

BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON

UMATILLA COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF G. D. HITCHCOCK FOR THE APPROVAL)
OF A CHANGE IN POINT OF DIVERSION)
OF WATER FROM THE WALLA WALLA RIVER.)

ORDER
APPROVING APPLICATION

On April 20, 1936, G. D. Hitchcock, of Milton, Oregon, filed an application for the approval of a change in point of diversion of water from the Walla Walla River.

By decree of the Court for Umatilla County, dated May 16, 1932, a water right was recognized in the name of G. D. Hitchcock for the irrigation of .86 acre in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 12, Township 5 North, Range 35 East, W. M., through the Milton Ditch from the Walla Walla River, with a date of priority of 1875.

The applicant herein proposes to convey the water through the Miller Ditch in lieu of the Milton Ditch, the point of diversion of the Milton Ditch being located 340 feet north and 1120 feet east of the southwest corner of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, section, township and range aforesaid, and the point of diversion of the Miller Ditch being located 175 feet south and 1270 feet east from the center of Section 12, same township and range.


The distance between the present and proposed points of diversion being less than one-quarter mile, notice by publication as provided by Section 47-712, Oregon Code 1930, is not required.

W. S. Caverhill and W. E. Miller, owners of the Miller Ditch, having given their written consent to such transfer, and J. M. Spencer, Watermaster, having submitted a report to the effect that the proposed change in point of diversion can be made without injury to existing rights,

It is hereby ORDERED that said change in point of diversion be and the same is hereby approved.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 29th day of April, 1936.

Noted on Decree
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CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer