

STATE OF OREGON  
COUNTY OF JOSEPHINE  
**CERTIFICATE OF WATER RIGHT**

**This Is to Certify, That**      G. C. SHERIER

of      Cave Junction      , State of      Oregon      , has made proof  
to the satisfaction of the STATE ENGINEER of Oregon, of a right to the use of the waters of  
French Flat wasteway  
a tributary of      East Fork of Illinois River      for the purpose of  
Irrigation  
under Permit No. 12643      of the State Engineer, and that said right to the use of said waters  
has been perfected in accordance with the laws of Oregon; that the priority of the right hereby  
confirmed dates from May 15, 1937;

that the amount of water to which such right is entitled and hereby confirmed, for the purposes  
aforesaid, is limited to an amount actually beneficially used for said purposes, and shall not exceed  
0.48 cubic foot per second,

or its equivalent in case of rotation, measured at the point of diversion from the stream.  
The point of diversion is located in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 2, Township 40 South, Range  
8 West, W. M.

The amount of water used for irrigation, together with the amount secured under any other  
right existing for the same lands, shall be limited to one-fiftieth of one cubic foot per second  
per acre, or its equivalent for each acre irrigated throughout the irrigation season  
from April 1st to November 1st of each year,

and shall

conform to such reasonable rotation system as may be ordered by the proper state officer.

A description of the place of use under the right hereby confirmed, and to which such right is  
appurtenant, is as follows:

2 acres in Lot 8 (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ )  
20 acres in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$   
2 acres in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$   
Section 35

Township 39 South, Range 8 West, W. M.

French Flat wasteway is a natural water course beginning in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 22, 40 - 8  
and meandering nearly north through Secs. 15, 10 and 5, dipping east for a few hundred  
feet into Sec. 2, at the point of diversion. It carries the run-off and at times the  
excess waste mine water from the Esterly mine (Waldo and Scotch Gulch ditches -  
priority 1853 - all year mining rights) and empties into the East Fork of the Illinois  
River. The applicant herein understands that as the French Flat wasteway is not the  
regular outlet of the Esterly mine water (same being through the Logan Cut into the  
West Fork of the Illinois), he may not demand that Esterly waste water be diverted  
into said French Flat wasteway to satisfy this right, at any time.

The right to the use of the water for the purposes aforesaid is restricted to the lands or place of  
use herein described.

WITNESS the signature of the State Engineer, affixed

this 1st day of May, 1941

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN

State Engineer

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