

**\*APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT**

**To Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Oregon**

I, Rogue River Gold Company, a corporation  
(Name of applicant)  
of Rogue River, County of Jackson,  
(Postoffice)  
State of Oregon does ~~not~~ hereby make application for a permit to appropriate the following described public waters of the State of Oregon, **SUBJECT TO EXISTING RIGHTS:**

If the applicant is a corporation, give date and place of incorporation Delaware  
September, 1928

1. The source of the proposed appropriation is Dog Creek, a tributary of  
(Name of stream)  
Grave Creek, a tributary of Rogue River

2. The amount of water which the applicant intends to apply to beneficial use is 5  
cubic feet per second.  
(If water is to be used from more than one source, give quantity from each)

\*\*3. The use to which the water is to be applied is placer mining by dredging  
(Irrigation, power, mining, manufacturing, domestic supplies, etc.)

4. The point of diversion is located 1310 ft. south and 320 ft. west from the section  
(N. or S.) (E. or W.)  
corner ~~of~~ common to Secs. 4, 5, 8 & 9, T. 34 S., R. 6 W.W.M.  
(Section or subdivision)  
(If preferable, give distance and bearing to section corner)

(If there is more than one point of diversion, each must be described. Use separate sheet if necessary)  
being within the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 8, Tp. 34 S,  
(Give smallest legal subdivision) (N. or S.)  
R. 6 W., W. M., in the county of Josephine  
(E. or W.)

5. The ditch to be 4040  
(Main ditch, canal or pipe line) (Miles or feet)  
in length, terminating in the E $\frac{1}{2}$  of S $\frac{1}{2}$  of S $\frac{1}{2}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 5, Tp. 34 S,  
(Smallest legal subdivision) (N. or S.)  
R. 6 W., W. M., the proposed location being shown throughout on the accompanying map.  
(E. or W.)

**DESCRIPTION OF WORKS**

**DIVERSION WORKS—**

6. (a) Height of dam 8 feet, length on top 80 feet, length at bottom  
70 feet; material to be used and character of construction timber crib filled with  
(Loose rock, concrete, masonry,  
rock, wasteway over dam.  
rock and brush, timber crib, etc., wasteway over or around dam)

(b) Description of headgate One Timber Opening, 24" x 24"  
(Timber, concrete, etc., number and size of openings)

(c) If water is to be pumped give general description  
(Size and type of pump)  
(Size and type of engine or motor to be used, total head water is to be lifted, etc.)

\* A different form of application is provided where storage works are contemplated.

\*\* Applications for permits to appropriate water for the generation of electricity, with the exception of municipalities, must be made to the Hydroelectric Commission. Either of the above forms may be secured, without cost, together with instructions by addressing the State Engineer, Salem, Oregon.

CANAL SYSTEM ~~on Pipe Lines~~ Total Length 4040 feet.

7. (a) Give dimensions at each point of canal where materially changed in size, stating miles from headgate. At headgate: width on top (at water line)  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 feet; width on bottom  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet; depth of water  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet; grade 1.33 feet fall per one thousand feet.  $\frac{1}{4}$ " to 16". Same dimensions throughout entire length of ditch.

(b) At \_\_\_\_\_ miles from headgate: width on top (at water line) \_\_\_\_\_ feet; width on bottom \_\_\_\_\_ feet; depth of water \_\_\_\_\_ feet; grade \_\_\_\_\_ feet fall per one thousand feet. There are slight irregularities in ditch, but essentially it is intended to have a cross-section of at least 18" x 18" of water flow

(c) Length of pipe, \_\_\_\_\_ ft.; size at intake, \_\_\_\_\_ in.; size at \_\_\_\_\_ ft. from intake \_\_\_\_\_ in.; size at place of use \_\_\_\_\_ in.; difference in elevation between intake and place of use, \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Is grade uniform? \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated capacity, \_\_\_\_\_ sec. ft.

8. Location of area ~~to be irrigated~~, or place of use for placer mining by dredge:

Township	Range	Section	Forty-acre Tract	Number Acres To Be Irrigated
34 S	6 W	8	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	
			NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	
		5	S $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	
			E $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	
NOTE: The actual portions of the above tracts on which the water is to be used beneficially for mining is outlined in gold-colored pencil and marked "Proposed Dredging Limits" on the enclosed map.				

(If more space required, attach separate sheet)

(a) Character of soil Clay over gravel

(b) Kind of crops raised none

POWER OR MINING PURPOSES—

9. (a) Total amount of power to be developed \_\_\_\_\_ theoretical horsepower.

(b) Quantity of water to be used for power \_\_\_\_\_ sec. ft.

(c) Total fall to be utilized \_\_\_\_\_ feet.  
(Head)

(d) The nature of the works by means of which the power is to be developed \_\_\_\_\_

(e) Such works to be located in \_\_\_\_\_ of Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Legal subdivision)

Tp. \_\_\_\_\_, R. \_\_\_\_\_, W. M.  
(No. N. or S.) (No. E. or W.)

(f) Is water to be returned to any stream? yes  
(Yes or No)

(g) If so, name stream and locate point of return Grave Creek

SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 5, Tp. 34 S, R. 6 W, W. M.  
(No. N. or S.) (No. E. or W.)

(h) The use to which power is to be applied is \_\_\_\_\_

(i) The nature of the mines to be served 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  ft. electrically operated floating dredge, capacity 5000 cu. yds. per day.

MUNICIPAL OR DOMESTIC SUPPLY—

10. (a) To supply the city of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ County, having a present population of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of)  
and an estimated population of \_\_\_\_\_ in 193\_\_\_\_\_

(b) If for domestic use state number of families to be supplied \_\_\_\_\_

(Answer questions 11, 12, 13, and 14 in all cases)

- 11. Estimated cost of proposed works, \$ <sup>470</sup> \$220 constructing dam. <sup>\$250</sup> cleaning out and repairing ditch. to be done in sections as needed.
- 12. Construction work will begin on or before May 1, 1936
- 13. Construction work will be completed on or before September 1, 1936
- 14. The water will be completely applied to the proposed use on or before Immediately, by the natural course of the bed of Dog Creek; by May 15, 1936 by use of the above ditch.

Rogue River Gold Company  
(Signature of applicant)  
By D. H. Ferry  
Vice-President & Manager

Signed in the presence of us as witnesses:

- (1) Niel R. Allen \_\_\_\_\_, 1st Nat. Bank Bldg., Grants Pass, Ore.  
(Name) (Address of witness)
- (2) S. S. Faucett \_\_\_\_\_, Grants Pass, Oregon  
(Name) (Address of witness)

Remarks: We consider that we are already entitled to the use of this water through the purchase from the Lewis Investment Co. of this land and its water rights; furthermore the ditch we propose to utilize was constructed about 50 years ago and used these many years for placer mining on this same property. Also the dam and ditch are located on our property. Also there are no other users of Dog Creek waters below our intake. This application is being filed as an extra precaution to insure priority in case others file with the idea of holding us up.

STATE OF OREGON, }  
County of Marion, } ss.

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, together with the accompanying maps and data, and return the same for \_\_\_\_\_

Correction

In order to retain its priority, this application must be returned to the State Engineer, with corrections on or before August 3, 1935.

WITNESS my hand this 3rd day of July, 1935.

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN

STATE ENGINEER

Application No. 15903

Permit No. 11770

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF OREGON

Division No. District No.

This instrument was first received in the office of the State Engineer at Salem, Oregon,

on the 28th day of June

1935, at 8:00 o'clock A.M.

Returned to applicant:

Corrected application received:

Approved:

September 28, 1935

Recorded in book No. 33 of

Permits on page 11770

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN STATE ENGINEER

Drainage Basin No. 15 Page 375-D

Fees Paid \$14.00

STATE OF OREGON, County of Marion. ss.

PERMIT

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application and do hereby grant the same, subject to existing rights and the following limitations and conditions:

The right herein granted is limited to the amount of water which can be applied to beneficial use and shall not exceed 5.0 cubic feet per second measured at the point of diversion from the stream, or its equivalent in case of rotation with other water users, from

Dog Creek

The use to which this water is to be applied is Placer mining by dredging

If for irrigation, this appropriation shall be limited to of one cubic foot per second

and shall be subject to such reasonable rotation system as may be ordered by the proper state officer.

The priority date of this permit is June 28, 1935

Actual construction work shall begin on or before September 28, 1936 and shall thereafter be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before Oct. 1, 1937

Complete application of the water to the proposed use shall be made on or before Oct. 1, 1938

WITNESS my hand this 28th day of September, 1935

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN STATE ENGINEER