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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1862)

1. Name of Appropriator
   County of
   Address
   Town
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1862, 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:
   April, 1960

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute):
   5 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:
   June 1960

8. The depth of water table:
   Surface to 4 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:

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
    1,051,200

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:

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 Colorado
County of Eagle

DEC 30 1963

Filed at 12:05 o'clock A.M.

County Clerk and Recorder

[Signature]

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

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

(Name of Appropriator)  
(Address)  
(Town)  

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): gallons per month

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: Dec 30, 1962

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 Pondera

Filed
at 12:00 a.m.

DEC 30 1963

[Signature]

County Clerk and Recorder
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

(Owner) of, (Address) (Town)

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

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.

2. The date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been.

3. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or 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.

7. The depth of water table.

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.

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:

Date:

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

C/o U.S. Corps of Engineers
Box 4425, Great Falls, Montana

Agent.
State of Montana

County of Cascade

Declaration of vested groundwater rights have been made according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. United States of America
2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:
   Domestic use
3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been:
   21 October 1960
   Continuous use
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 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:
   Electrical lift pump
7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:
   Started - 26 September 1960
   Completed - 21 October 1960
8. The depth of water table:
   1196 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:
   Drilled vertical well - 1385 feet
10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
    2380 gallons
11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: Sand, sandstone, and bentonite
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:
   United States of America
   By: John P. Ritchie, Actg Chief
   Great Falls Real Estate Office
   Date: October 26, 1962

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

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

Estate of Mina A. Robinson, Deceased

1. By Charles M. Glass, Agent
   (Name of Appropriator) of Denton
   (Address) (Town)
   County of Fergus, 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

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1950—continuous

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

5. If used for irrigation, give the average 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:
   Pipe and cylinder

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: Fall of 1950

8. The depth of water table: 270 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:
   A inch casing

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 91,250 gallons

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: Shale, probably
   Eagle sandstone

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:

Estate of Mina A. Robinson, Deceased
By
Signature of Owner
Agent
Date December 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.
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(State of Montana, Administrator of Groundwater Code, Office of State Engineer

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Name of Appropriate: ______________________________ (Address): ______________________________ (Town): ______________________________

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 for 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: ______________________________

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

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

1. CHARLES and LUCILE CLAPP
   (Name of Appropriator)
   of Denton
   (Address)
   (Town)

   County of Fergus
   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, household, garden and yard irrigation

   3. Date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been: January, 1936

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

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

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

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: January, 1936

   8. The depth of water table: 28 feet — drill down to 42 feet

   9. The general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: 6-inch hole with 5-inch casing

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 500,000 gallons

   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well: Eagle 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: [Signature]
   Date: December 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

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

Travers, Oliver L., of...., Montana
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:
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4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute):
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5. If used for irrigation, give the average 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:
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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:
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8. The depth of water table:
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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:
   ...

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

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:
    ...

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.

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State of Montana  
County of Fergus  

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Clerk and Recorder  

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

1. Name of Appropriator: ____________________________
   Address: ____________________________
   Town: ____________________________
   County: ____________________________
   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: ____________________________

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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.

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State of Montana, County of Fergus.

Filed \textit{Dec. 3, 1963} at 8:30 a.m.

\textit{Wayne Hathaway}

County Clerk and Recorder
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. (Name of Appropriator) (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: ______________________

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): ______________________

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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.

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

County of ___________________________ State of ___________________________

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

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Signature of Owner ___________________________

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State of Montana
County of Park

Filed: DEC. 3 1963
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County Clerk and Recorder

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WATER WELL LOG

John Brown

Owner

Address

Driller

August 1, 1944

Drill: No. 2, 1,100

Date Started

Date Completed

Location: Sec. 1 T. 19 R. 7 R. W

Type of well: Drilled

Equipment used: Churn drill, rotary, other

Water use: Domestic □ Municipal □ Stock □ Irrigation □

Industrial □ Drainage □ Other: □

Casing: ft. to ft. Type Size

Perforated or Screened: Ft. to Ft. □ to Ft. □ to Ft. □

Type of screen or perforations: Slot

Static Water level, for non-flowing well: feet

Shut-in pressure, for flowing well: lb. sq. in. on: (date)

Pumping water level: feet at gal. per min.

How tested:

Length of test

Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shut-off, depth of shut-off)

Shoe on bottom of well:

(over)
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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
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: Jones
Address: 123 Main St.

Date well started: July 1, 1972
Completed: August 1, 1972

Type of well: Drilled
Equipment used: Rotary

Water Use: Domestic
Industrial

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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Static water level: 40 feet
Pumping water level: 0 feet
Well developed by: Drilled
Power: Pump: 1 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: John Doe
Driller's Address: 123 Main St.

LICENSE NO: 123

48575

Show exact depth of bottom
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

1. Gerald J. Patterson, of Helger
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
   County of Forsyth, 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

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1950 continued use

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: No irrigation

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

   SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 19, T.14 R.17

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1950

8. The depth of water table: 70

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 6" casing, 150' deep

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 60,000 gallons

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: Not 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: None

Signature of Owner: Gerald J. Patterson
Date: Dec. 30, 1962

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. **Gerald Simmons**, of **Helga**, County of **Fergus**, State of **Montana**

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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: **1930**

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): **64 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: **No Irrigation**

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: **Wind Mill and Manual Pump**

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: **1930**

8. The depth of water table: **20 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: **Dug well 4 ft. diameter, 40 ft. deep**

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: **200,000 gallons**

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: **Not 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: **N/A**

Signature of Owner: **Gerald Simmons**

Date: **Dec. 30, 1963**

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Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater

1. We, Norman Bros., a partnership, of Winifred, Montana, (Name of Appropriator) intend to appropriate groundwater in accordance with Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws of 1961.

2. The beneficial use to which water is to be applied is stock watering and irrigation in Sections 28, 29, 33, and 34 of Township 19, Range 17 E. M. P.

3. County of Fergus, State of Montana, (Location of Appropriator) intend to appropriate groundwater in accordance with Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws of 1961.

4. The rate of use in gallons per minute or miner's inches of groundwater claimed is 250.

5. The annual period (inclusive dates) of intended use is May 1, to October 31.

6. The probable or intended date of commencement and completion of the well or wells is May 29, 1968.

7. The location, type, size and depth of well or wells contemplated is an excavation approximately 30' x 15' deep to be located in SW¼ Sec. 34, T 19, R. 17 E. M. P.

8. The probable or estimated depth of the water table or artesian aquifer is 6'.

9. Name, address, and license number of the driller engaged is Herbert Tindall (contractor) with work will be done with dragline.

10. Give such other similar information as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act. A gasoline pump will pump the seepage water from the excavation to an existing ditch and then to the land to be irrigated.

As defined in the Code Sec. 1 (c) "Well" means any artificial opening or excavation in the ground, however made, by which groundwater can be obtained or through which it flows under natural pressures or is artificially withdrawn.

Signature of Appropriate

Date May 29, 1968

Three copies of this notice are to be filed with 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 School of Mines and Quadruplicate for the Appropriate.
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation
Without Well
Developed After January 1, 1962
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Date of Appropriation of Groundwater: June 10, 1968
Owner: Norman Brothers
Address: Winifred, Montana
Contractor (if any): Herbert Tindall
Address of Contractor: Lewistown, Montana
Date Started: June 3, 1968
Date Completed: June 3, 1968

1) Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.):
   An excavation has been dug and a gasoline pump will pump the water from the excavation into an existing ditch and then to the place of use.

2) Means of withdrawing water (gravity, pump, canal, etc.):
   Gasoline pump.

3) Depth of water table:
   8 ft.

4) Use of the water:
   Stock watering and irrigation

5) Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches, or gallons per minute):
   250 miner's inches

6) If used for irrigation give number of acres and description of
   land:
   200 acres in Sections 23, 27, 33 and 34 of Township 19 North, Range 17 East M.P.M.

7) Estimate amount of water used each year:
   Unknown at present

Signature of Owner: Martin Bros. by Martin Norman
Date: June 12, 1968

This form to be prepared by contractor (if any), otherwise by the owner.

Three copies of this notice are to be filed with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the works are located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.
State of Montana, County of Forsyth

Filed JUN 12 1968

2:30 p.m.

Mary Schaller
County Clerk and Recorder

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DEPARTMENT OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

HENRY VAN HAUR
(Name of Appropriator)

1. Pile No. 1

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 About June 1960 and used continuously since:

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

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

   Not applicable

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

   Flowing spring; spring located in Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 34

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

   About June, 1960

8. The depth of water table:

   Comes to 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:

   Spring cleaned and dug out to increase natural flow, boxed with wood with 1 1/2" pipe out; flows about 100'

   West into water hole and then down course into dam in Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of said Section 34; all used for stock water

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

    About 2,500,000 gallons per year

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

    Not applicable

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:

    None

Signature of Owner:

HENRY VAN HAUR

Date: December 31st, 1963

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise this 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 Fergus, ss.

COPY

Filed ____________________ 19
at 2:40 o'clock, P.M.

P.O.

MAY RATHBUN

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
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: Lyle F. Clow
Address: W. of Suffolk

Date well started: Dec. 31, 1970
Completed: Jan. 3, 1971

Type of well: Drilled
Equipment used: Rotary
Water Use: Domestic

*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: 110,650 gallons

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INDICATE LOCATION OF WELL AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE.

Each small square represents 40 acres.

Driller's Signature
Driller's Address: NTE 2, Box 4, Lewistown, Montana

LICENSE NO. 39
State of Montana,
County of Powell,

Filed: JAN 28, 1971

William (signature)
County Clerk and Recorder
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation by Means of Well
DEVELOPED AFTER JANUARY 1, 1962
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Owner: George Jimmerson
Address: Suffolk, Montana

Driller: George O. Singsley
Address: Lewistown, Montana

Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater: May 24, 1967
Date Well Started: May 24, 1967
Date Completed: May 24, 1967

Type of Well: Drilled
Equipment Used: Rotary
(Dug, Driven, bored or drilled)

Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shutoff

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.

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, tissue copy to be
retained by driller.

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

Driller's License Number

Driller's Signature

[Diagram and table information redacted for privacy]
State of Montana,
County of Fergus,

JUN 22 1987
Filed
at 2:05 P.M.

County Clerk and Recorder
Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation by Means of Well

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Top of Ground

Owner: Gerald Jiemerson  
Address: Lewistown, Montana

Driller: George U. Singley  
Address: Lewistown, Montana

Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater: None

Date well started: Aug. 15, 1962  
Date completed: Aug. 13, 1962

Type of well: Drilled  
Equipment used: Cable Tool

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.

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Static Water Level for non-flowing Well: 60 feet

Shut-in Pressure for Flowing Well:

Pumping Water Level: 60 feet at 50 gal. per minute.

Discharge in gal. per min. of flowing well:

How Tested: Bailing  
Length of Test: 1 hr.

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)

Rubber gasket above perforations.

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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,
County of Fergus.

Dec. 1, 1852, at 3:00 o'clock P.M.

MAY RATHBUN
County Clerk and Recorder
**WATER WELL LOG**

**STATE ENGINEER**

**Address:** MONTANA

**Date Started:** ABOUT JULY 1, 1960  
**Date Completed:** JULY 15, 1960

**Location:** Sec. 21 T. 19 R. 18 Sec. S.E. 4

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**Water use:**

- Domestic  
- Municipal  
- Stock ✓  
- Irrigation  
- Industrial  
- Drainage  
- Other:  

**Casing:**  
- 281 ft. to ft.  
- Type: C.D. A. A. A. Size: 4/6  
- ft. to ft.  
- Type:  
- Size:  
- Perforated or Screened:  
- 213.4 ft. to ft.  
- Type of screen or perforations:  
- SHOTS  
- 5/6 X 4"  
- Static Water level, for non-flowing well:  
- 2.0 ft.  
- Shut-in pressure, for flowing well:  
- lb/sq. in. on:  
- (date)  
- Pumping water level:  
- 24 ft. at  
- gal. per min.  
- How tested: BALEY  
- Length of test: 2 HOURS  
- Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shut-off, depth of shut-off)  

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

1. **Raymond Steeneman**, of **Christina**, County of **Fergus**, State of **Montana**

Local Government Information

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2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based is **STOCK WATER**.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: **JUNE 1961 CONTINUOUS**.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): **100 FT. **

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: **IRI**.

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: **JUNE 1961**.

8. The depth of water table: **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: **100 FT. DEEP**.

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

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

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: **NOTE**.

Signature of Owner: **Raymond Steeneman**

Date: **12/20/63**

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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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
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Charles L. Erdman
(Name of Appropriator)

County of Fergus

State of Montana

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

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

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:
   - Stock Water
   - 1952

3. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:
   - 1952

4. The depth of water table:
   - 14 feet

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

6. The acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:
   - None available

7. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:
   - None available

8. 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:

9. Signature of Owner:

   [Signature]

   [Date]

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OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

1. Charles P. & Virginia R. Delaney, of 513 Hawthorne Ave., Lewistown (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

County of Fergus, 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 Year 1900. Continuously until 1936, when a dam was built, so since then, well is used whenever the dam goes dry

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) Used for 100 head of cattle

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

   Pump with gasoline engine

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

   Well was dug in 1900, and filled up about 1936

8. The depth of water table

   About 50 feet or more

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

   About a 40 foot well, 15 feet diameter, rock walled

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year

    Supplies water for 100 head stock

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

    none

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

    ...none...

   Signature of Owner Virginia R. Delaney
   Date 10/20/1963

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.
State of Montana,
County of Fergus

Filed: DEC 26 1963
at 1:45 p.m.

[Signature]
County Clerk and Recorder

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

1. Charles P. & Virginia R. Delaney, of 315 Hawthorne Ave., Lewistown, Montana
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

   County of Fergus, 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, domestic use occasionally.

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1954; continuous.

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) used for 200 head cattle, supply seems unlimited.

   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: not used for irrigation.

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

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1958.

   8. The depth of water table: About 56 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: brick well, three and one-half feet deep.

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: as many as 200 head cattle.

   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: blue shale, a little rock, and sort of sand rock in the bottom.

   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: vital for stock.

   Signature of Owner: Virginia R. Delaney.

   Date: 12/31/62.

   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
County of Fergus

Filed...DEC 26 1969...

at...1:45...o'clock P.M.

Ken Kassman
County Clerk and Recorder

20-76-21
Montana State Engineer
Helena, Montana

December 30, 1963

Dear Sir:

In regard to recent ground water rights filing, we
find that we may have a section number wrong on one
of our papers next to you. If so, it is the one
on which the location description is written in dark
ink, and the original filing number here is 17043,
filed on December 15th, 1963, Fergus County.


We would be happy to have you check to see if we have
corrected the section number correctly. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

[Additional Signature]

P.S. We would like you to correct this number if it is in error.
**STATE OF MONTANA**
**ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE**
**OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER**

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

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**1.** 
**Samuel K. Phillips**
(Name of Appropriafor)

- **of:** Lewistown, Montana
- **Address:**

- **County of:** Lewis
- **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.**

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use: **1956.**

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): **1500 gallons.**

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.**

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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: **1956.**

8. The depth of water table: **35 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:

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10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: **164,000 gallons.**

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:** Samuel K. Phillips

**Date:** Dec. 30, 1962

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These 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 PONTOON.

Filed: December 10, 1923.

Mary L. W. Mitchell
Clerk and Recorder

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**Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights**

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. DONALD W. NECHEN
   (Name of Appropriator)
   of (Address) (Town)
   County of Fergus, 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: __________________________

   stock and domestic use

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: Approximately 1900 - continuously

   ______________________________________________________________________

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner’s inches or gallons per minute): (flowing spring - pipe or pump continuously - all domestic use and all stock water)

   ______________________________________________________________________

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: not used for irrigation

   ______________________________________________________________________

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

   ______________________________________________________________________

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: In flowing springs have been in use since 1900.

   shallow well bricked in 1945

8. The depth of water table: well - 10 feet, spring - 4 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 feet diameter, 10 feet deep - spring, 4 feet

   ______________________________________________________________________

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: supplies all water for domestic and livestock uses

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: none

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: none

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Signature of Owner: __________________________

Date: Dec. 19, 1963

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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