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**STATE OF MONTANA**

**ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE**

**OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER**

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**Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights**

(Pursuant to Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

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**(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)**

**County of**

(Initials)

**State of**

(Initials)

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1. (Initials) have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

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2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based.

- [ ] Stock water

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3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been.

- [ ] Apr. - 1946

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4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute).

- [ ] 10 eggs

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5. If used for irrigation, give the area and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

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6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal.

- [ ] Windmills

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7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater.

- [ ] Drilled Aug 33 - 1946

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8. The depth of water table.

- [ ] (a) National Level - 55 ft.
- [ ] (b) National Level 10 ft.

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9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater.

- [ ] (b) Drilled, 7" casing, 106 ft. - Windmills

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10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn, each year.

- [ ] Pumps Continuous

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11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available.

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12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record.

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**Signature of Owner**

(Initials)  
Date: Dec 30, 1963

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Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

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**STATE OF MONTANA**
**MONTANA WATER RESOURCES BOARD**

**NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION BY MEANS OF WELL**

Developed after January 1, 1962
(Under Chapter 237 Montana Session Laws, 1961, as amended)

This form to be prepared by driller, and three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder in the county in which the well is located, last copy to be retained by driller.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form may be returned.

**Owner**...

**Address**...

**Date well started**...

**Date well completed**...

**Type of well**...

**Equipment used**...

**Water Use**...

*Describe*

**USE**: If used for irrigation, industrial, drainage or other. Explain, state number of acres and location or other data (i.e. Lot, Block and Addition).

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Static water level...

Pumping water level...

Well developed by...

Power...

Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shutoff)

**INDICATE LOCATION OF WELL AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE. EACH SMALL SQUARE REPRESENTS 40 ACRES.**

**Driller's Signature**...

**Driller's Address**...

**LICENSE NO.**...
**APPROPRIATION BY MEANS OF WELL**

*Developed after January 1, 1962*

(Under Chapter 237 Montana Session Laws, 1961, as amended)

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Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form may be returned.

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Date well started: 7-22-72

Completed: 7-29-72

Type of well: Drilled

Equipment used: Rotary

Water Use: Domestic [ ] Municipal [ ] Stock [x] Irrigation [ ]

Industrial [ ] Drainage [ ] Other [ ] Garden/Lawn [x]

*Describe USE: If used for irrigation, industrial, drainage or other. Explain, state number of acres and location or other data (i.e. Lot, Block and Addition).*

**ESTIMATED ANNUAL WITHDRAWAL**

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PERFORATIONS

- Static water level... ft.
- Pumping water level... ft.
- Measured... minutes after pumping begun.

*Measured from ground level. Well developed by... hours. Power Pump... HP*

- Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shutoff)

INDICATE LOCATION OF WELL AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE. EACH SMALL SQUARE REPRESENTS 40 ACRES.

Driller's Signature: [Signature]

Driller's Address: [Address]
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Name of Appropriator: Dr. M. Davis

County of Custer

State of Montana

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:
   - Drinking Water, Irrigation

2. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been:
   - (A) Jan 1, 1945 - Drilled
   - (B) 1952
   - (C) Sept 1965

3. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 10 gal per min.

4. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:
   - None

5. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location, each well or other means of withdrawal:
   - Threarnillar flow

6. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:
   - (A) 1945
   - (B) 1952
   - (C) 1965

7. The depth of water table:
   - (A) 5 ft
   - (B) 10 ft
   - (C) Flushing

8. The type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:
   - (A) 40 ft
   - (B) 60 ft
   - (C) 80 ft

9. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
   - Used Continuously

10. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:
   - Not Available

11. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

12. Signature of Owner:

   Signature of Owner: Dr. M. Davis

   Date: Dec 30, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation by Means of Well
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1951)

Owner:
Address:
Driller: Lloyd Kipnis
Address: Miles City

Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater
Date well started: 10-7-62 Date Completed: 12-9-62

Type of well Drilled Equipment Used: Rotary
(dug, driven, bored or drilled)

Water Use: Domestic □ Municipal □ Stock □ Irrigation □ Industrial □ Drainage □ Other □

Indicate on the diagram the character and thickness of the different strata met with in drilling, such as soil, clay, shale, gravel, rock or sand, etc. Show depth at which water is encountered, thickness and character of water-bearing strata and height to which the water rises in the well.

Static Water Level for non-flowing Well 37 feet.
Shut-in Pressure for Flowing Well
Pumping Water Level 30 feet at 10 gal. per minute.
Discharge in gal. per min. of flowing well
How Tested Length of Test
Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shutoff, location of place of use of groundwater if not at well, and any other similar pertinent information, including number of acres irrigated, if used for irrigation)

This form to be prepared by driller, and three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder in the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the School of Mines and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

Doree Hort
(Name of Approporator)
of 717 Phillips St, Miles City
(Address)
County of Custer, State of Montana

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: Stock water

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been: 1919 AD

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 2 gallons per minute

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the land to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: none

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: flowing spring

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1918 AD

8. The depth of water table: flowing spring

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: not made

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 2

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: not made

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: ?

Signature of Owner: __________________________
Date: __________________________

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
DECLAREATION OF VESTED GROUNDWATER RIGHTS

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Bruce Crouzet
   (Name of Appropriator)
   of Crouzet Ranch, Miles City
   (Address)
   (Town)
   County of Custer
   State of Montana

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based... livestock water use...

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been...
   10/23/60 a Continuously...

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute)... 30 gallons per minute...

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof...

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal... windmill...

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater...

8. The depth of water table... water level 27'
   Draw down under pumping to 30'

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater... total depth 55'
   Cased with 4" casing...

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year...

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available...

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record...

Signature of Owner...

Date 10/30/67

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.

42,582
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights  
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Bruce Orcutt  
   (Name of Appropriator)  
   of  
   (Address)  
   Miles City  
   (Town)  
   County of Custer  
   State of Montana  
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: livestock water use.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been since then.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 30 gallons per minute.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal.

7. The depth of water table: depth to water level 21'.

8. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: depth of well 62'; based with 6' casing to bottom.

9. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.

10. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available.

11. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record.

Signature of Owner: Bruce Orcutt  
Date: 10-30-67

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
STATE OF MONTANA
COUNTY OF CUSTER

THIS INSTRUMENT WAS FILED FOR RECORD IN MY OFFICE ON THIS 30 DAY OF
Nov., 1967, at 10:52
O'CLOCK A.M. AND DUE RECORDED
IN BOOK
OF
AT PAGE
COUNTY CLERK AND EX-OFFICIO RECORDER
BY
DEPUTY
PRIOR TO
DECLARATION OF VESTED GROUNDWATER RIGHTS

(File No. 42,584)

STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Bruce Osvin of Osvin Ranch Miles City
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
   County of Custer State of Montana
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: livestock water

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 7-26-54, continuous
   seasonally

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 7 gal

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof
   None

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: windmill

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 7-26-54

8. The depth of water table: 90 ft

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: drilled to total depth of 250 ft, named with 4", Width about 10 gal per minute, but had to have another 50 ft of well added to continue production

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: ?

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: ?

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: ?

Signature of Claimant: Bruce Osvin
Date: 10-30-67

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology; and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
# Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Bruce Ortutt of Grout Ranch Miles City

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County of Custer

State of Montana

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: **livestock water**

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: **8-30-13 & continuously**

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): **50 gallons per minute** (it is flowing at about 7 gallons per minute without pumping)

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of the well or other means of withdrawal, namely: **had a windmill and also pump-plant. May want to use both as some future date**. In free-draining at present time.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: **ANABOT**

8. The depth of water table: **water level at about 3' below surface**

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: **Hand dig well approximately 27' deep about a 40' water in it. Big reservoir above it. Hydraulics pressure from reservoir in sub-strata causes well to flow**

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: **?**

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: **sandstone, gravel, sand, blue shale**

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: **?**

Signature of Owner: **Bruce Ortutt**

Date: **10-30-67**

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Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
STATE OF MONTANA

COUNTY OF CLUSTER

This instrument was filed for record in my office on this third day of
November, 1962, at 10:57 A.M., and duly recorded in Book ______ at Page ______.

COUNTY CLERK AND EXERCISED RECEIVED

By: __________________________

[Signature]
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Bruce Orrick
   (Name of Appropriator)
   of Orrick Ranch
   Miles City
   (Address)
   (Town)
   County of Carter
   State of Montana

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: Livestock watering.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been: 10-10-60 & continuously.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 25 gallons per minute.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater...

8. The depth of water table...

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size, and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater...

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year...

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available...

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record...

Signature of Owner: Bruce Orrick
Date: 10-10-67

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

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42,586
**Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights**

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

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1. Have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: **livestock water use**.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: **9-27-62 & continuous seasonally**.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner’s inches or gallons per minute): **15 gallons per minute**.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acres and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: **Electric well operated pump jack & also submersible**.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: **38 above**.

8. The depth of water table: **water level 23’**.

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: **total length of well 35’ covered with 6’ casing**.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: **?**.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: **water table in strata of gravel and blue sand**.

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this Act, including reference to book and page of any county record: **?**.

Signature of Owner: **Bruce Croott**

Date: **10-30-67**

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.

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COUNTY OF CLUSTER

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STATE OF MONTANA
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OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Bruce O'Quinn
of O'Quinn Ranch Miles City

County of Carter
State of Montana

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: livestock water use.

2. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been: 7-30-54 & continuously.

3. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 1/2 gallons per minute.

4. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

5. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal.

6. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater. The depth of water table: 22' to water level.

7. The depth of water table: 22' to water level.

8. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater. Total depth 200', casing 4'.

9. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: ?

10. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: ?

11. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: ?

Signature of Owner: Bruce O'Quinn
Date: 10-30-67

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Counties: Carter  
State of: Montana

I have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. **The beneficial use on which the claim is based:** Livestock water use.

2. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been. 7-15-42 & intermittently since.

3. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner’s inches or gallons per minute). 8 gallons per minute.

4. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

5. Indicate point of appropriation and place of use, if possible. Each small square represents 10 acres.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater. Not used continually.

8. The depth of water table. Approximately 5' but pumps down to bottom at 26'.

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size, and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater. Hand dug well, metal casing 30'.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year. Not used much.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available. Gravel, mixed soils.

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record.

Signature of Owner: Bruce Groutt  
Date: 10-20-67

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(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Bruce Orentt  
   (Name of Appropriator)  
   of  
   Orentt Ranch  
   Miles City  
   (Address)  
   (Town)  
   County of  
   Custer  
   State of  
   Montana  

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1960, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based. **livestock water**

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been. 6-15-35 **very little use since, 37, 38**.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) **10 gallons per minute**.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal **windmill & heavy duty pump jack**.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater. **as above**.

8. The depth of water table. **water level 280 ft.**

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater. **1937 total depth, casing and operated with a 5hp working harvest and wood pump, vary heavy lift**.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year. **?**

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available. **?**

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record. **?**

   Signature of Owner: **Bruce Orentt**  
   Date: 10-30-67

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STATE OF MONTANA
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OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Bruce Crockett
of Miles City
(Address)
(Town)
County of Custer
State of Montana
have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: livestock watering.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been. 7-20-40 & continuously.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute). 5 gallons per minute.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: pump jack.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater. 1960.

8. The depth of water table. 

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater. Total depth of well 20'. Bandage and rock and metal casing - later dug out with a cut to make a living water hole. May have to divert the water back into casing and pump with pump jack or windmill at later date.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available.

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record.

Signature of Owner: Bruce Crockett
Date: 10-20-67

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 297, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Bruce Cottrell of Cottrell Ranch Miles City

County of Custer State of Montana

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: Livestock water

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 10-23-61 & continuous.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 10 gallons per minute.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: none.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: windmill.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, windmill, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: as above.

8. The depth of water table: ?

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: 4" casing - total depth 202'.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: ?

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: ?

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: 

Signature of Owner: Bruce Cottrell
Date: 10-30-67

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and quadruplicate for the Approprietor.

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have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: **livestock water use**.

2. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 10-10-56 & continuously.

3. This well was drilled in an old hand dug well which was put in about 1913 and has been used almost continuously prior to our use.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 15 gallons per minute.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:

8. The depth of water table:

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

Signature of Owner: **Bruce Crocutt**
Date: 10-30-56

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COUNTY OF CUSTER  

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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Carl A. Dodge of Buffalo Stop, Miles City
   County of: Carbon
   State of: Montana
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

   2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: Stock Water

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use: all year

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 3 gallons per minute

   5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:

   6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: Hand pump

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:

   8. The depth of water table:

   9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:

   12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

   Signature of Owner: Carl A. Dodge
   Date: October 31, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION BY MEANS OF WELL
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1965)

OWNER: Carl Dodge
Address: Miles City, Mont.

DRILLER: Earl Drake
Address: Melfa, Mont.

Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater

Date well started: Aug. 1965
Completed: Aug. 1965

Type of well: Drilled
Equipment used: Rotary
(dug, driven, bored, drilled) (churn, drill, rotary, other)

Water Use: Domestic / Municipal / Stock / Other / Drainage / Irrigation

Indicate on diagram character and thickness of different strata in drilling - soil, clay, shale, gravel, rock, sand. Show depth at which water is found, thickness and character of water-bearing strata and height to which water rises.

Drilled Casing (feet) (feet) from To Size & Weight

Static Water Level for non-flowing well 196 feet.
Shut-in Pressure for Flowing Well
Pumping Water Level 216 feet at 40 gal. per minute
Discharge in gal. per min. of flowing well
How Tested: Pumping & Bailing
Length of Test: 4 days
Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shutoff, location of use if not at well, other similar pertinent information, including number of acres irrigated, if any)

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this day of , 196

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this day of , 196

Driller's License Number

Driller's Signature
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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County of: 
State of: 

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: 

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:

8. The depth of water table:

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

Signature of Owner: 
Date:

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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

1. Bureau of Birth Management of: Miles City, Montana
   County of: Custer
   State of: Montana

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: Stab

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: December 27, 1963

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 6 gal per minute

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: 

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: 

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 

8. The depth of water table: wells are average of 100 feet

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: 

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: 

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: 


Signature: 
Date: Dec 26, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
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At 11 4 6 O'Clock P.M.
Dec 2. 1913
H. C. Anderson
County Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder of
Custer County, Montana

Rud. Pratt
Deputy
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
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(Name of Appropriator) 

County of 

State of 

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continued the use has been.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater.

8. The depth of water table.

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available.

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including references to book and page of any county record.

Signature of Owner: 

Date: 

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1. (Name of Appropriator) /Address)
   County of /State of

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continued the use has been:

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute):

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:

8. The depth of water table:

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

Signature of Owner:

Date:

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2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: 

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use and how continuous the use has been: 1924 to date.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches per minute): 5 gallons per minute.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: Small Garden, Carl C. Dodge.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: Pump with electric motor.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: March 1934, deep well, 18 feet deep.

8. The depth of water table: 18 feet.

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: 3 ft. Corning 12 ft. deep, pump cylinder.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 100,000 gallons.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: About 4 feet.

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record.

Signature of Owner: Carl C. Dodge
Date: October 31, 1963

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**Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights**  
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. **Bruce Orcutt**  
   **Name:** Lower Piano Box Creek  
   **Address:** Miles City  
   **Town:** (State of Montana)  
   **County:** Carter  
   **Date:** (Name of Appropriator)  
   **State of Montana** have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

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2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: **Livestock water**

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: **1865-1895 and continuous**

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): **20 gallons per minute**

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: **Submersible pump**

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:

8. The depth of water table: **to water table about 15' to 20'**

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: **well depth 50', cased with 4' well, grout 60' sand and gravel**

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: as above

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

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**Signature of Owner:** Bruce Orcutt  
**Date:** 10-30-67

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
DECLARATION OF VESTED GROUNDWATER RIGHTS

(Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Bruce Ortutt of Ortutt Ranch Milan City
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
   County of Chouteau State of Montana

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based, 
   Livestock water

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1-1-55
   Continuously

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 5 gallons per minute

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal, Windmill

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, v.2% or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: as above

8. The depth of water table: 70' to water and draw down to 205'

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:
   Total depth 160', casing with 4". Balled about 2 gal continuous

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

   Signature of Owner
   Date 10-10-67

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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

I, Bruce Orcutt, of Orcutt Ranch, Miles City,
have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: Livestock water

2. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use: Approximately 1937

3. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 10 gallons per minute

4. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

5. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: windmill

6. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1937

7. The depth of water table: 200 feet

8. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: 200 feet

9. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 10 gallons per minute

10. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: 

11. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: 

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Signature of Owner: Bruce Orcutt
Date: 10-30-67
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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Bruce Ovatti
   (Name of Appropriator)
   of Ovatti Ranch
   (Address)
   (Town)
   County of
   State of Montana
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: Livestock water

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous this use has been. Reclamation of a spring used since the 1800's for stock water but drilled and named 12-11-54

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 50 gal per minute

5. If used for irrigation: give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: Windmill

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:

8. The depth of water table: water table begins about 6' and drops down about 1' with heavy pumping

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size, and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: All vertical segments, named and drilled:

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 7000 gallons continuously

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: sand and gravel

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record.

Signature of Owner: Bruce Ovatti
Date: 10-30-67

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

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