Mr. James T. Chinnock, Attorney-at-Law, Grants Pass, Oregon.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of Objections of the Pleasant Valley District Improvement Company, et al, to the proposed change in use of water by <u>William Killis</u>. I note that a copy of the Objections have been served upon Mr. Chas. W. Reames, attorney for Mr. Hillis.

Objections were also filed by G. M. Roberts on behalf of Mr. D. C. Hougham, and we were advised on September 24th that they desired a postponement of the hearing until about October 11th. We have therefore notified them that the hearing would be had on that date at the same place and time of day as designated by the published notice. I trust that this will be satisfactory to you.

Yours very truly,

RHEA LUPER State Engineer.

RWP:LC

Mr. Chas. W. Reames, Attorney—at—Law, Medford, Oregon.

Dear Sir:

We have not as yet been furnished with an affidavit of publication of the notice of proposed change of use of water by William Hillis, and would be pleased to receive same as soon as possible.

In this connection I have just noticed a statement made in your letter to us dated August 29th, to the effect that you would publish the notice in five issues of the Medford Mail Tribune commencing August 29th and ending September 1st. I will call your attention to the fact that Chapter 219, Laws of Oregon for 1927, which governs this procedure, provides that publication of such notices should be made for a period of at least three weeks and not less than one publication each week.

Our letter to you of August 27th requested that you publish the notice once a week for four successive weeks, which would constitute a compliance with the statute.

Yours very truly,

RHEA LUPER State Engineer

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Sept. 24, 1927.

Mr. Chas. W. Reames, Attorney—at—Law, Medford, Oregon.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of September 22d, asking that the hearing scheduled for October 1st, in the matter of the application of Villiam Hillis for the approval of a change in the place of use of water, be postponed until about October 10th or 12th.

I note that the opposing counsel, Mr. Roberts, has agreed to enter into a stipulation to this effect, and under these circumstances it is entirely satisfactory to this office.

You may therefore consider this letter as notice to the effect that said hearing will be had on October 11th, at the same place and time of day.

Yours very truly,

RHEA LUPER State Engineer.

RWP:LC

(Copy to G. M. Roberts)

CHAS. W. REAMES
ATTORNEY AT LAW
MEDFORD BUILDING
MEDFORD, OREGON

STATE ENGINEER

Sept. 22, 1927.

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State Engineer,

Salem, Oregon.

Sir:

In the matter of the change of the place of use of water by William Hillis, Mr Roberts attorney of this city has filed objections to such change for Don Houghman. These are the only The notice was not required to be filed objections filed. or served but was published in the paper here stating that the hearing was to had on October 1, 1927. Mr Roberts is willing to stipulate with me that the hearing may be had at a later date, say the 10th or 12th of October. I do not believe I will be he on the first as I am going to be called away about that time. Please postpone this hearing a few days, and notify me the date of the same and I will procure a stipulation from Roberts the only one objecting and forward the same to you. I would appreciate it if I could hear from you on receipt of this letter that this will be satisfactory, as it will straighten out a conflict which I now have, and no one can be injured.

Respectfully,

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Sept. 20, 1927.

Mr. G. M. Roberts, Lawyer, Medford, Oregon.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of September 13th, transmitting objections to the proposed transfer of water right by William Hillis.

In accordance with the published notice, hearing will be had in this matter at Medford on October 1st.

Yours very truly,

RHEA LUPER State Engineer.

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## G. M. ROBERTS

LAWYER
MEDFORD, OREGON

Sept. 13th, 1927.

Re Application of William Hillis to transfer use of water.

Mr. Rhea Luper,

State Engineer,

Salem, Oregon.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed herewith Objections to the transfer of use of water from one piece of land to another by William Hillis, which Objections have been duly served on Chas. W. Reames, attorney for Mr. Hillis.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter, I remain

Yours very truly,

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