

Address Baker, Oregon

Priority August 9, 1951

Date of approval March 31, 1952

CONSTRUCTION

Extended to

PROSECUTION OF WORK

Form "B" filed September 18, 1952

FINAL PROOF

Proof received DECEMBER 14 1959

Permit No. R-1238

Certificate No. 26414

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ASSIGNMENTS

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REMARKS

Widenan Reservoir and storage of 65.3 acre feet from Spring run-off and West Fork Love Creek (Powder River) for irrigation.

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FEE\$ PAID

Date	Amount	Receipt No.
8/16/51	15.00	12738

	B. P. Fee	
12-14-59	\$1 Cert. Fee	23748

FEES REFUNDED

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Form B

Application No. R-26287

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION

I, John Widman, the holder of Permit No. R 1238
to appropriate the public waters of the state of Oregon, completed the construction of the works described
therein on the 15th day of May, 1952.

Remarks: _____
If the works have less capacity than described in the permit, or you have definitely abandoned part of the proposed development, you
should so state in order that our records may not be unnecessarily encumbered.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 14 day of June, 1952.

(Signature of Applicant)

Baker, Oregon

(Address)

Fill out, detach, and mail to the State Engineer, Salem, Oregon, when construction work is completed.

Form A

Application No. R-26287

NOTICE OF BEGINNING OF CONSTRUCTION

I, John Widman, the holder of Permit No. R 1238
to appropriate the public waters of the state of Oregon, began the actual construction of the works described
therein on the 19 day of October, 1951.

Remarks: _____
The appropriator should state the manner of beginning construction work, number of men employed, the amount of work completed
up to the date of this statement, and any additional information which may tend to show the beginning of work in good faith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 14 day of June, 1952.

(Signature of Applicant)

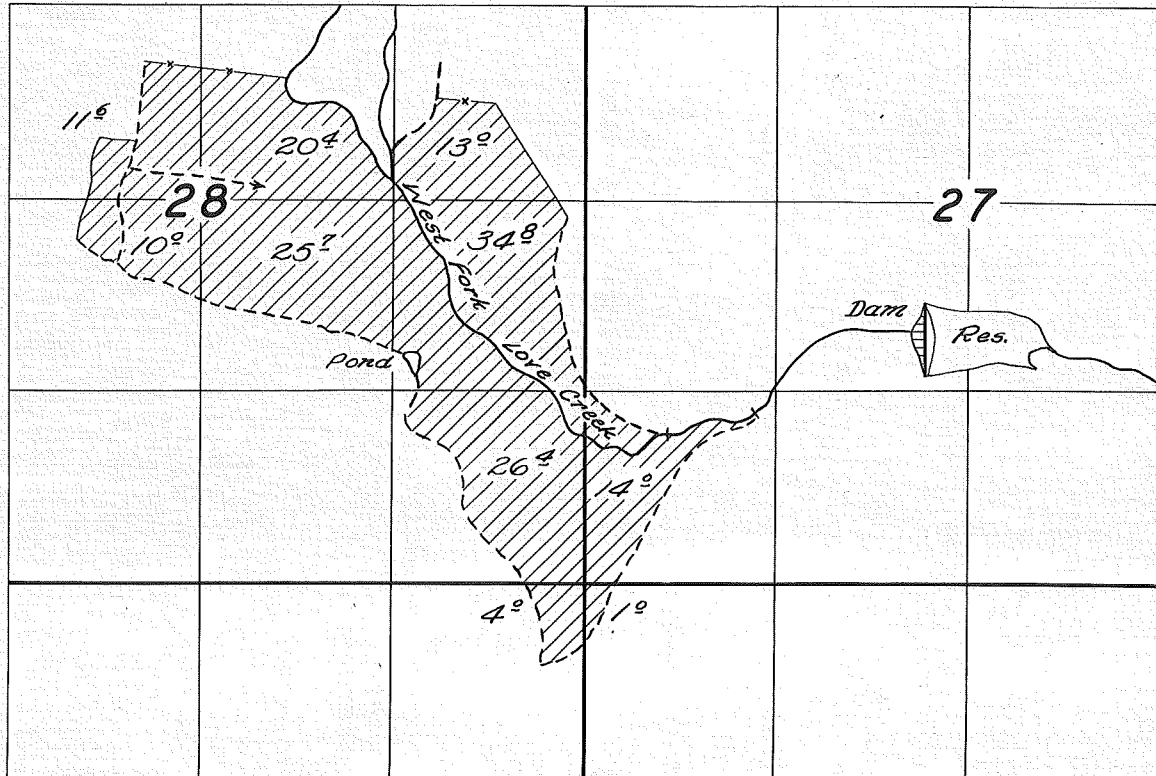
Baker, Oregon

(Address)

Fill out, detach, and mail to the State Engineer, Salem, Oregon, when construction work is begun.

State Printing Dept. 41547

T.9S. R.43E.W.M.



FINAL PROOF SURVEY
UNDER

Application No. R-26287 Permit No. R-1238
26288 20633
IN NAME OF

John Widman

Surveyed Sept. 25 1958, by C.O. Bartok

BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

BAKER COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF CANCELLATION
OF A WATER RIGHT IN THE NAME
OF JOHN WIDMAN

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O R D E R

On July 15, 1985, Michael Joseph Widman submitted an affidavit that he is the owner of a certain water right and the lands to which the water right is appurtenant; that he has abandoned any and all interest in and to the said water right and requests the same be canceled.

The water right in question is described by the certificate recorded at page 26415, Volume 18, State Record of Water Right Certificates, in the name of John Widman, and is for the use of not to exceed 1.58 cubic feet per second of water from spring runoff, West Fork Love Creek, and reservoir constructed under Application R-26287, with a date of priority of August 9, 1951, for

Primary irrigation

14.0 acres SW 1/4 SW 1/4
Section 27
13.0 acres SE 1/4 NE 1/4
1.6 acres SE 1/4 NW 1/4
5.0 acres NE 1/4 SW 1/4
17.8 acres NE 1/4 SE 1/4
6.7 acres NW 1/4 SE 1/4
Section 28
4.0 acres NE 1/4 NE 1/4
Section 33
1.0 acre NW 1/4 NW 1/4
Section 34

Township 9 South, Range 43 East, WM

Supplemental Irrigation

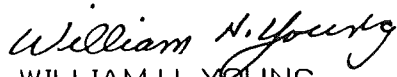
20.4 acres SW 1/4 NE 1/4
10.0 acres SE 1/4 NW 1/4
5.0 acres NE 1/4 SW 1/4
17.0 acres NE 1/4 SE 1/4
19.0 acres NW 1/4 SE 1/4
26.4 acres SE 1/4 SE 1/4
Section 28
Township 9 South, Range 43 East, WM

ORS 540.621 provides that: "Whenever the owner of a perfected and developed water right certifies under oath to the Water Resources Director that the water right has been abandoned by him and that he desires cancellation thereof, the Water Resources Director shall enter an order canceling the water right."

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the said water right, described by the certificate recorded at page 26415, Volume 18, State Record of Water Right Certificates, is canceled.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the said certificate of water right is canceled.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 1st day of November, 1985.


WILLIAM H. YOUNG
Director

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STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF BAKER

CERTIFICATE OF WATER RIGHT

This Is to Certify, That JOHN WIDMAN

of 3525 N. Cedar St., Baker, State of Oregon, has made proof to the satisfaction of the STATE ENGINEER of Oregon, of a right to the use of the waters of spring run-off, West Fork Love Creek, and reservoir constructed under Appl. No. K-26287, Per. No. R-1238, a tributary of Powder River for the purpose of primary irrigation of 63.1 acres and supplemental irrigation of 97.8 acres.

under Permit No. 20633 of the State Engineer, and that said right to the use of said waters has been perfected in accordance with the laws of Oregon; that the priority of the right hereby confirmed dates from August 9, 1951.

that the amount of water to which such right is entitled and hereby confirmed, for the purposes aforesaid, is limited to an amount actually beneficially used for said purposes, and shall not exceed 1.38 cubic feet per second direct flow and 65.3 acre feet stored water.

or its equivalent in case of rotation, measured at the point of diversion from the stream. The point of diversion is located in the NE 1/4 SW 1/4 & SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 27, Township 9 South, Range 43 East, W.M.

The amount of water used for irrigation, together with the amount secured under any other right existing for the same lands, shall be limited to one-fortieth of one cubic foot per second per acre, or its equivalent for each acre irrigated from direct flow on lands described as primary and shall be further limited to a diversion of not to exceed 3 1/2 acre feet per acre for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year from direct flow and storage from reservoir constructed under Permit No. R-1238, and further limited to the use of stored water only on lands described as supplemental.

conform to such reasonable rotation system as may be ordered by the proper state officer. and shall A description of the place of use under the right hereby confirmed, and to which such right is appurtenant, is as follows:

tenant, is as follows:		<u>Supplemental Irrigation</u>	
<u>Primary Irrigation</u>		20.4 acres SW NE	Township 9 South, Range 43 East, W.M.
14.0 acres SW SW		10.0 acres SE NW	
Section 27		5.0 acres NE SW	
13.0 acres SE NE		17.0 acres NE SE	
1.6 acres SE NW		19.0 acres NW SE	
5.0 acres NE SW		26.4 acres SE SE	
17.8 acres NE SE		Section 28	
6.7 acres NW SE		Township 9 South, Range 43 East, W.M.	
Section 28			
4.0 acres NE NE			
Section 33			
1.0 acres NW NW			
Section 34			
Township 9 South, Range 43 East, W.M.			

The right to the use of the water for the purposes aforesaid is restricted to the lands or place of use herein described.

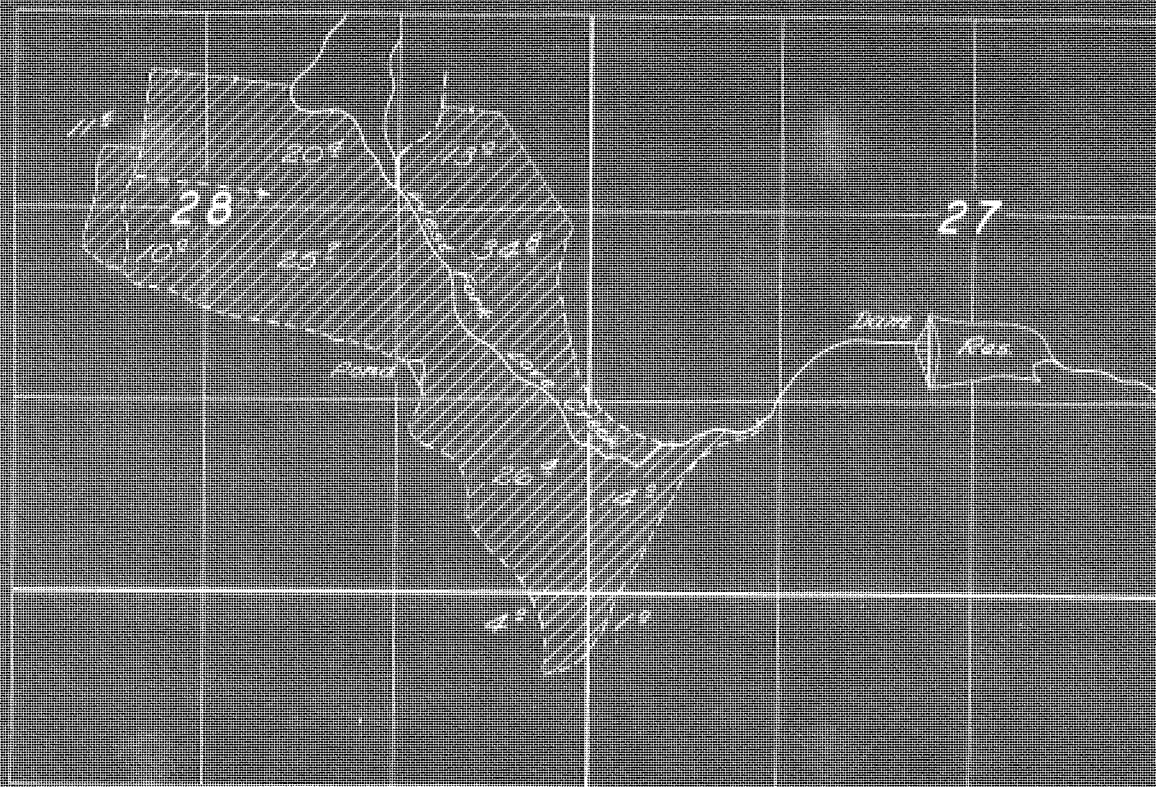
WITNESS the signature of the State Engineer, affixed

this date. JANUARY 6 1960

LEWIS A. STANLEY

State Engineer

T9S. R43EWM.



FINAL PROOF SURVEY
UNDER

Application No. *P-26287* Permit No. *R-1538*
26288 *26639*
IN NAME OF

John Widman

Surveyed Sept 25 1958 by C.R. Gash

251 FINANCE BUILDING
170 12TH STREET S.E.

STATE OF OREGON
STATE ENGINEER
WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
SALEM

November 3, 1959

REFER TO
FILE NO. R-26287

John Widman
3525 N. Cedar St.
Baker, Oregon

Dear Mr. Widman:

On the reverse side of this paper is a copy of a draft of water right certificate to confirm the right under Permit No. R-1238. You are requested to examine this draft and if you find it correctly describes the appropriation of water made, execute the following certificate. You should return this paper, along with a fee of \$1.00 for recording your water right certificate, when issued, in the office of the County Clerk.

Very truly yours,

LEWIS A. STANLEY
State Engineer

FINAL PROOF

I have read the draft of water right certificate shown on the reverse side of this paper and as final proof of appropriation of water I hereby certify that the water has been used as described in said draft.

Dec. 11 1959
(Date)

John Widman
(Signature)

26414

STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF BAKER

CERTIFICATE OF WATER RIGHT

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DEC 14 1959
STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON

This Is to Certify, That JOHN WIDMAN

of 3525 N. Cedar St., Baker, State of Oregon, has made proof

to the satisfaction of the STATE ENGINEER of Oregon, of a right to store the waters of
spring run-off and West Fork of Love Creek, tributary of Powder River, appropriated
under Application No. 26288, Permit No. 20633,

irrigation,

for the purposes of

under Reservoir Permit No. R-1238 of the State Engineer, and that said right to store said
waters has been perfected in accordance with the laws of Oregon; that the priority of the right
hereby confirmed dates from August 9, 1951,

that the amount of water entitled to be stored each year under such right, for the purposes afore-
said, shall not exceed 65.3 acre feet.

The reservoir is located in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ & NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 27, Township 9 South,
Range 43 East, W.M.

THIS IS A DRAFT OF A WATER RIGHT CERTIFICATE

See other side for instructions and final proof to be executed by permittee.

December 9, 1959

Mr. John Widman
3525 N. Cedar St.
Baker, Oregon

Dear Mr. Widman:

On November 3, 1959, we mailed you copies of drafts of the certificates in connection with the incomplete water rights represented by permits numbered R-1238 and 20633 granting a right to the storage of 65.3 acre feet of the waters of spring run-off and West Fork of Love Creek and the appropriation of 1.58 cubic feet of water per second and 65.3 acre feet of stored water from spring run-off, West Fork of Love Creek and a reservoir for primary irrigation of 63.1 acres and supplemental irrigation of 97.8 acres, together with the instructions that the affidavits at the bottom of the pages be signed and the copies be returned to this office accompanied by the certificate recording fees in the amount of \$2.

To date these forms have not been received nor has any correspondence regarding them. This is to notify you that unless we receive the signed final proof forms and the certificate recording fees within thirty days from the date of this letter, we will be required to take steps toward the cancellation of these permits.

Very truly yours,

LEWIS A. STANLEY
State Engineer

By
Trevor Jones, Assistant

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October 23, 1952

Mr. John Widman
Baker
Oregon

Dear Mr. Widman:

This will acknowledge receipt of your notice to the effect that complete application of water has been made under Permit No. 20633.

Pursuant to your report and in line with the general practice of this office, a survey will be made at a later date for the purpose of checking the amount of water used as described in the permit. After this survey, proof may be made and certificate issued covering the actual use of water as found by the engineer.

In the meantime, the permit which you hold will be valid evidence of the water right.

Very truly yours,

Chas. E. Stricklin

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

R-26287

John Widman
Baker, Oregon

March 31, 1952

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find Application No. R-26287, Permit No. R-1238.

October 24, 1951

✓ R 26287

James B. Hanley
Registered Professional Engineer
Sommer Building
Baker, Oregon

Dear Mr. Hanley:

The plans and specifications submitted by you for the construction of the dam for Mr. John Widman have been examined and found to conform with the standards and requirements of this office. Examination has also been made of the site and it has been found satisfactory for the construction of the dam as planned.

Accordingly, the plans and specifications are approved pursuant to the provision of Section 116-502, O. C. L. A.

Yours very truly

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

CES:lh
cc John Widman

R-26287
26288

November 26, 1951

Mr. John Widman
Baker, Oregon

Dear Mr. Widman:

This is to notify you that your applications, No. R-26287 for a permit to construct a reservoir and store therein 65.3 acre feet of water, and No. 26288 to appropriate 2.0 cubic foot of water per second from Spring Run-off and West Fork of Love Creek for irrigation, now appear to be in satisfactory form and are being placed in line for approval and issuance of a permit.

Very truly yours,

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

By
Ed K. Humphrey, Assistant

EKH:mb

November 9, 1951

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R 26287
26288
W 31

Memo R: Examination John Widman Dam Site

Subject examination was made on August 23, 1951.

The plans are to raise an old dam about 17 feet in height, to a height of 33 feet. The new dam will be built upstream from the old, with the old dam forming the downstream toe of the new. From all appearances, the old dam is entirely impervious, which is an undesirable condition for the raised dam. If the opposite were true, and the old dam were pervious and even free draining a better enlarged dam would result. However, with but few exceptions, the dams built within the last few years have shown no wet or saturated areas on the downstream slope. This is believed to be due to the fact that the reservoir is full to capacity for a comparatively short time only and that from three to five months after filling it is practically empty again and that the absence of saturated areas is not due particularly to good compaction of the fill. For this reason no objection was made to the use of the old dam in the downstream toe of the new.

No faults or unfavorable conditions were found in the foundation of the proposed new dam. The plans and specifications conform to the standards and requirements of this office. Accordingly, it is recommended that they be approved and that the permits to construct the reservoir and to appropriate the water to be stored therein, be issued.

Ferd Schlapkohl

FS;lh

R-26287
26288

November 2, 1951

Mr. James D. Hanley
Registered Professional Engineer
Baker, Oregon

Dear Mr. Hanley:

I am sorry that your letter of September 26 did not come to my attention until today. The John Widman application No. 26288 as revised and transmitted by this letter appears now to be in order. Our receipt No. 13072, covering the \$10 additional recording fees submitted by you, is enclosed herewith.

Very truly yours,

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

By
Ed K. Humphrey, Assistant

EKH:mb

Enc - Receipt

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Baker Oregon
James D Hanley

JAMES D. HANLEY
Registered Professional Engineer - U. S. Mineral Surveyor
BAKER, OREGON

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SEP 28 1951
STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON

September 26, 1951

Mr. Chas. E. Stricklin,
State Engineer
Salem, Oregon

Attention: Mr. Ed K. Humphrey

Dear Sir:

I am returning the John Widman application with the corrections and am enclosing a check in the amount of \$10.00 for balance due in recording fees.

Thanks very much for your assistance in completing this application.

Mr. Harold Grabner of Unity has developed a spring from which he fills several small stock watering ponds, and wishes to obtain a water permit for this. Is it necessary to describe the location of his spring by bearing and distance from a government corner, or is it possible to indicate the 40-acre tract in which it lies?

Yours very truly,

James D. Hanley
James D. Hanley

26288

R-26287
26288

August 28, 1951

Mr. James D. Hanley
1615 Washington Street
Baker, Oregon

Dear Mr. Hanley:

This will acknowledge receipt of an application in the name of John Widman for a permit to construct Widman Reservoir and store therein 65.3 acre feet, and an application in the same name for a permit to appropriate 2.0 c.f.s. from spring runoff and the West Fork of Love Creek, for the irrigation of 165.0 acres, together with maps and fees in the amount of \$33.75 for which our receipt No. 12738 is enclosed.

The applications have been filed and given No. R-26287 and No. 26288, respectively.

On the Secondary Application, one of the sources of the proposed appropriations will be the reservoir to be constructed and this should be indicated under item 1.

Under item 7, the main ditch should be described as to length, cross section and grade.

As I interpret the map submitted with the Widman Application, the lands to receive primary irrigation and the ones to receive supplemental irrigation are segregated as penciled under item 8 and if you agree with this it would be appreciated if you will verify it by inking or typing in the penciled matter.

For your convenience in completing the Widman Secondary Application as suggested, I am enclosing it herewith, endorsed so that to retain its priority it must be returned to this office on or before September 28, 1951.

When the completed application is returned you will probably wish to submit the balance due in recording fees in the amount of \$10 as set out in the enclosed copy of the Rules and Regulations of the State Engineer. It is possible that in computing the fees, you did not include the \$10 examination fee for each of the two applications.

To correct a possible misunderstanding, please be advised that it is not necessary to submit a list of all of the lands held by an applicant.

August 28, 1951

If the 40 acre tract description of the lands to be irrigated is the true description, this is all that is necessary under item 8. If the lands to be irrigated are described in the County records by metes and bounds as is very often the case in some parts of the State, this metes and bounds description should be submitted in addition to listing the number of acres to be irrigated in each 40 acre tract or in each 40 acre tract as projected. This is required only to get for the record a true description of the lands to be irrigated.

Very truly yours,

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

By
Ed K. Humphrey, Assistant

BKH:mb

Enc - Rules and Regulations
Secondary Application
Receipt

Permit No. R-1238Application No. R-26287County Baker, Oregon**Preliminary Data for Proof of Appropriation of Water**

1. Name John Widman 2. Address 3525 N. Cedar St. Baker, Oregon
3. Source of supply Spring run-off and West Fork of Love Creek
Tributary of ~~Snake River~~ Powder R
4. Amount of water 65.3 ac. feet 5. Priority date August 9, 1951
6. Use The right herein granted is limited to the construction of Widman reservoir and the storage of water from spring run-off and West Fork of Love Creek to be appropriated under Application No. 26288, Permit No. 20633, for irrigation.
7. Location of point of diversion NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 27 Tp. 9 S. Rg. 43 E. W. M.
(Legal Subdivision)
8. The description of land given below corresponds to that shown in the permit covering land to be irrigated, or, if for other purposes, the place of use.

Township	Range Willamette Meridian	Section	Forty-acre Tract	No. Acres Described in Permit	No. Acres Actually Irrigated
9S	4E	27	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$		Rec
		27	NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$		✓

Land on which water is to be used is part of the property described by appropriator as follows:



40-Acre Tract	Section	This Primary Acres	Application Supplementary Acres	Previous Rights 1890
SW, NE	28	14.9	0	0
SW, NW	"	0	23.8	26
NW, NW	"	16	10	17
NW, NW	"	17.8	19	36
NW, NW	"	6.7	26.6	0
NW, NW	"	0	0	0
SW, NE	27	14.9	0	0
SW, NW	33	3.3	0	0
NW, NW	34	1.3	0	0
Totals		63.6	101.4	113
All in		T. 9 S., R. 43 E., W. M.		

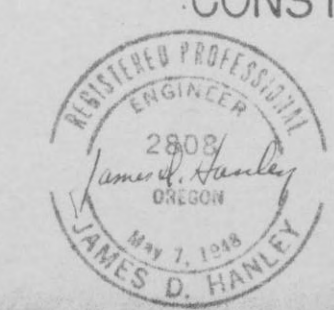
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- Section Lines
- 40-Acre Tracts
- Fence Lines
- Ditches

SCALE 1" = 400'

ENGINEER'S CERTIFICATE

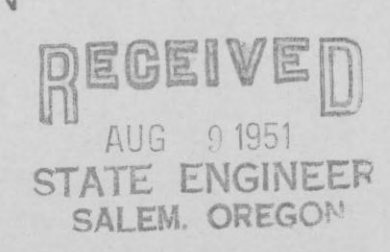
I, James D. Hanley, of Baker, Oregon, do hereby certify that this map was made from notes taken during an actual survey made by me on July 9, 1951; that the monument shown on this map consisting of an iron pipe 1" in diameter and 36" long, set 30" in the ground is N. 14° 09' W., 1967' from the 1/4 corner common to sections 27 and 34, T. 9 S., R. 43 E., W. M.



MAP and PLANS TO ACCOMPANY APPLICATIONS FOR PERMITS TO CONSTRUCT RESERVOIR AND APPROPRIATE WATER FOR IRRIGATION

APPLICANT, JOHN H. WIDMAN
Application No. _____, Permit No. _____

SHEET No. 2 of 2





40-Acre Tract	Section	This Primary Acres	Application Supplementary Acres	Previous Rights 1890
SE 1/4 NE 1/4	28	14.9	0	0
SW 1/4 NE 1/4	"	0	23.8	23.8
SE 1/4 NW 1/4	"	1.6	10	10
SW 1/4 NW 1/4	"	17.8	17	17
SE 1/4 S 1/4	"	16.7	19	19
SW 1/4 S 1/4	"	0	26.6	26.6
NE 1/4 S 1/4	27	10.0	0	0
SE 1/4 S 1/4	33	3.3	0	0
NW 1/4 S 1/4	34	1.3	0	0
Totals		63.6	101.4	113
All in			T.9 S., R.43 E., W.M.	

LEGEND

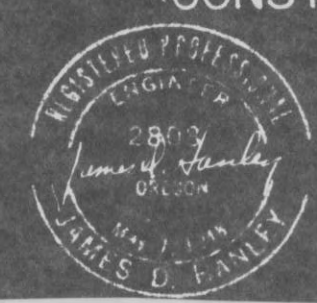
ENGINEER'S CERTIFICATE

MAP and PLANS TO ACCOMPANY APPLICATIONS FOR PERMITS TO
CONSTRUCT RESERVOIR AND APPROPRIATE WATER FOR IRRIGATION

Application No. **R-26287**
Permit No. **R-1238**
20633

25 Acres This Application
15 Acres Supplementary
10 Acres Primary

I, James D. Hanley, of Baker, Oregon, do hereby certify that this map was made from notes taken during an actual survey made by me on July 9, 1951; that the monument shown on this map consisting of an iron pipe 1" in diameter and 36" long, set 30" in the ground is N. 14° 09' W., 1967' from the 1/4 corner common to sections 27 and 34, T.9 S., R.43 E., W.M.



APPLICANT, JOHN H. WIDMAN
Application No. _____, Permit No. _____

SHEET No 2 of 2

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STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON