BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON

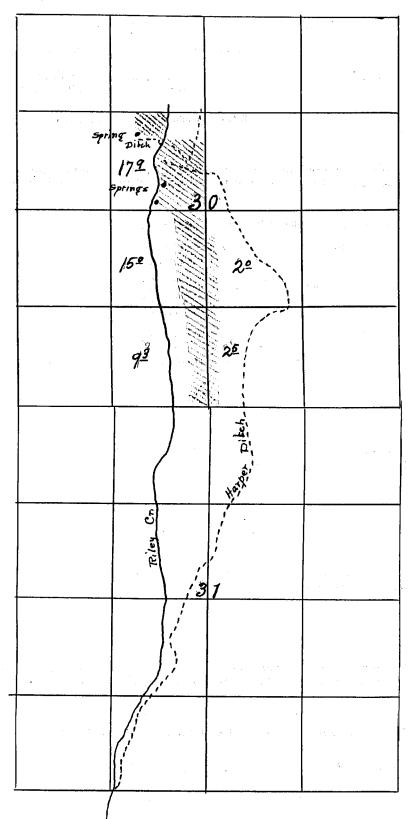
	Count y								
to the Wa	er of the Determination of the Relative Rights aters of JOHN DAY RIVER and its Tributaries, arry of Columbia River,								
(The claimant must submit separate proof as to each ditch through which a water right is claimed.)									
I, tl in support	he undersigned, ofPrineville,, Oregon, being called as a witness of this statement of claim, and being first duly sworn, testify as follows:								
1. incorporat	Q.—What is claimant's name and postoffice address? If a corporation, give the place of tion and the authority by which you make this proof.								
	A. Jennie E. Meyer, Prineville, Oregon. Administratrix of the esta								
of M. L.	Brown, deceased. therefor must be signed by the claimant upon the back hereof.)								
2.	Q.—Do you claim a right to the waters of the above named stream or a tributary thereof? tributary, give its name.								
	A Springstributary of Riley Creek, and Riley Creek, tributary of the								
John Day	R.ver.								
	Q.—What is the nature of the right or use on which this claim to the waters of said								
•	A.— Irrigation and domestic use including s. tock water. (Irrigation, power, mining, domestic, stock, etc.)								
4.	Q.—How was such right initiated, or upon what is it based?								
	A.— By appropriating and using the water. (Appropriation, diversion and use, etc.)								
5.	Q.—State the date of the initiation of such water right. A.———————————————————————————————————								
6.	Q.—What steps were taken by this claimant or his predecessor in interest to initiate said swer fully, attaching separate sheet if necessary.								
	A. By constructing dam and ditch and appropriating the water.								
	Q.—When was water first used for irrigation, or other beneficial purposes?								
	A.— <u>1875</u>								
8. commonly	Q.—State the means of utilizing such water, giving the name by which the ditch is most known, if a ditch is used.								
	A.—By means of dam and ditch known as the Harper Ditch.								
	Q.—State the interest claimant has in such ditch, with the names of any other water users therein.								
	A. Owner together with C. P. Ragsdale and G. W. Reyholds.								
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10. Q.—State the date of the beginning of construction. A.— 1875
11. Q.—State the date of completion. A.— 1885
12. Q.—State the dimensions of the ditch canal or pipe line as originally constructed, just below the wasteway or headgate.
A.—Width (top)5feet; width (bottom)4feet;
depthfeet; grade, or fall in feet per 1,000 feet,feet. 13. Q.—If said ditch has been enlarged, state the date of beginning and completion of each enlargement, and its dimensions as enlarged.
A No enlargement.
First enlargement—Width (top)feet; width (bottom)feet;
depth feet; grade, or fall per 1,000 feet, feet.
Second enlargement—Width (top) feet; width (bottom) feet;
depth feet; grade, or fall per 1,000 feet, feet. 14. Q.—State the area of land which your ditch, as originally constructed, was intended to
irrigate. A. about 125 acres.
15. Q.—If water is used for irrigation, state the number of acres reclaimed and irrigated the
first year. A.— about 40 acres.
16. Q.—How many acres were irrigated each subsequent year up to and including the present
year? A.— All irrigated by 1899.
17. Q.—How many acres were irrigated after the first enlargement of said ditch? After each successive enlargement? A.—
18. Q.—Give the number of acres irrigated under said ditch at the present time in each

18. Q.—Give the number of acres irrigated under said ditch at the present time in each smallest legal subdivision (40-acre tract), using the following form. (The lands have been surveyed and are shown on the plat of the State Engineer, which you may examine at the time of the hearing. Your answer to this question should conform to those maps, unless you object to the same and submit maps of your own showing such information. No proof will be accepted which does not answer this question in detail.) (Attach separate sheet if necessary.)

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Twp.	Range	Sec.	NE¼	NW¼	sw4	SE ¼	NE14	NW1/4	sw4	SE14	NE¼	NW¼	sw ₄	SE14	NE¼	NW¼	sw¼	SE 1/4
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Total 46.7 acres.



Sec. 30 & 31, T /3 S.R. 30 E.

Toaccompany Claim of Jennie E Meyer.

A.—Glay loam and sandy loam, some with grav elly subsoil. Alfalfa, grain, orchard, garden crops, timothy, etc. 20. Q.—When does the irrigating season begin and when does it end, and if water other purposes, during what months is it used? A.—March lst.to. September. 30th. 21. Q.—What amount of water do you estimate is necessary for the proper irrigal lands which you are irrigating or propose to irrigate, or for any other purpose for whis claimed? A.— 4 acra fast pgr. acra. O.l second foot for domestic and 22. Q.—Do you accept the maps prepared by the State Engineer as showing or location of said ditch and the lands irrigated therefrom? Norse In case there is objection to the circled plate of service. Such map should be on tracing linear when sive objected to, with affidavit of surveyor thereto giving date of service. Such map should be on tracing linear professor of four inches to the mile 20 chains to not inch), and should have marked thereon, within each 40-acre legal a area of land which is brigated. Such map should correspond in size to logal cap paper so as to be easily filed: A.—	r is used for
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A. — 27. Q.—Give description of your land as it appears in your deed. (Attach separ necessary.)	
A All the SE $_4^1$ NW $_4^2$ Except 4.28 acres in NE corner, and the	E½ SW¼
Sec. 30, T. 13 S. R. 30 E., and other land adjoining.	
Claiment also owns 2 acres in k.d. S.E. and 2.5 acres in SW SE 3	
28. Q.—What interest have you in the lands irrigated or place where the water	
A. — Owner.	To upcu:
29. Q.—What additional evidence have you attached hereto or submitted herew	
A.— Map showing the land irrigated.	
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(If the witness finds the space insufficient to properly answer any question, he should attach hereto sai separate sheet or sheets. A corporation supplying water for irrigation to lands not its own should attach to its pr list of the persons owning the lands so supplied with the correct description of the lands owned by each such smallest legal subdivision. Certified copies of records and such evidence as the claimant may desire to sub attached to this proof and marked for identification as exhibit "A," "B," "C," etc.)	ith?

I hereby certify upon oath that the foregoing statement and answers are true as I verily believe. Jennie G. Meyer admit Signature of Claimant, or Agent Making Proof. Notary Public for Oregon. My commission expires. Apr. 26, 193/ AUTHORIZATION OF AGENT I,, of, State of, do hereby make and appoint, of, my agent and attorney for me and in my name, place and stead, to make and submit the within Statement and Proof of Claim.* And I hereby designate said agent as the proper party upon whom lawful and valid service may be made of all process and notices in any contest commenced by or against me, in the within entitled matter, and said agent is hereby duly authorized to appear in any and all such contests as my true and lawful agent and attorney, giving and granting unto my said attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act necessary and requisite to be done in the premises, as fully as I might or could do if personally present, hereby ratifying and confirming all my said agent shall lawfully do by virtue of this power. Signature of Claimant. *Claimant should cross out the second paragraph of the Authorization if he does not desire the agent to appear for se proceeding after the filing of this claim. Fees paid: Irrigation 46.7 acres, \$ 7.05 Other use, 5 to 5, \$ Recording certificates,... \$ 1.00 Total, \$13.05