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: collecting boxes, pipes 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 feet, depth of water feet; diameter of pipe

2 inches, average grade per mile is about 350 ft. miles.

Seventh: That said works are capable of conducting to the place of intended use 7/8 second feet of water.

Eighth: That water appropriated under said permit is available for 2 acres of land described as follows: Section 13, T. 16 S. R. 45 E.

13. M. in N.W. 1/4 S.W. 1/4

Ninth: Remarks: That

(Sign here)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of June, 1921.

Edwin H. McLean

Notary Public.

My commission expires March 1, 1922.

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August 3, 1921.

Re: Permit 14889.

Mr. G. A. Nelson,
St. Charles, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

We enclose herewith Certificate of Completion
of Works issued under the above numbered permit,
together with receipt for fee.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWEEDSEN,
Commissioner of Reclamation

By

Chief Clerk.

MB
Encl

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State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

BOISE

INSTRUCTIONS

PROOF OF BENEFICIAL USE

August 12, 1921.

BOISE, IDAHO,

Mr. G. A. Nelson,
c/o Louis H. Booth, W. P.,
St. Charles, Idaho.

DEAR SIR:

I enclose herewith the following forms to be used in connection with proof of application of water to beneficial use under Permit No. 14865

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 the permit holder's rights:

August 20, 1921

1. On _____, the date set for the proof of application of water to beneficial use, the enclosed deposition forms (one for permit holder and one each for two witnesses), St. Charles, Idaho, before Louis H. Booth, W. P., should be filled out and sworn to at _____

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 examining engineer, you will be further advised as to fees due before issuing license.

Yours truly,

W. G. SWENDSEN,

Commissioner of Reclamation.

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PERMIT NO. 14889**Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use****Deposition of Holder**

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

Ans.

G. A. Nelson, St. Charles, Idaho Antelope Flat,
age 34, occupation farming, P.O. address St. Charles, Id.

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

Ans.

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

Ans.

No. 14889; date of permit Aug. 28-1921.
date of priority June 14, 1920.

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

Ans.

Unnamed spring - at spring in S. W. 1/4 Sec. 15,
Township 16 S. 45 E. 13. W.

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.

Works: Bores in which water is collected, is
then piped to central box and then piped to
trough, which is used for watering stock & work
horses, overflow from trough going into
ditch and carried to land for irrigation.

Ques. 6. State for what purpost 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 cultivate or natural meadow land and the nature of all improvement which have been made as a direct result of said use.

Ans.

For domestic purposes watering work horses,
other stock, and surplus for irrigation
during seasons of sufficient flow. On N. W. 1/4
S. W. 1/4 Sec. 15 - About one acre.

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

Ans.

Ques. 8. What is the minimum amount of water required for the 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.

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

Ans. This water has been enclosed by fence and regularly used for culinary purposes since 1914. and sometime later (over 2 yrs) work for irrigation were constructed, &

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 right claimed thereunder.

Ans. none

(Sign)

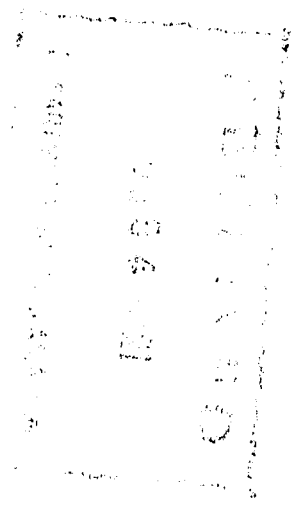
G. A. Nelson

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 Shoshone County of Sevier Lake State of Idaho, on this Twenty (20) day of April A. D. 1921

James G. Bond

Notary Public

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Permit No.

Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use

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DEPOSITION OF WITNESS

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

Ans. Brenzo Booth - 30 yrs. Antelope Flat, Ida.
P.O. address St. Charles, Ida.

Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with G. A. Nelson, the holder of Permit No. 14889? How long have you known him and where does he reside?

Ans. During my life time - Antelope Flat
& St. Charles, Ida.

Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 14889, 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. Unimpaired springs in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ & SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 15.
Township 16 S. 45 E. 12. M. by boxes, pipes,
watering troughs and ditch.

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. Large enough to carry 350 second feet - have
seen about 350 at second foot.

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. For culinary use & irrigating garden
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ & SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 15. T. 16 S. 45 E. 12. M.

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

Ans. ✓

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

Ans. 2 acres of garden, potatoes etc. - many
times more water than spring produce.

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

Ans. 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 6 years, by visits to his farm & in passing to & from from homestead on Antelope Cr.
This water being used for culinary purposes &
overflow diverted to land.

(Sign) Louise Smith

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 Blaine County of Blaine

State of Idaho, on this twentieth (20) day of August A. D. 1921

Louise Smith
Notary Public

My commission expires _____

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Permit No. 14889Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use

DEPOSITION OF WITNESS

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

Ans. Arthur L. Windley - 2940 St. Charles, Ida.
Farming - P.O. address St. Charles, Ida.Ques. 2. Are you acquainted with G. A. Nelson, the holder of Permit No. 14889? How long have you known him and where does he reside?Ans. Yes - life time.Ques. 3. Have you read or heard read said Permit No. 14889, 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. Unnamed spring - at spring -
Big wooden box that water is drained
into then piped from there into trough
for stock & work horses - Overflow carries
in ditch for potatoes grown.

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. Estimate of 3/50 amt would convey.
Have seen about 30 conveyed.

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. For culinary and irrigation.
N. W. 1/4, S. W. 1/4 Sec. 15 T. 16 S. R. 5 E. B. M.
Cultivated land - Potatoes grown on land.
Also natural meadow land below.

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

Ans. ✓

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

Ans. Two acres of potatoes grown on rich
loam soil - Considerable more water than
the spring produces.

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

Ans. No.

Ques. 10. State when, how, in what amount and to what extent you have witnessed the application to beneficial use of water diverted under said permit.

Ans. By presence of being employed
and farm in various times each year
since 1914.

(Sign) Arthur L Windley

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 St. Charles, County of Blaine, State of Idaho, on this 1st day of August A. D. 1921

Arthur L Windley
Notary Public.

My commission expires.....

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AUG 24 1921

DEPARTMENT OF RECLAMATION

St. Charles, Idaho.

Aug 20, 1921.

Notice for Publication

NOTICE OF PROOF OF APPLICATION OF WATER TO BENEFICIAL USE.

Notice is hereby given that at 10 a. m. on the 20th day of August, 1921, at St. Charles County of Bear Lake, State of Idaho, before Louis H. Booth, Justice of the Peace, proof will be submitted of the application to beneficial use of 2/50 cubic feet per second of the waters of unnamed spring in accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 14889 heretofore issued by the State Engineer of the State of Idaho.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit are G. A. Nelson, St. Charles, Idaho.

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

3. The amount applied to beneficial use is 2/50.

4. The place where said water is used (if for irrigation, give full and accurate description of the lands irrigated) N W 1/4 S W 1/4 Sec. 15, T. 16 S. R. 45 E., B. M.

5. The date of the priority which said user is prepared to establish is June 14, 1920.

W. G. SWENDSEN,
Commissioner of Reclamation

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This is to certify that I have read in four consecutive issues of the Montpelier Examiner (Issues of July 29, Aug. 5, Aug. 12, and Aug. 19, 1921) Notice of proof of application of water to beneficial use in behalf of G. A. Nelson of St. Charles, Idaho of which the attached slip is a copy.

Scol. Edgar Holmgren

I do hereby certify that the foregoing testimony was read to the above subscribed before its signing, that I know 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 St. Charles, County of Bear Lake, State of Idaho, on this 20th day of August, 1921

Louis H. Booth,
Justice of the Peace

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August 24, 1921.

Re: Permit No. 14889.

Mr. G. A. Nelson,
St. Charles, Idaho.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of depositions of proof in connection with application of water to beneficial use under the above numbered permit. You seem to misunderstand just what was desired by "Affidavit of Publication". The affidavit of publication which is required by this Department in connection with this proof may be obtained from the Publisher of the Paper in which the notice was published, by paying the charges for the same and requesting an affidavit of publication.

The proof papers will be placed on file, and after an examination of your lands is made by a representative of this Department as required by the statutes, you will again be notified in connection with issuance of license.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWENDSEN,
Commissioner of Reclamation

By

ME

Chief Clerk.

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The Montpelier Examiner

Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF IDAHO, }
County of Bear Lake } ss.

H. A. Nelson

being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he

is the Publisher

of The MONTPELIER EXAMINER; that the said MONTPELIER EXAMINER is a weekly newspaper published at Montpelier, County of Bear Lake, State of Idaho, of general circulation in said county and state.

That the notice attached was published in the said MONTPELIER EXAMINER, and not in a

supplement, for Four

successive weeks, commencing with the issue dat-

ed July 29, 1921

and ending with the issue dated August 19, 1921

H. A. Nelson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of Sept, 1921

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3. The amount applied to beneficial use is 2/50.

4. The place where said water is used (if for irrigation, give full and accurate description of the lands irrigated) NW 1/4 S W 1/4 Sec. 15, T. 16 S. R. 45 E., B. M.

8. The date of the priority which said user is prepared to establish is June 14, 1920.

W. G. SWENDSEN,
Commissioner of
Reclamation

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JESSE P. RICH
ATTORNEY AT LAW
LOGAN, UTAH

June 23th 1922

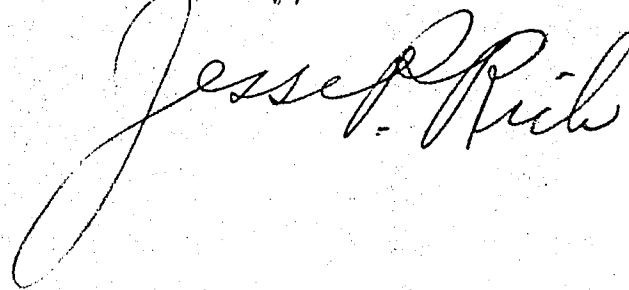
Department of Reclamation,
Boise, Idaho.

Gentlemen:-

In-re Permit no. 14889, G.A. Nelson.

On August 24th you wrote Mr. Nelson,*
that you would make an examination of the property
and works on which he had appropriated the water
from the unnamed springs, and stated that you would
later make an examination of the lands and issue a
license. Mr. Nelson has now passed away and his
estate is being probated. I would therefore thank you
to let me know whether or not anything further
has been done in this matter, or what the status
of it is at the present time.

Yours truly,



JPR:ZL

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July 5, 1922.

Re: Permit No. 14889-G. A. Nelson.

Mr. Jesse P. Rich,
Attorney at law,
Logan, Utah.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to yours of the 28th ult. would say that we were unable to get the examination made on beneficial use of water under the above permit last Fall and have not yet put a man in the field in that part of the State. However, we will have an engineer out during the season who will take care of this proof along with several others in that part of the State. No rights will be lost for the applicant by reason of the delay in making this report.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWENDSEN,

Commissioner of Reclamation.

By

Chief Clerk.

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REPORT OF ENGINEER

This proof is for Beneficial Use.In Water District No. 5-01. State name of applicant and number of permit: G. A. Nelson - 148892. State source of water supply: Unnamed spring3. Location of point of diversion: SW ~~1~~¹/₄ Sec. 15; Twp. 16 S., R. 45 E., B.M.

4. Describe works as they exist, giving dimensions and capacities of same:

Trough 10' x 14" x 16"2' square box and 40' 1" pipe.Ditch, 1' bottom, 5" deep, 1/8 mile.5. State whether or not water has been turned into works of diversion: Yes.6. Give exact location 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): ✓ NW ~~1~~¹/₄ Sec. 15-16S-45ESW 1/4 SW 1/4, 1/4 A. In Sec. 15, T. 16 S. R. 45E., B. M.

7. Submit map on enclosed plat, showing location and details of above description.

8. How many parties conduct water in this system? One.

9. Give names and amount of each right:

G. A. Nelson, as above.

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

11. Describe the various tributaries en route, from point of diversion to the principal drainage stream:

Water sinks a short distance from spring.

Remarks:

This examination was made on the 20th day of August 1922.

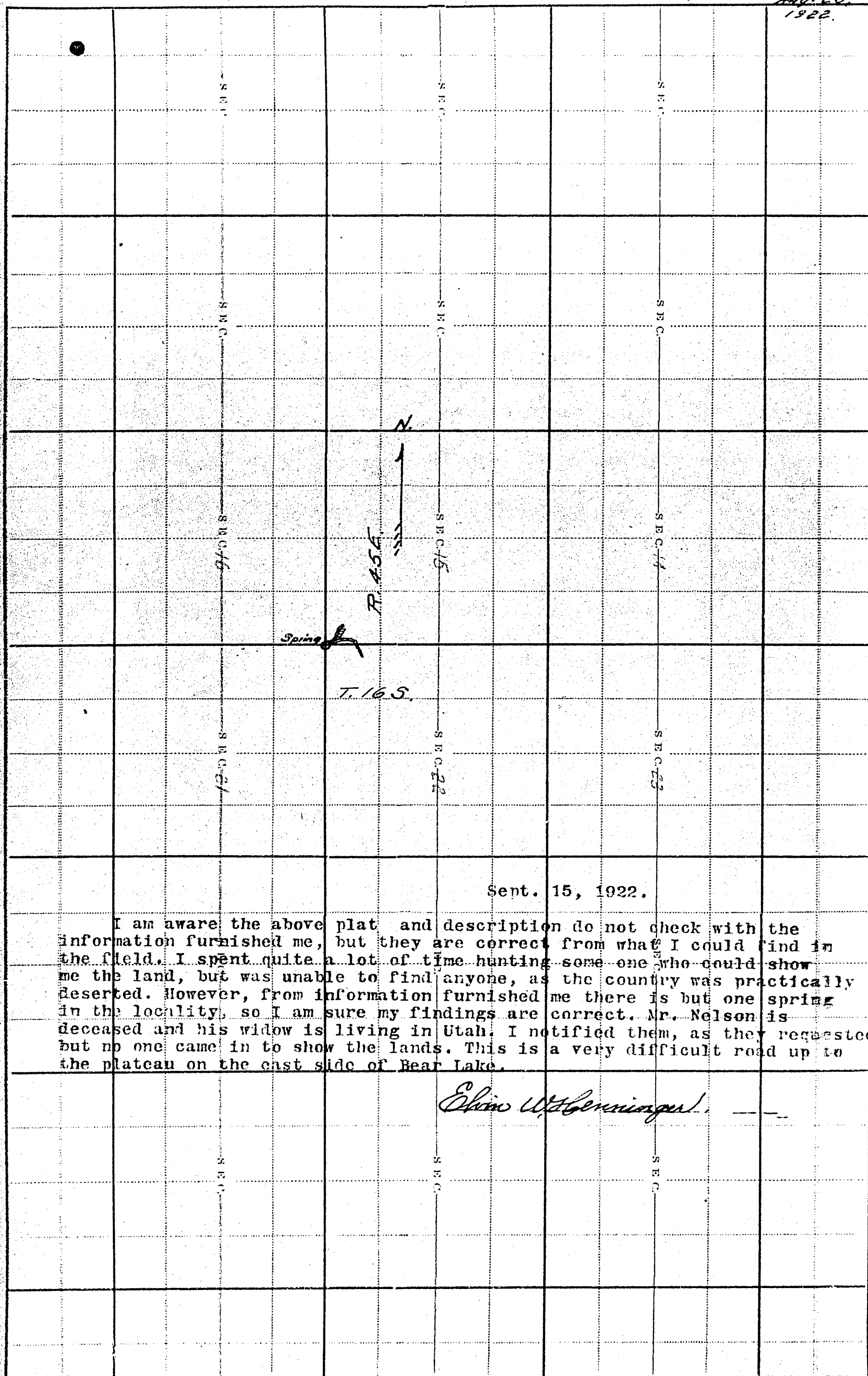
(Signed)

Chas. W. Henningsen

Examiner.

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JESSE P. RICH
ATTORNEY AT LAW
LOGAN, UTAH

Oct. 11th 1922

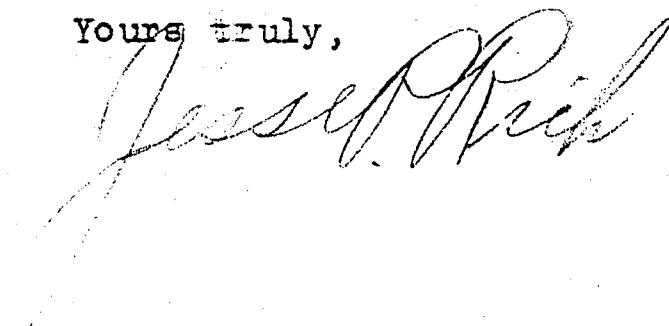
Mr. W.G. Swendsen,
Commissioner of Reclamation,
Boise, Idaho.

Dear Sir:-

In-re Permit No. 14889

Sometime ago we received notice that your man was going to inspect the springs filed on by G.A. Nelson, by virtue of this permit. We have not yet been advised whether or not the report was favorable. As we received the notice the day after the man was supposed to have inspected the springs, our course we could neither be there or have anyone there, but would thank you to let us know whether or not the report was favorable or otherwise and what the status of the permit is at the present time.

Yours truly,



JPR:ZL

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October 16, 1922.

Re: Permit No. 14889-G. A. Nelson.

Mr. Jesse P. Rich,
Attorney at Law,
Logan, Utah.

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of the 11th inst., would say that the report of the engineer was received September 30th.

The description of the land as given by the engineer does not agree with the Permit. The report shows one-fourth of an acre under cultivation and irrigation in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 15, Township 16 South, Range 45 East, instead of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of said section. The map with the report of the engineer shows the spring to be on the line between Sections 15, 16, 21 and 22. It will, therefore, be necessary, before issuing a license, for the holder to advise us whether or not the permit is in error in giving the land in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ instead of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 15.

The fees due this office before issuing license are \$2.00.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWENDSEN,
Commissioner of Reclamation

By

Chief Clerk.

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JESSE P. RICH
ATTORNEY AT LAW
LOGAN, UTAH

Oct. 24th 1922

Department of Reclamation,
Boise, Idaho.

Gentlemen:-

In-re Permit number 14389-G.A. Nelson.

Replying to yours of the 16th inst., wherein you state that the map with the report of the engineer shows the spring in question to be on the line between Sections 15, 16, 21 and 22, tp. 16 South Range 45 E. beg to reply that after investigating, we have come to the conclusion that the engineer's report is wrong as to the location of the springs. He must have made a mistake and put the springs 30 rods too far South, as the spring is located at or very near the N.W. corner of the S.W. quarter of the SW quarter of section 15. Mrs. Nelson, has a deed to the NW quarter of the SW quarter of section 15 and is buying the SW quarter of the SW quarter of said section 15 because the spring is either on that quarter or on her land, but with the supposition that it is on that quarter. And the land irrigated is in the NW quarter of the SW quarter of said section.

We were afraid that something of this sort might happen and therefore suggested that we be advised in advance when the engineer was going to make the inspection so that we could be of assistance in helping him locate the spring upon the ground. We do not know who took him out or just how he located it, but feel very confident that a mistake has been made on the location of the spring. The notice we received reached us the day after the engineer was supposed to have inspected the spring and therefore was of no use to us. We want to do what we can to get this matter straightened up and would suggest that the engineer who made the inspection check up again on his notes and see what the trouble is.

Very respectfully yours,

JPR:EL

Jesse P. Rich

14389

November 15, 1922.

Re: Permit No. 14889. G. A. Nelson.

Mr. Jesse P. Rich,
Attorney at law,
Logan, Utah.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of October 24th would say that, upon receipt of an affidavit from the holder, and one witness, stating forth the fact that they know the land irrigated to be in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 15, 15S-45 E., and not in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of said section, we will issue the license accordingly. The engineer in his report states as follows: "I am aware the above plat and description do not check with the information furnished me, but they are correct from what I could find in the field".

The fees due for this proof, before license can be issued, amount to \$2.00.

Very truly yours,

W. G. SWENDSEN,

Commissioner of Reclamation.

By
Chief Clerk.

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JESSE P. RICH
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
45 WEST BLOCK - PHONE 855
LOGAN, UTAH

Dec. 18th 1922

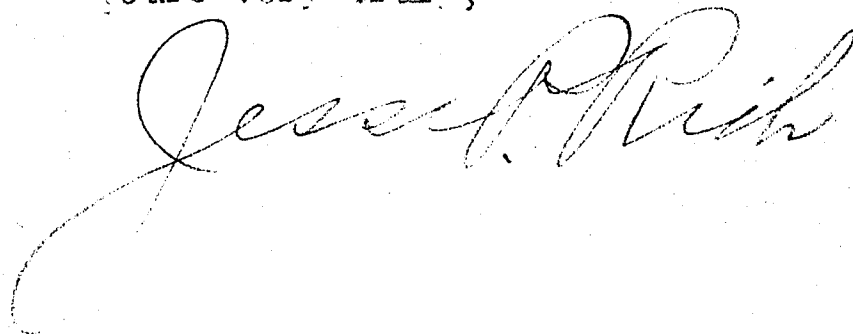
Department of Reclamation,
Capitol Bldg.,
Boise, Idaho.

Gentlemen:-

In-re Mrs. C. A. Nelson
Application number 21013

Inclosed please find the affidavit which you suggested we forward to you before the water in question was used. The party has resided on this land for sometime and we think there is no doubt about where the water was actually use. We are also sending a check for \$2.00, so that the final papers may be issued as per your instruction.

yours very truly,



JPR:ZL

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE

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IN-re Application a for permit
to appropriate the public waters of the
State of Idaho, application number 21013
permit number 14889

STATE OF UTAH.

83.

COUNTY OF CACHE.

Mrs. G.A. Nelson, being first duly sworn deposes and says that she is the holder of the above and foregoing permit number 14889, to use water on the Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of section 15, twp. 16 South range 45 East Boise Meridian. That she is well and personally acquainted with the land irrigated from the spring mentioned in the aforesaid permit, and she knows of her own knowledge that the land irrigated by said spring is in the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of said section 15, and not in the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of said section. That this affiant purchased the said Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of said section 15, on account of the fact that said spring rises on the said Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of section 15, and runs in a northeasterly direction onto the northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of said section 15. That this affiant has lived on and owned at all times herein mentioned, and still owns the land in question, and has had occasion many times to check up on the description with United States Land office.

Mrs. G. A. Nelson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *9th* day of December 1922.

Jesse P. Rich
NOTARY PUBLIC RESIDING AT LOGAN, UTAH

My commission expires *July 11, 1926*.

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December 26, 1922.

Re: Permit No. 14889
G. A. Nelson.

Mr. Jesse P. Rich,
Logan, Utah.

Dear Sir:

We are inclosing herewith Water License,
issued under the above numbered Permit, together
with receipt for fees.

Very truly yours,

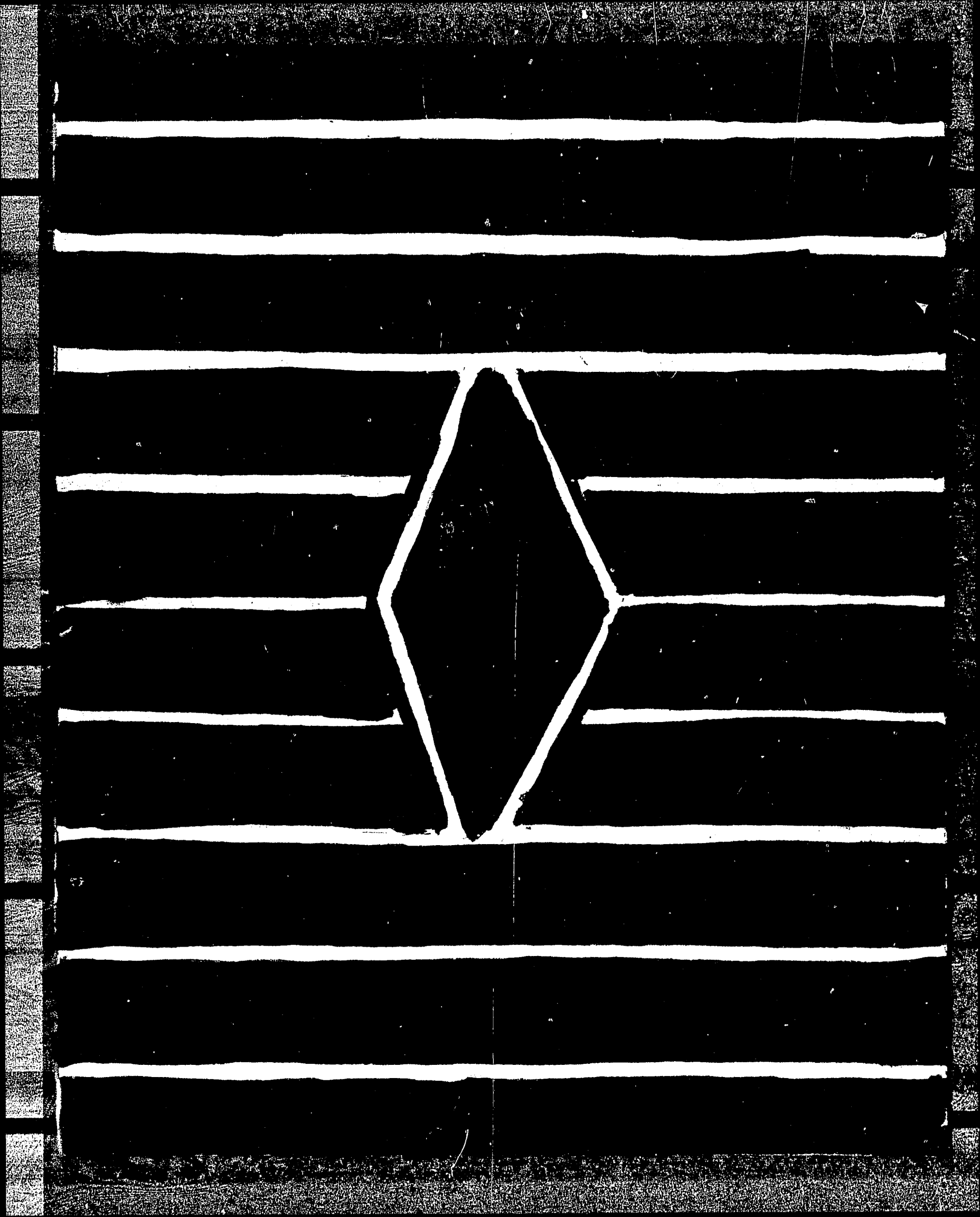
W. G. SWENDSEN,

Commissioner of Reclamation

By

Chief Clerk.

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State of Idaho
License and Certificate of Water Right

Water License No. 14889
Water District No. 5-0

Amount 2/50 sec. ft.
Priority 6-14-20

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that G. A. Nelson
of St. Charles, Idaho, made application for a permit to appropriate the
public waters of the State of Idaho, dated June 14, 19 20; that Permit No. 14889
was issued under said application; that Certificate of Completion of works, with a carrying capacity of
2/50 second feet, was issued thereunder on August 3, 19 21, showing that said works
were completed on the 27th day of June, 19 21; and that on the 20th
day of August, 19 21,

G. A. Nelson

of St. Charles, State of Idaho, made proof to the satisfaction of the
Commissioner of Reclamation of Idaho, of the right to use the waters of two unnamed
springs, a tributary of Bear Lake, for the purpose of irrigation &
domestic use, under Use Permit No. 14889 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 6 of Licenses, at page 3013-B, on the 22d day of December, 19 22;

The right hereby confirmed dates from June 14, 19 20;

The Point of Diversion is located
in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 15, Tp. 16 S., R. 45 E., B. M.
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 21, County of Bear Lake.

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 2/50 cubic feet per second.

Description and location of use:

Twp.	Range	Sec.	Forty-acre Tract	No. Acres Described in Permit	No. Acres Actually Irrigated
16 S.	45 E.	15 21	NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	2 1	2 1

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 22d day of December, 19 22.

W. G. SWENDSEN,
Commissioner of Reclamation.

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