

Name Elmer E. McCoy
By Route 1
Address La Grande, Oregon

Date filed July 31, 1951
Priority July 31, 1951
Action suspended until OK cert RB

Returned to applicant
Date of approval March 31, 1952

CONSTRUCTION

Date for beginning March 31, 1953
Date for completion October 1, 1954
Extended to
Date for application of water October 1, 1955
Extended to

PROSECUTION OF WORK

Form "A" filed December 19, 1952
Form "B" filed July 30, 1954
Form "C" filed August 24, 1955

FINAL PROOF

Blank mailed APRIL 25 1960 3-12-58
Proof received
Date certificate issued

Application No. 26257
Permit No. 20609
Certificate No. 8-18C ~~27149~~

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FEES PAID

Date	Amount	Receipt No.
<u>8/6/51</u>	<u>15.00</u>	<u>12701</u>
<u>10/11/51</u>	<u>10.00</u>	<u>13148</u>
	B. P. Fee	
<u>6/3/60</u>	\$1 Cert. Fee	<u>25665</u>

FEES REFUNDED

Date	Amount	Check No.
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ASSIGNMENTS

Date	To Whom	Address	Volume	Page
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REMARKS

0.50 cts. from Hunter Canyon (Grande Ronde R) for irrig. at
25 A & stock
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Form A

Application No. 26257

NOTICE OF BEGINNING OF CONSTRUCTION

I, Elmer E. McCoy, the holder of Permit No. 20609
to appropriate the public waters of the state of Oregon, began the actual construction of the works described
therein on the 17th day of July, 1952.

Remarks:

Bldg. - Headgate - box - and working
The appropriator should state the manner of beginning construction work, number of men employed, the amount of work completed

and constructing ditches -
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 15 day of December, 1952

(Signature of Applicant)

(Address)

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

State Printing Dept. 41547

Form B

Application No. 26257

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION

I, Elmer E. McCoy, the holder of Permit No. 20609
to appropriate the public waters of the state of Oregon, completed the construction of the works described
therein on the 27 day of July, 1954.

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 27 day of July, 1954

(Signature of Applicant)

(Address)

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

Form C

IMPORTANT—This form is a notice to the State Engineer that permittee is ready to make **final proof** to the extent to which the water has actually been applied to the intended use under the terms of the permit. Permittee is cautioned that Certificate of Water Right will be issued based on the extent of the quantity and use as determined by the **final proof** inspection and survey which will be made in response to the filing of this Form C.

NOTE: In the case of an irrigation permit, this Form C should not be mailed to the State Engineer until all of the land described in the permit, which it is intended to irrigate under this permit at any time, has actually been irrigated.
Fill out, detach, and mail to the State Engineer, Salem, Oregon, when all of the water has been applied.

Application No. 26257

NOTICE OF COMPLETE APPLICATION OF WATER TO A BENEFICIAL USE

I, Elmer E. McCoy, the holder of Permit No. 20609
to appropriate the public waters of the state of Oregon, completely applied the waters to a beneficial use in
accordance with the terms of said permit, on the 20 day of June, 1955.

Remarks:

I also used this water last summer but
forgot to send this notice - due to misplacing
of it.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 18 day of August, 1955

(Signature of Applicant)

(Address)

STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF UNION

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JUN 3 1960
STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON

CERTIFICATE OF WATER RIGHT

This Is to Certify, That **ELMER E. McCOY**

of **Route 1, LaGrande**, 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 **Hunter Canyon** a tributary of **Grande Ronde River** for the purpose of irrigation of **25.0 acres**,

under Permit No. **20609** 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 **July 31, 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 **0.50 cubic foot per second**,

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 $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$** , Section 16, Township 2 South, Range 38 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 and shall be further limited to a diversion of not to exceed **3 acre feet per acre** for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year,

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

A description of the place of use under the right hereby confirmed, and to which such right is appurtenant, is as follows:

16.6 acres NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$
7.8 acres NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$
0.6 acre SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 16
Township 2 South, Range 38 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.

THIS IS A DRAFT OF WATER RIGHT CERTIFICATE

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

STATE OF OREGON

STATE ENGINEER

WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

SALEM

251 FINANCE BUILDING
170 12TH STREET S.E.

April 25, 1960

REFER TO
FILE NO. 26257

Mr. Elmer E. McCoy
Route 1
La Grande, Oregon

Dear Mr. McCoy:

On the reverse side of this paper is a copy of a draft of water right certificate to confirm the right under Permit No. 20609. 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

Return this paper to the State Engineer. Do not record in County Clerk's Office.

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.

June 2 - 1960
(Date)

Elmer E. McCoy
(Signature)

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STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF UNION

ORDER APPROVING AN ADDITIONAL POINT OF DIVERSION

Pursuant to ORS 540.510 to 540.530, after notice was given and no objections were filed, and finding that no injury to existing water rights would result, this order approves, as conditioned or limited herein, TRANSFER 8323 submitted by

GARI AND JOANNE PRICE
63974 MT GLEN ROAD
LA GRANDE, OREGON 97850.

The right to be modified, as evidenced by a portion of Certificate 27149, was perfected under Permit 20609 with a date of priority of JULY 31, 1951. The right allows the use of HUNTER CANYON, a tributary of the GRANDE RONDE RIVER, for IRRIGATION OF 25.0 ACRES. The amount of water to which this right is entitled is limited to an amount actually beneficially used and shall not exceed 0.50 cubic foot per second, if available at the authorized point of diversion: NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SECTION 16, T 2 S, R 38 E, W.M., or its equivalent in case of rotation, measured at the point of diversion from the source.

This is an order in other than a contested case. This order is subject to judicial review under ORS 183.484. Any petition for judicial review must be filed within the 60 day time period specified by ORS 183.484(2).

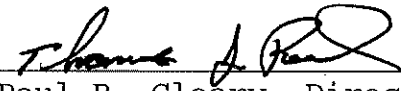
Pursuant to ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-004-080 and OAR 690-01-005 you may either petition for judicial review or petition the Director for reconsideration of this order.

3. **Prior** to diverting water from the new point of diversion, the water user **shall** install and maintain a headgate, an in-line flow meter, weir, or other suitable device for measuring and recording the quantity of water diverted. The type and plans of the headgate and measuring device must be approved by the Department prior to beginning construction and shall be installed under the general supervision of the Department.
4. Water shall be acquired from the same surface water source as the original point of diversion.

Certificate 27149 is canceled. When satisfactory proof of the completed change is received, a new certificate confirming this water right will be issued.

WITNESS the signature of the Water Resources

Director, affixed AUG 18 2003.


for Paul R. Cleary, Director

May 26, 1960

Elmer E. McCoy
Route 1
LaGrande, Oregon

Dear Sir:

On April 25, 1960, we mailed you a copy of a draft of the certificate in connection with the incomplete water right represented by your permit number 20609 granting a right to the use of 0.50 c.f.s. from the waters of Hunter Canyon for irrigation, together with the instructions that the affidavit be signed at the bottom of the page and the copy be returned to this office accompanied by the certificate recording fee in the amount of \$1.

To date this form has not been received nor has any correspondence regarding it. This is to notify you that unless we receive the signed draft form and the certificate recording fee within thirty days from the date of this letter, we will be required to take steps toward the cancellation of this permit.

Very truly yours,

LEWIS A. STANLEY
State Engineer

By
Trevor Jones
Assistant

Dlf.

August 25, 1955

Mr. Elmer E. McCoy
Rt. 1
La Grande, Oregon

This will acknowledge receipt of your notice to the effect that complete application of water has been made under Permit No. 20609.

Pursuant to your report and in line with the general practice of this office, a survey will be made at a later date. After this survey, proof may be made and certificate issued covering the actual use of water as found by the engineer. In the case of irrigation, any lands described in the permit that have not been irrigated will be automatically eliminated from the water right.

In the meantime, the permit which you hold will be valid evidence of the water right in question so long as you continue to use the water.

Very truly yours,

Lewis A. Stanley

LEWIS A. STANLEY
State Engineer

26257

August 4, 1954

.Mr. Elmer E. McCoy
Route 1
La Grande, Oregon

.Dear Mr. McCoy:

This acknowledges receipt of Form B, being notice of the completion of construction under Permit No. 20609 in the name of **Elmer E. McCoy.**

This report has been filed with other matter pertaining to the water right, and the permit is in good standing until October 1, 19 **55** when under its terms, all the water which it is intended to use at any time should be used to the full extent intended.

Yours very truly,

Chas. E. Stricklin

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

Form #119

December 22, 1952

Mr. Elmer E. McCoy
Route 1
LaGrande, Oregon

Dear Mr. McCoy:

This acknowledges receipt of Form A, being notice of the beginning of construction under Permit No. 20609, in the name of Elmer E. McCoy.

This report has been filed with other matter pertaining to the water right, and the permit is in good standing until October 1, 1954, when under its terms, construction should be completed.

Yours very truly,

Chas. E. Stricklin

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

Form #118

26257

March 31, 1952

Mr. Elmer E. McCoy
Route 1
La Grande, Oregon

Dear Mr. McCoy:
Enclosed herewith you will find Application No. 26257, Permit No. 20609,
together with blueprint.

26257

November 2, 1951

Mr. Elmer E. McCoy
Route 1
LaGrande, Oregon

Dear Mr. McCoy:

This is to notify you that your application No. 26257 for a permit to appropriate $1/2$ cubic foot of water per second from Hunter Canyon, tributary of Grande Ronde River for irrigation and stock now appears to be in satisfactory form and is being placed in line for approval and issuance of a permit.

Our receipt No. 13148 in the amount of \$10 is enclosed herewith to cover the balance in fees which you submitted.

Very truly yours,

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

By
Ed K. Humphrey, Assistant

EKH:mb

Enc - Receipt

STATE OF OREGON

STRICKLIN, STATE ENGINEER
SECRETARY
OF RECLAMATION COMMISSION
ELECTRIC COMMISSION OF OREGON

OFFICE OF THE
STATE ENGINEER
WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
SALEM

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS
CHAS. E. STRICKLIN, STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON
AND REFER TO FILE NO. 26257

September 27, 1951

Mr. Elmer E. McCoy
Route 1
LaGrande, Oregon

Dear Mr. McCoy:

In reply to your letter of September 24, 1951, this will advise you that your application for a permit to appropriate water from Hunter Canyon for irrigation and stock use has been filed and given No. 26257. The receipt for the statutory \$15.00 in fees, which you submitted, was mailed to Mr. Cochran.

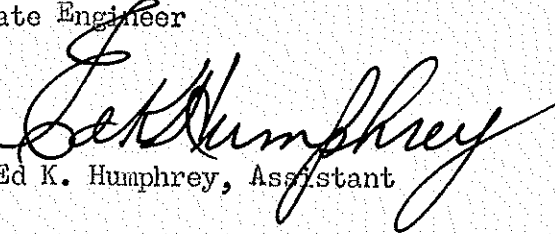
The fees which you submitted were sufficient to cover examination and recording fees in the matter of an irrigation filing, but if you wish your filing to cover stock use, as indicated by your application, you should submit the stock recording fees in the amount of \$10.00, as required by law.

On receipt of the balance due, in the amount of \$10.00, as above, your application can be placed in line for approval by issuance of a permit when the next group of permits is issued.

Very truly yours,

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

By


Ed K. Humphrey, Assistant

EKH:dlh

September 27, 1951

Mr. Elmer E. McCoy
Route 1
LaGrande, Oregon

Dear Mr. McCoy:

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Very truly yours,

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

By
Ed K. Humphrey, Assistant

EKH:dlh

26257

La Grande, Oregon
Sept. 24 - 1951

Mr. Chas. Stricklin
Salem, Oregon

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STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON

Dear Sir:

Recently Mr. Geo. Cochran sent a application
for a water right or permit on a stream running
through my farm.

I was wondering if you were
checking to see what procedure could
be done on this application.

Please write and let me know
as soon as possible.

Yours truly,

Elmer Ellis McCoy
Route #1

La Grande,
Oregon

August 28, 1951

Mr. George T. Cochran
Attorney at Law
First National Bank Building
LaGrande, Oregon

Dear Mr. Cochran:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 30, transmitting an application in the name of Elmer E. McCoy, for a permit to appropriate $\frac{1}{2}$ c.f.s. from Hunter Canyon for stock use and the irrigation of 25 acres, together with fees in the amount of \$15, for which our receipt No. 12701 is enclosed.

The Application has been filed and given No. 26257, and a priority of July 31, 1951 being the date that it was received.

The McCoy Application appears to be in order and it can be placed in line for approval and issuance of a permit when the next group of permits is issued, if you will submit the balance due in stock recording fees in the amount of \$10.

Very truly yours,

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN
State Engineer

By
Ed K. Humphrey, Assistant

EKH:mb

Enc - Receipt

Geo. T. COCHRAN
COLON R. EBERHARD

COCHRAN & EBERHARD
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
LA GRANDE, OREGON

July 30, 1951

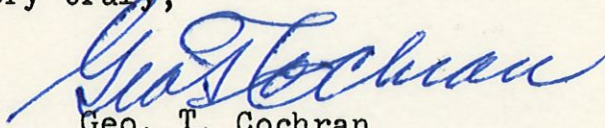
Hon. C. E. Stricklin
State Engineer
Salem, Oregon

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STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith application of Elmer E. McCoy to appropriate the waters of Hunter Canyon in Union County, with accompanying map, and our check for \$15.00 to cover the fees. Kindly acknowledge receipt and advise of action taken.

Yours very truly,


Geo. T. Cochran

GTC:J

Enc~~x~~

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Permit No. 20609

Application No. 26257

County Union

Proof of Appropriation of Water

1. Name Elmer E. McCoy 2. Address Rt. 1, LaGrande, Oregon
3. Source of supply Hunter Canyon
4. Amount of water 0.50 c.f.s. 5. Priority date July 31, 1951
6. Use Irrigation and stock; 1/10th - 3 acre feet and shall be still further limited to a diversion of not to exceed 0.50 c.f.s.

7. Location of point of diversion NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 16 Tp. 2 S. Rg. 38 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	Section	Legal Subdivision	No. Acres in Permit	No. Acres Actually Irrigated
2 S	38 E	16	NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	15	7.8
			NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	10	16.6
			SE-SW	Total - 25	0.6
					25.0

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

DESCRIPTION OF WORKS

9. (a) If a dam has been constructed, give description: Height, ft.; length on top, ft.; length on bottom, ft.; material used and character of construction,
.....
- (b) Give description of headgate: Width, ft.; depth, ft.; material used and character of construction,
.....
- (c) Size of canal: Width on top (at waterline), ft.; width on bottom, ft.; depth of water, ft.; grade, ft. fall per 1,000 ft. Actual capacity, sec.-ft.
Give general description:
.....
- (d) Pipe line: Description of intake,
.....
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? Actual capacity of pipe line, sec.-ft.
Give general description:
(Material: Steel, wrought, cast iron, wood stave, etc.)
.....
- (e) Pumping plant: Give size and type of pump,
Suction lift, ft.; discharge lift, ft. Type of motor used
Horsepower rating, H. P. Actual capacity of pump, sec.-ft.
10. During what months is water beneficially used?
11. State character of soil
Kind of crops raised
12. Does the accompanying map, filed with your application, show correctly the point of diversion, area of land irrigated, or place of use?
13. If not, wherein is such map in error?
.....
14. Domestic use: Give number of families actually using water at this time
15. If for power, mining, municipal, manufacturing, storage or any other purpose than irrigation, give extent and method of such use
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AFFIDAVIT OF APPROPRIATOR

STATE OF OREGON,

County of

} ss.

I, being first duly sworn, depose and say that I have read the above and foregoing proof of appropriation of water; that I know the contents thereof, and that the facts therein stated are true.

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of, 19.....

Notary Public for Oregon

[Notarial Seal]

My commission expires

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

STATE OF OREGON,

County of

} ss.

We,, and of, being first duly sworn, depose and say that we are well acquainted with the facts and conditions set forth in the foregoing statement relative to proof of appropriation of water under Permit No., that we and each of us have been over and upon each tract described in said proof, and from such personal inspection have knowledge that all necessary ditches, dams and other diversion and distributing works have been constructed, and water used as stated therein; that we have carefully read such proof of appropriation, and that each and every statement contained therein is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of, 19.....

Notary Public for Oregon

[Notarial Seal]

My commission expires

REPORT OF PERSON MAKING INSPECTION

(For use by Representative of State Engineer)

I, R. H. Jackson, do hereby certify that I have made an inspection of the works described herein and in Permit No. 22609, on the 7 day of August, 1959, and found the foregoing statements and descriptions of works to be accurate. In my opinion the appropriation has been completed to the extent of _____ (Quantity of water in second-feet or acre-feet) and I recommend the issuance of water right certificate for this amount.

NOTICE TO INSPECTORS

If conditions do not justify the above report by you, please return the proof without your signature, with a full report by letter.

R. H. Jackson
(Name)

Field Engineer
(Title)

Land not irrigated 1959 season, so no headworks.
Div. Pt. shown on photo.

Permanent ditch from D.P. to top of field.

Puts in ditches across high spots of field with walking plow.

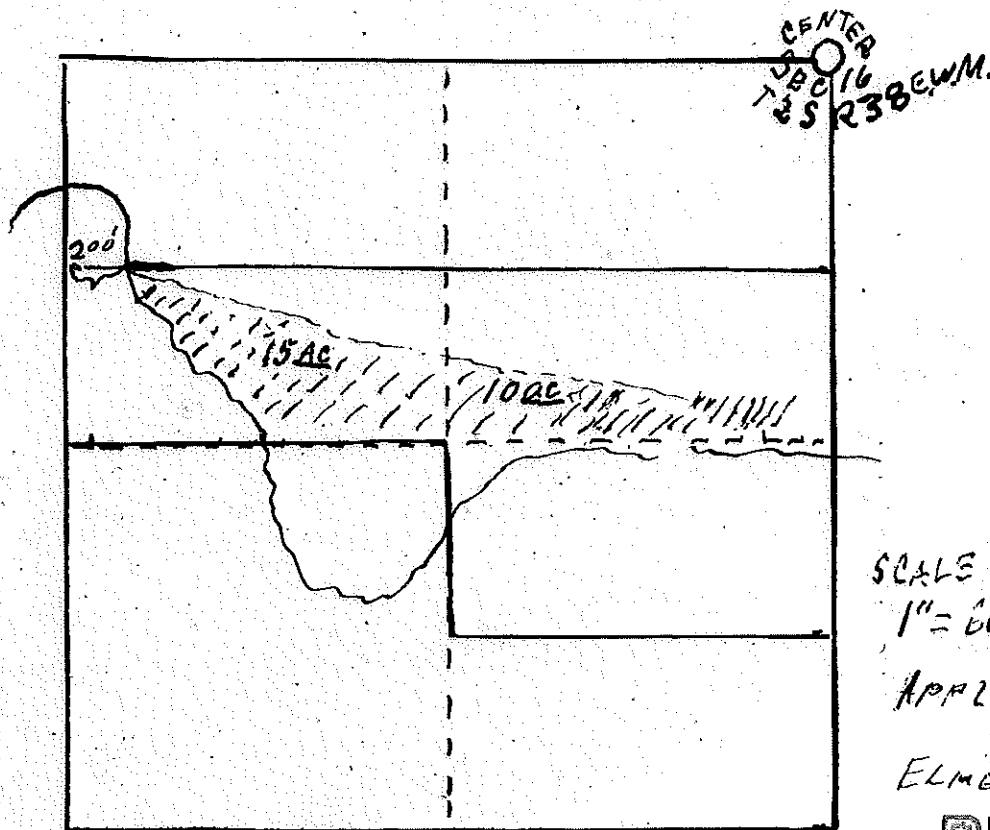
Since no ditches in row and none show on photo, we could not locate.

Land lays well for this type of ditching.

Crop: Spring Wheat. Only uses early in season.

Information: Mrs. McCoy

Application No. 26257
Permit No. 20609



SCALE
1" = 660'

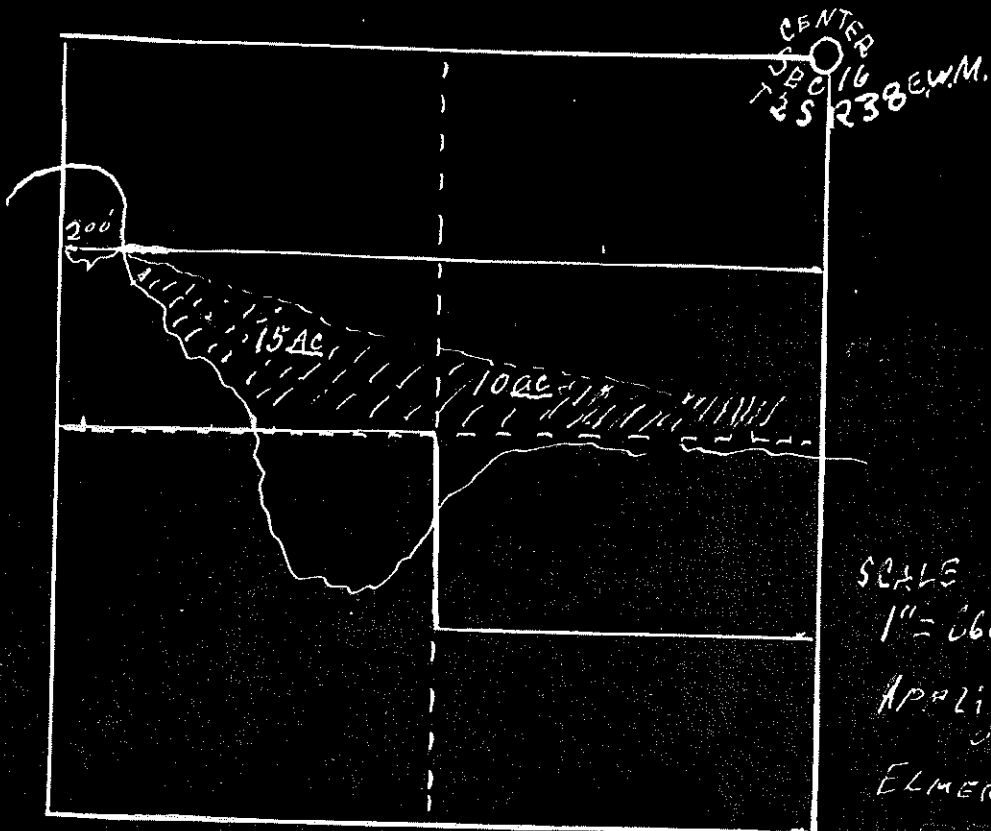
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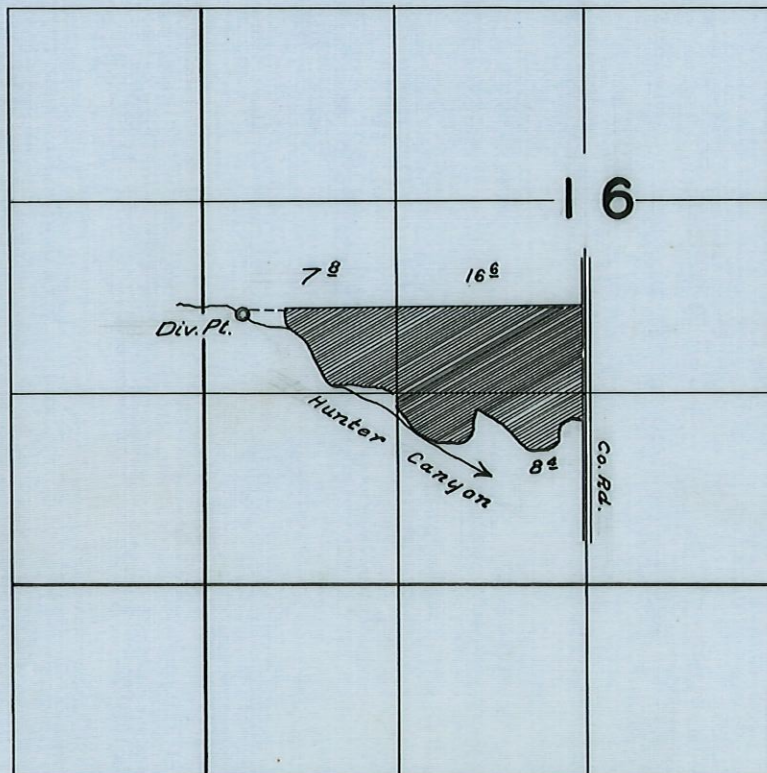
JUL 31 1951

STATE ENGINEER
SALEM, OREGON

APPLICATION No. 26257
Parcel No. 20609



T. 2S. R. 38E. W.M.



FINAL PROOF SURVEY
UNDER

Application No. 26257 Permit No. 20609
IN NAME OF

Elmer E. McCoy

Surveyed Aug. 7, 1959, by R.H. Jackson.