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ASSIGNED

Name J. L. Getchell

By _____

Address Rt 2, Box 283Creswell, OregonDate filed 8/8/56Tentative priority 2/5/53

Action suspended until _____

Well log filed not available

CONSTRUCTION

Date for completion _____

Extended to _____

Date for application of water _____

Extended to _____

PROSECUTION OF WORK

Form "B" filed _____

Form "C" filed _____

Application No. GR 233Certificate No. GR 229Stream Index, Page No. 2-9/M

FEES PAID

Date	Amount	Receipt No.
8/8/56	15.00	8112
8/22/56	3.15	8251

FEES REFUNDED

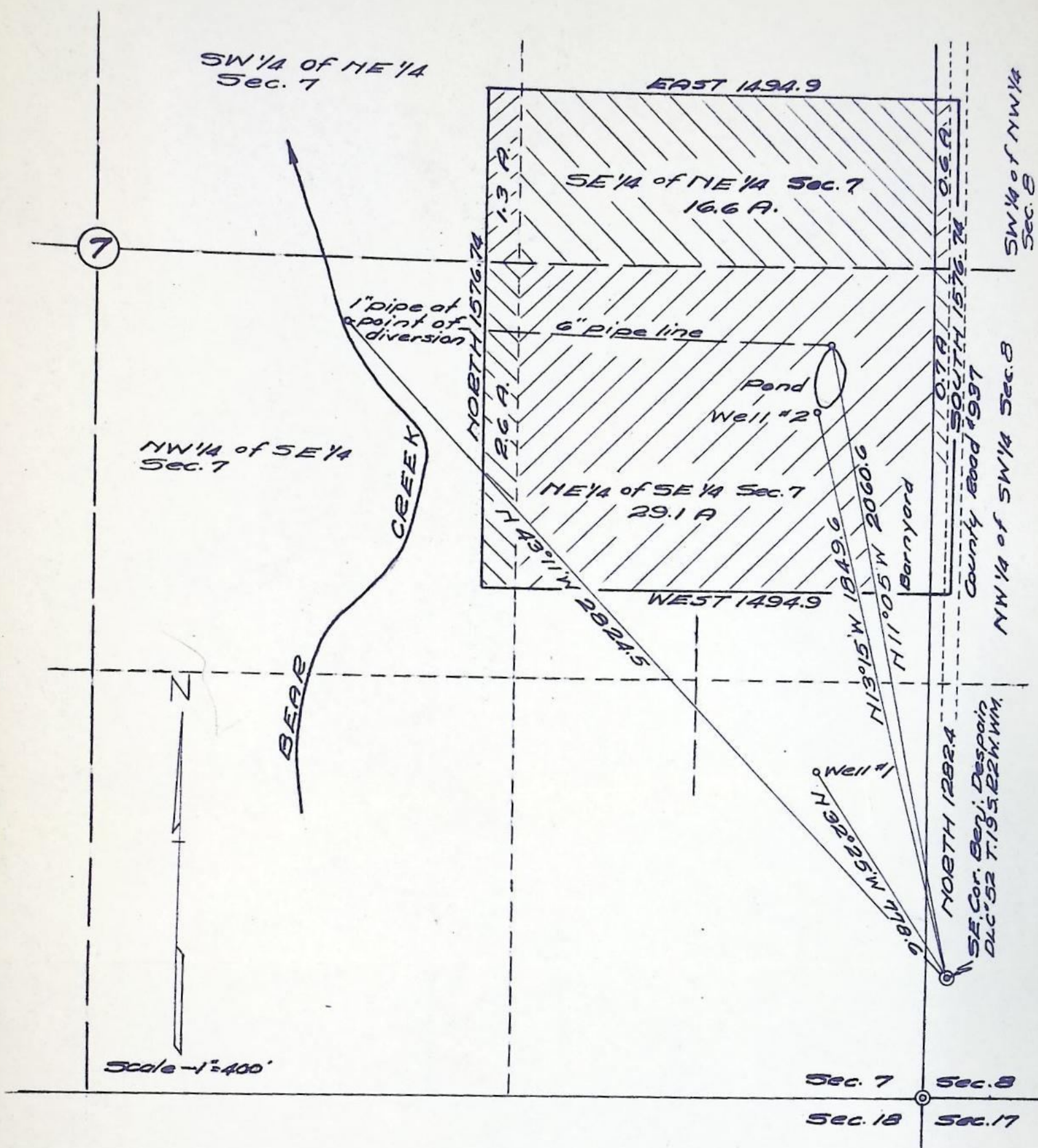
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ASSIGNMENTS

Date	To Whom	Address	Volume	Page
February 25, 53	Judson L. Getchell	R. 2 Bx. 283, Creswell	3	1276

REMARKS

2 wells irrigate 50.9 acres near Bear Creek - ~~the~~ Coast Fork of Willamette River.



WATER RIGHT MAP FOR L.J. GETCHELL
 SECTIONS 7 & 8 T.19 S. R. 2 W. W.M.
 LANE COUNTY, OREGON
 JULY, 1956

I, Chas C. Hayden, Lane County, Oregon do hereby certify that this map was made from notes taken during an actual survey made by me on July 30 1956, that the monument shown for the point of diversion consisting of a 1x30 inch iron pipe bears North 43°11' West 2824.5 feet from the Southeast corner of the Benj. Despain D.L.C. No. 52 in T.19. S. R. 2. W. W.M. Well No. 1 bears North 32°25' West 778.6 feet from said corner and Well No. 2 bears North 13°15' West 1849.6 feet from said corner.

THOMSON & HAYDEN
 SURVEYORS
 3RD FLOOR - COURT HOUSE
 PH. 4-7652 EUGENE, OREGON

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See File #
 30738
 Permit (also)

Chas C. Hayden

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Registration Statement

REGISTRATION NO. GR-233

CERTIFICATE NO.

OF CLAIMANT OF RIGHT TO APPROPRIATE GROUND WATER

(Under Chapter 708, Oregon Laws 1955.)

TO THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON:

COPY

I, L.L. & J.L. Getchell Rt 2, Box 283
of Rt. 2 Creswell County of Lane

State of Oregon, do hereby make application for a certificate of registration as evidence of a right to appropriate ground water.

1. Source from which water is withdrawn is Wells.

(Flowing well, pump well, infiltration trench, or tunnel)

2. Location is: 3 miles N.E. of Creswell

(Approximate distance and direction from nearest city or town)

and is more particularly described as follows:

(a) Well #1 bears N. 32° 25' W. 778.6 feet from S.E. Cor. Benj. Despain Cl.
Well #2 bears N. 13° 15' W. 1849.6 Ft. from said Claim No. 52 T. 19. S. 2. E.

(Give distance and bearing to corner of section or other legal subdivision)

being within No. 1 S.E. 1/4 S.E. 1/4 of Sec. 7, Twp. 19. S., Rge. 2. W.

(Smallest legal subdivision)

(N. or S.)

(E. or W.)

or (b) within limits of recorded platted property, town or city:

in Lot, Block of

(Name of plat or addition)

County of

(If within city or town, give name)

3. Construction Work was begun on Feb. 20, 1953; was completed on Sept. 1st, 1953.

(Date)

(Date)

and the ground water claimed was first used for the purposes set out below on April 1st, 1953.

(Date)

since which time the water has been used Both continuously each year

(Continuously or intermittently)

from April 15th to October 1st.

(Date)

(Date)

4. Quantity of water claimed and used is 40 gallons per minute; acre feet per year.

5. Purpose or Purposes for which water is used Irrigation

Pasture and Hay

(Domestic, irrigation, municipal, manufacturing, industrial, etc.)

6. Description of Well: Depth 97 feet. Type Both wells drilled.

(Dug or drilled)

diameter No. 2 8 inches. Elevation of ground at well site 450 feet, mean sea level.

(As near as known)

Depth to water table not known feet.

7. Capacity of Well: 40 g.p.m. with feet drawdown.

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Date of test No test record

If Flowing Well: Measured discharge g.p.m. on

(Date)

Shut-in pressure at ground surface lbs. per sq. in. on

(Date)

Water is controlled by

(Cap, valve, etc.)

size.) Casing. (Give diameter, commercial specifications and depth below ground surface of each casing)

No. 1 10 inch diameter from top to 23 feet

No. 2.....8 inch diameter from top to 87 feet

..... inch diameter from to feet

..... inch diameter from to feet

Describe and show depth of shoe, plug, adapter, liner or other details:

9. Perforated Casings or Screens:

Well 1 & 2 both perforated $\frac{1}{8}$ " by 6 in, 2 per foot from top to bottom
(Number per foot and size of perforations, or describe screen)

from to

from to

from to

✓ 10. **Log of Well:** (Describe each stratum or formation clearly, indicate if water bearing, and give thickness and depth as indicated.)

[illegible]

If log of well is not available, give name and address of driller. _____

11. Infiltration Trench: Covered or open

Dimensions: Length ft. Minimum depth ft. Maximum depth ft.

Bottom width ft. Discharge g.p.m. Date of test

12. Tunnel: Type of lining

Dimensions: _____
(Length, course, and cross sectional size)

Position of water bearing stratum with reference to portal of tunnel

Log of tunnel: (Preceding table for log of well may be used, if desired. Give footage from portal and character of materials, as pertinent.)

13. Pumping Equipment:

(a) Pump No.1 1.5 H.P. Pacific Jet. Capacity g.p.m.
(Make, type and size)

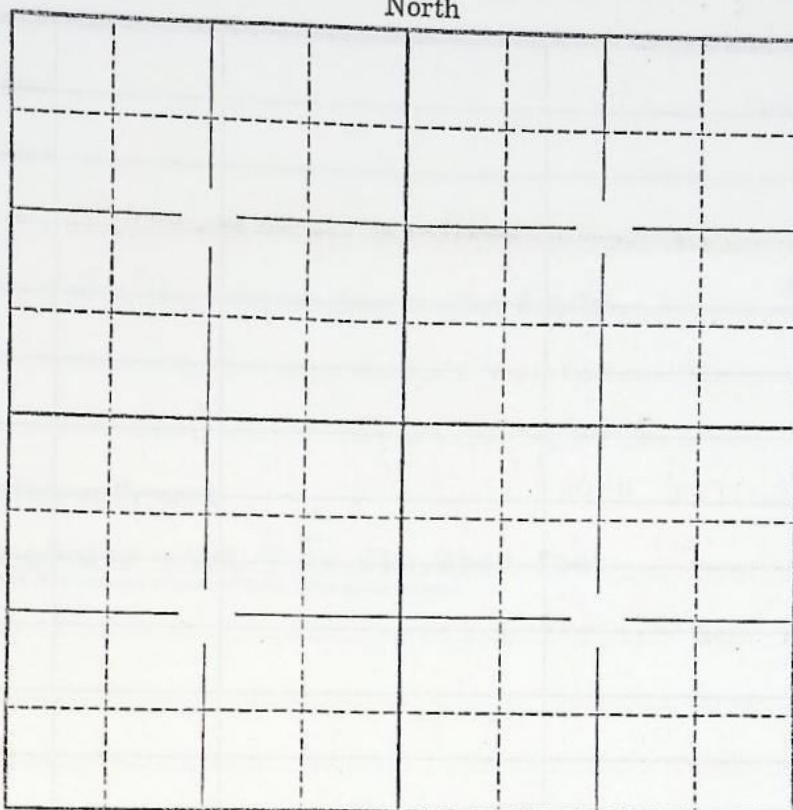
(b) Motor Pump No.2 2.0 H.P. Fairbanks Morse Turbine
(Type and horsepower)

14. Location of area irrigated or to be irrigated, or place of use if for purposes other than irrigation.

[illegible]

15. If the ground water supply is supplemental to an existing water supply, identification of any application for a permit, permit, certificate or adjudicated right to appropriate water made or held by the registrant.

Township Range, W.M.
North



Locate well and acreage of irrigated land on plat.

Scale: 2" = 1 Mile

STATE OF OREGON

County of Tana } ss.

I, J. J. and J. L. Catchall, being first duly sworn, do hereby certify that I have read the foregoing Registration Statement and that all of the items therein contained are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. J. Catchall
(Signature of Registrant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of August, 1956

My commission expires April 20, 1957

L. J. Lawrence
(Notary Public)

(SEAL)

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION

STATE OF OREGON } ss.
County of Marion

This is to certify that the foregoing Registration Statement was received in the office of the State Engineer on the 6 day of Aug, 1956, at 8 o'clock a. M. and has been duly recorded in said office in Book No. of Registration Statements on page

Construction shall be completed by, 19....., and the water completely applied to beneficial use by, 19.....

Witness my hand this day of, 19.....

.....
(State Engineer)

By
(Deputy)

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STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON

Application No. GR-233
Permit No. _____
Reg. Certificate No. GR-229
Owner's Well No. 21
State Well No. _____
County _____

ANNUAL REPORT ON WELLS

(ORS 537.715 requires that an annual report for each well
be submitted to the State Engineer, Salem, Oregon)

Report covers period from October 1 to September 30 of following year

1. Have any changes been made in the well or pump during the past year? no
If so, explain: _____
2. What was the maximum rate of use at any time during the past year? 20 gpm
Date ? Frequent ly Observed drawdown ? feet
3. In your opinion is the level of water in this well affected by other pumping
operations in your vicinity? no Explain: _____
4. If an irrigation well, how many acres were irrigated this pumped in pond
What date did irrigation begin? June 1st Cease? Sept. 11
Number of days of well use 70 Average rate _____ gpm
Depth to water while pumping, 38 ft. below land surface. Date _____
5. Power consumption for entire year or season _____ Kwh
6. Quantity of water pumped or used during year _____ (gallons or acre feet)
7. What was the cost of pumping per acre irrigated? 36*** see note
8. Do you consider use of water from this source profitable? yes
9. Will you operate this well next season? Judson L. Getchell expects to
10. *Measured water levels (one measurement in spring and one in fall)
_____ feet below land surface. Date of measurement _____
_____ feet below land surface. Date of measurement _____
Additional water level measurements:

Feet below land surface	Date	Remarks

*(For artesian wells, report head in feet of water, or pounds per square inch.)

11. Remarks: Wells are pumped into pond and from there into pipes
Also water from Bear creek is pumped into same pond.
No way of telling was watered by well. (how much)
Date Feb 7 1958

Report Prepared By: J. L. Getchell
(See other side)

ATTENTION WELL OWNERS

Ground water is one of our most valuable resources, and you, the well owner, have a personal responsibility in helping to preserve these resources so that they will still be available for future generations. Your most important duty in this regard is the keeping of accurate records of changes in water levels, quantities of water pumped, and all other changes in the characteristics of our ground-water resources. It is chiefly through your observations that we know what is happening and are able to prevent depletion or contamination of our ground-water supplies.

The measurement of water levels in wells is the only way we can tell if the ground-water resources of an area are being depleted. For that reason, water level measurements given in your annual reports should be as accurate as possible.

We will be glad to supply you with any information we have in regard to methods of measuring water levels, or in measuring quantities of water pumped. Your cooperation in making the annual well report a document of value will be greatly appreciated.

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SALEM, OREGON

Application No. GR-233
Permit No. _____
Reg. Certificate No. GR-229
Owner's Well No. 2
State Well No. _____
County _____

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be submitted to the State Engineer, Salem, Oregon)

Report covers period from October 1 to September 30 of following year

1. Have any changes been made in the well or pump during the past year? no
If so, explain: _____
2. What was the maximum rate of use at any time during the past year? 420 gpm
Date see note aug. 1st Observed drawdown less volume feet
3. In your opinion is the level of water in this well affected by other pumping
operations in your vicinity? yes Explain: C.R. Kuhl began
irrigating from well apparently supplied by same ground stream
4. If an irrigation well, how many acres were irrigated this past season? _____
What date did irrigation begin? June 1st Cease? Sept. 11
Number of days of well use 100 Average rate ? gpm
Depth to water while pumping, ? ft. below land surface. Date _____
5. Power consumption for entire year or season See note kWh
6. Quantity of water pumped or used during year _____ (gallons or acre feet)
7. What was the cost of pumping per acre irrigated? See note
8. Do you consider use of water from this source profitable? yes
9. Will you operate this well next season? Judson L. Getchell expect to
10. *Measured water levels (one measurement in spring and one in fall)
_____ feet below land surface. Date of measurement _____
_____ feet below land surface. Date of measurement _____
Additional water level measurements:

Feet below land surface	Date	Remarks

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11. Remarks: Our Electric system is so arranged that it is difficult to
figure cost of power for any unit. Our over all cost per acre was
an average of \$6.11. Have no way of determining water level in
number 2 well Date Feb. 7th 1958

Report Prepared By: L. J. Getchell
(See other side)

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STATE OF OREGON)
County of Lane) ss.

I, L.J. Getchell,
of R.2 Bx. 283 Creswell, County of Lane,
State of Oregon, for and in consideration of \$ 10.00
Dollars, and other valuable consideration, do hereby assign, transfer
and set over unto Judson L. Getchell,
of R.2 Bx. 283 Creswell, County of Lane,
(Mailing address)
State of Oregon, all my right, title and interest in and to certain
ground waters acquired through Registration No. ^{GR 233} GR 233, Certificate
of Registration No. GR 229, issued by the State Engineer of the
State of Oregon.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 24
day of Feb., 19 58.

L.J. Getchell

Witnesses:

Calvin C. Taylor
Creswell, Oregon

(The fee provided by law for recording an assignment in the office of the State Engineer is \$1.00 for the first 100 words and 10 cents for each additional 100 words or fraction thereof. For recording an assignment on this form, the fee is \$1.00.)

STATE OF OREGON

County of Marion

I certify that the within was received by me on

the 25 day of February, 1958

at 8 o'clock Am, and was recorded in this

collation Records, Vol. 3 page 1276

Levis A. Staglyps
State Register

\$1.00 paid

STATE OF OREGON

County of Marion

I certify that the within was received by me on

the _____ day of _____, 19____

at _____ o'clock _____a, and was recorded in this

collation Records, Vol. _____ page _____

State Register

STATE ENGINEER'S RECEIPT
STATE OF OREGON

Salem, Ore., Feb. 25 1958 File No. GR-233
Received from Judson L. Gretchell
\$ 1.00 Cash ☐ M.O. ☐ Check ☒ Lyman L. Gretchell
Appl. ☐ Per. ☐ Trsf. ☐ Reg. ☒

Examination fees:

Surface water _____ \$ _____
Ground water _____ \$ _____
Well registration _____ \$ _____
Transfer _____ \$ _____

Recording fees:

\$ _____
\$ _____
\$ _____
\$ _____

Miscellaneous fees:

Blueprinting ☐
Copying ☐
Certification ☐ \$ 1.00
Misc. Recording ☒
Protest ☐
Extension of time ☐

Publication of notice _____ \$ _____
Quadrangle account _____ \$ _____
Adjudication fee _____ \$ _____
Annual power license fee _____ \$ _____

Certificate Recording fees:

Recording fees:

Surface water _____ \$ _____
Ground water _____ \$ _____
Well driller license fee _____ \$ _____
All other _____ \$ _____
_____ \$ _____

Hydroelectric Comm. fee

Filing _____ \$ _____
Investigation _____ \$ _____
License _____ \$ _____
Misc'l. _____ \$ _____

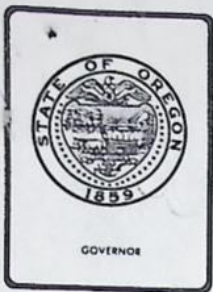
Carey Act fees

_____ \$ _____

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STATE ENGINEER

By Lillian Fisher



Water Resources Department

MILL CREEK OFFICE PARK

555 13th STREET N.E., SALEM, OREGON 97310

PHONE 378-3066

August 2, 1979

Kent W. Christoferson, M.D.
1415 Pearl Street, Suite 1
Eugene, OR 97401

RE: Files No. 30738 & GR-233

Dear Dr. Christoferson:

I am writing in response to your letter dated July 30, 1979, inquiring as to the status of rights on property which you own and on which water rights exist, in the vicinity of Bear Creek.

The laws governing the issuing of permits for the use of water from wells were enacted by the legislature in 1955. The same statutes also made provisions for the registration of wells which were constructed prior to that time, as were the wells on your property. A ground water registration was submitted in the names of L.J. and J.L. Getchell, claiming a use of water dating from April 1, 1953. The quantity of water claimed was 40 gallons per minute, for the irrigation of 50.9 acres. The ground water application is numbered GR-233, and the subsequent certificate of registration is numbered GR-229. I am enclosing a copy of the map which accompanied the registration; the same map served as an application map for the water right filing submitted for use of water from Bear Creek, numbered 30738.

Certificate of water right numbered 27542, confirming the use of water from Bear Creek, describes the appropriation of 0.36 cubic feet per second from Bear Creek for the supplemental irrigation of the same 50.9 acres, with a date of priority of May 9, 1956. Should you wish, a copy of the certificate can be provided upon request and submission of a \$1.00 statutory copy fee.

The use of water from Bear Creek is, of course, subject to the available supply of water. Water should be available in sufficient quantity in the early part of the summer to allow at least a portion of the property to be irrigated from this source. Later in the season, when the flow of water diminishes, it is possible that you could construct a small temporary dam or dig a hole in the creek bed of sufficient size to allow your foot valve to operate properly. If this is not possible, then you will be, for all

Kent W. Christoferson, M.D.
August 2, 1979
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practical purposes, through irrigating from this source for the remainder of the summer. If and when water is available from the creek, it is reasonable to expect that you will make use of it. If the property were mine, I would use water from Bear Creek during the earlier part of the summer season and then turn to the wells as the water level in the stream dropped.

The distribution of water during periods of shortage is done by the watermaster on a priority basis. When the water is insufficient to supply all users, the watermaster has the legal authority and the duty, when requested by a water user of record, to restrict the use of water by up-stream record holders whose priorities are inferior. I presume you have discussed this with Mr. McGinnis.

Cancellation of a water right is not automatic. Even though a right might be legally abandoned due to five or more consecutive years of non-use, as long as a water right of record exists for that use it is presumed to be a valid right. For a water right to be canceled, the statutes specify a procedure whereby those wishing to seek the cancellation of a right will submit to this office affidavits indicating that they have personal knowledge that the right has in fact been abandoned. If such affidavits are submitted in proper form, the matter will be determined and an order is then entered by the Water Resources Director. The Director, as a result of the hearing, may order that all or part of the right be canceled, or affirm that the water right is in good standing as of that date.

I am enclosing a copy of the map which shows the project as proposed by Mr. Getchell, along with a copy of an agreement executed by the Getchells, Mr. George E. Belshaw and Lawrence L. Benton. A copy of this document was not included in the material you sent me, and it may be that you do not have a copy.

If you have further questions, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

Ralph H. Jackson, Supervisor
Applications/Permits Section

RHJ:jfv
enclosures

August 2, 1957

Rodman and Urey
Realtors
938 Charnelton Street
Eugene, Oregon

Attention: G. M. Urey

Gentlemen:

With reference to your letter of July 12, 1957, our records show that Permit No. 24532 was issued on January 25, 1957, approving Application No. 30738 in the names of L. J. & J. L. Getchell with the priority date of May 9, 1956.

The permit describes the appropriation of 0.36 c.f.s. from Bear Creek for the supplemental irrigation of the 50.9 acres indicated on the enclosed print of the application map.

Our records also show that a ground water registration statement, File No. GR-233, in the name of J. L. Getchell was received on August 8, 1956 in evidence of a claim that the same 50.9 acres being irrigated from two wells constructed and put into use prior to the enactment of the ground water law of August 3, 1955. The tentative priority date of the right claimed, is February 5, 1953.

Very truly yours,

LEWIS A. STANLEY
State Engineer

By
James W. Carver, Jr.
Assistant

JWC:mb
enc: print of map

August 23, 1956

Mr. J. L. Getchell
Route 2, Box 283
Creswell, Oregon

Dear Mr. Getchell:

This will acknowledge receipt of your well registration statement and check in the amount of \$3.15. Receipt No. 8251 for this amount is enclosed, and your registration statement has been filed with others awaiting certification.

Very truly yours,

LEWIS A. STANLEY
State Engineer

By
Wm. S. Bartholomew
Geologist

WSB:lac

Encl.

August 14, 1956

Mr. J. L. Getchell
Route 2, Box 283
Creswell, Oregon

Dear Mr. Getchell:

This will acknowledge receipt of your well registration statements and check in the amount of \$3.15.

After we have had an opportunity to examine your statements, we will communicate with you further.

Very truly yours,

LEWIS A. STANLEY
State Engineer

By
Wm. S. Bartholomew
Geologist

WSB:lac



STATE OF OREGON
STATE ENGINEER
WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
SALEM

REFER TO
FILE NO. GR-223

August 9, 1956

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AUG 13 1956
STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON

Mr. J. L. Getchell
Route 2
Creswell, Oregon

Dear Mr. Getchell:

This office is in receipt of your well registration statement and \$15.00 check for which receipt # 8112 is enclosed.

We are returning the statement to you with a request that a separate registration form be completed for each well under your registration. More than one well may be included under such a registration; however, the well data should be listed separately for each well.

Only one registration fee is required for the total of 50.9 acres, and it is determined as follows:

Examination fee:	\$10.00
Recording Fee	5.00 (1st 30 acres)
Recording Fee	3.15 (20.9 additional acres)
Total Fee	<u>\$18.15</u>

Two forms are enclosed and only the second or last well registration need be notarized. Upon receipt of the completed statements and the additional \$3.15 due for registration fees, this office will issue your Certificate of Registration.

Very truly yours,

LEWIS A. STANLEY
State Engineer

By *Wm. S. Bartholomew*
Wm. S. Bartholomew
Geologist

WSB:lac

Encl.

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AUG 13 1956
STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON

L.J. & J.L. Getchell

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Beginning at a point 19.43 chains North of the Southeast corner of the Benj. Despain Donation Land Claim No. 52 in T. 19.S. R. 2.W. of the Willamette Meridian, and run thence North 23.89 chains to the South line of the E.L. Bristow Donation Land Claim, being the most Easterly Northeast corner of the Chas. Bradshaw Donation Land Claim No. 55, thence West 22.65 chains, thence South 23.89 chains, thence East 22.65 chains to the place of beginning, containing 54.11 acres more or less in Lane County.

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Beginning at a point 2.66 chains North of the Southeast corner of the Benj. Despain Donation Land Claim No. 52 in T. 19.S. R. 2.W. of the Willamette Meridian and run thence North 16.77 chains, thence West 11.926 chains, thence South 16.77 chains, thence East 11.926 chains to the place of beginning. in Lane County, Oregon

L.J. Getchell.
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Very truly yours,

LEWIS A. STANLEY
State Engineer

By
Wm. S. Bartholomew
Geologist

WSB:lac

Encl.

January 3, 1957

Mr. L. J. Getchell
Route 2, Box 283
Creswell, Oregon

Dear Mr. Getchell:

Enclosed find Certificate of Registration No. GR-229
Registration Statement No. GR-233
Annual Well Report Form

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS:

Your Registration Statement and the attached Certificate of Registration have been recorded in this office. You should hold this original document as evidence of your claim for water rights.

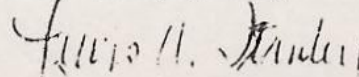
The Registration Statement and the Certificate of Registration are each a part of the same document. The Certificate of Registration is found on the last page of the Registration Statement.

As provided in ORS 537.610, you, the registrant, are now, prima facie, entitled to the right to appropriate the ground water and apply it to beneficial use to the extent and in the manner disclosed in the recorded Registration Statement until such time as the final water rights are determined by adjudication.

Each holder of a Certificate of Registration is required by law to file an annual well report with this office. This report must give water level measurements, an estimate of the quantity of water pumped, and other information concerning our ground-water resources. For your convenience, we are transmitting a report form so that you will be able to record the necessary information as it is obtained. These reports must be filed at the end of the water year, which is September 30 of each calendar year. Additional report forms for next year will be mailed to you at a later date.

If your land is sold, an assignment of this registration document to the new owner should be recorded in this office. Assignment blanks will be furnished upon request.

Very truly yours,



LEWIS A. STANLEY
State Engineer