STATE OF MONTANA
County of Lake.
Filed on the 13th day of April, 1916, at 2:50 o'clock, P.M.

HAZEL KENNICK
County Clerk and Recorder

[Signature]  /s/ Hazel Kennick

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NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION WITHOUT WELL

Developed After January 1, 1962

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

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 may be returned.

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Lot 3 - North 130' of South 660' in Sec. 20

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For Administrator's Use

File

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Owner: J. G. & Betty Potts, Jr., Richard J. Potts

Address: East Lakeshore, Bigfork, Montana

Contractor (if any): None

Address of Contractor: None

Date Started: 1946

Date Completed: 1946

1. Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.)

spring

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

drain

3. Depth of water table

unknown

4. Use of the water: drinking, fire prevention, motor for use by cherries pickers (showers & drinking), irrigation of lawn and garden.

5. Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 100 gal/min.

6. If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land 3 acres of land (grass, garden and timber).

7. Estimate amount of water used each year 50,000 gal.

8. Months of year spring flows all year

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Signature of Owner: Michael J. Potts

Date: 5/03/9
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

File No.

DUPLICATE

LELIA STEPHENS

County

Lake

State of Montana

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

1. SQUARE 6, STEPHENS, or FAST SHORE

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: Household and Yard Irrigation Use

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1943 (Both Phases)

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

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: 100 acres, Owned (Both Phases)

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: Type, Pum (Both Phases)

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1943 (Both Phases)

8. The depth of water table: 17 feet, from Pump (Water Level) (Both Phases)

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: Dickey well, Ray, Tract 3403, 40' of 6' Rodding Drilled well

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 0.0,000,000 per year (Both Phases)

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

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: Dickey well, Ray, Tract 3403, 1963, Book 2, Page 611

Signature of Owner: Lelia Stephens

Date: 9-31-61

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 Lake,

Filed on the 3d day of Dec.,

A. D. 1913, at 5 45 o'clock A.M.

County Clerk and Recorder

[Signature]

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[Signature]

Dana
**Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights**

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1962)

1. **J. W. Symonds**  
   (Name of Appropriator)  
   **Bigfork**  
   (Address)  
   **Lake**  
   (Town)  
   **County of Montana**  

J. W. Symonds, Bigfork, Lake County, 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**
   
   **Domestic**

3. **Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been**
   
   1952 - two months in summer only

4. **The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute). Maximum of 10 gallons per minute**
   
   None

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**
   
   H.P. deep well pump

7. **The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater**
   
   1952

8. **The depth of water table**
   
   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**
   
   One well 8' size, 80' deep

10. **The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year**
    
    30,000 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**
    
    Signature of Owner:  
    December 24, 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 Without Well
(Under Chapter 237 Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Date of Appropriation of Groundwater: June 1961
Owner: Lillian K. Symonds
Address: East Shore, Bigfork, Montana
Contractor (if any): None
Address of Contractor: 

Date Started: June 1961
Date Completed: June 1961

Describe means of obtaining groundwater without a well "as by sub-irrigation and other natural processes". Include depth to water when applicable. Electric pump takes water from Flathead Lake after water is captured in 36' metal road tile or culvert.

Value of water developed and used with explanation of method used to measure or estimate such amount. If use is intermittent, estimate approximate lengths of periods of use. 4000 gallons per minute used approximately 20 days each year.

Signature of Owner:
Date: December 17, 1963

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.

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 LAKE
Filed in the 3rd Judicial District Court of the State of Montana

Lillian K. Sycamore, East Shore, Bigfork, Montana
February 26, 1964

L.J.F. 3
16-2-66
Lillian K. Sysonda, East Shore, Bigfork, Montana

February 26, 1964

December 20, 1963

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from Flathead Lake.
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Lillian K. Symond, of East Lake Shore, Bigfork
   County of Lake, 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: domestic

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: October, 1946
   Continuous use

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 600 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:
   modest lawn and garden

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:
   electric pump in cases well, see plat

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: October, 1946

8. The depth of water table: 55'

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 50 feet in depth and metal cased

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 1,200,000 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:

Signature of Owner: Lillian K. Symonds
Date: December 27, 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
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights,
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1. Nellie A. Clark, of East Lake Shire, Big Park,
   County of Lake, 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: Household
   IRRIGATION - STOCK

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use and how continuous the use has been: June 1930

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 1000 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: 10 ACRES OF ORCHAR LANE
   Nellie A. Clark

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1928

8. The depth of water table: 6 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: UNK

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: AT LEAST 1/2 MILLION GAL

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: Nellie A. Clark
Date: 12-27-63

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
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

John H. & Iva O. Gaines
of East Lake Shore, Bigfork

(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

County of Lake State of Montana

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

1. Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

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

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been: Oct 29, 1961. Drilled.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 7.5 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


8. The depth of water table: Static water level 43 ft from bottom casing

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: Depth of well 75 ft. Drilled with churn drill, using 1 3/4 in. casing. 33 ft. for foot from O to 73 ft. Drilled through gravel and shale formations to 73 ft from bottom. Bearing at 720 G.P.H.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 800 barrels

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: 0-51 ft. solid rock and shale, trace of gravel 51 to 70 ft. Shattered bed rock with gouged

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: Drilled by Olsen & Justo in Columbia Falls, Mont. Pumping machinery & light furnished from and installed by Flathead Electric Service, Polson, Mont.

Signature of Owner: John H. Gaines
Date: May 10 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 Lake,
Filed on the 15th day of May,
A. D. 1909, in the office of ...

R. H. KINNICK
County Clerk and Recorder
By: N. Smith
Deputy
Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation by Means of Well
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Owner: Hines
Address: Bigfork Montana

Driller: Olson 
Address: Choteau Falls Montana

Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater: 6-20-1963
Date well started: Nov 13, 1961 Date Completed: Nov 16, 1961

Type of well: Drilled Equipment Used: Churn Drill (Churn, drill, rotary or other)

Water Use: Domestic Municipal Other Irrigation

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 water rises in the well.

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Static Water Level for non-flowing Well: 52' feet.

Shut-in Pressure for Flowing Well: not applicable

Pumping Water Level: 52' feet at 6 gal. per minute.

Discharge in gal. per min. of flowing well: not applicable

How Tested: Pounded; Length of Test: 12 hrs

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)

No groundwater used other than well used to irrigate farm and garden approximately 10 acres.

Olson & Justin
Driller's License Number

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 Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology 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)

1 Florence Lambert of Bigfork
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Lake 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: Household use, irrigating garden and lawn

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been 1947 and continuous to the present

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

   Approximately 1 acre for garden and lawn

   Owner—Florence Lambert

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

   By means of centrifugal electric pump

   Horse or Pony of NH: 321, 725, 119

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: 5 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

   Dig: 5 ft. Sq.: 14 ft. Deep

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 54,750 gal. a year

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

   5 ft. of loam; 4 ft. of boulders; 5 ft. of rock

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: not applicable

   Signature of Owner—Florence Lambert

   Date: November 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.

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.
F. 306
162267

Water Report
Florence Lambert
to
The Public

STATE OF MONTANA
County of Lake,
Filed on the 2 day of December
A.D. 1963 at 11:20 A.M.

KINNICK
County Clerk and Recorder

By

Deputy
Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation
Without Well

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Date of Appropriation of Groundwater: 10-7-1962

Owner: J. J. LeSchafer
Address: Bigfork

Contractor (if any): 
Address of Contractor: 

Date Started: 
Date Completed: 

Describe means of obtaining groundwater without a well "as by sub-irrigation and other natural processes". Include depth to water when applicable.

Quantity of water developed and used with explanation of method used to measure or estimate such amount. If use is intermittent, estimate approximate lengths of periods of use.

Indicate point of appropriation and place of use, if possible.

Signature of Owner: J. J. LeSchafer
Date: 10-18-1962

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.

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 Latah
Filed on the 30th day of December 1892
At 2 o'clock P.M.
By

[Signature]

County Clerk and Recorder

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


Owner: Leonard and Jean
Address: Bigfork, Montana

Contractor (if any): none
Address of Contractor: 

Date Started: 
Date Completed: 

1) Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.).
Spring and seepage water.

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

3) Depth of water table: not applicable

4) Use of the water: domestic and irrigation

5) Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches, or gallons per minute): 10 miners inches

6) If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land. The south 363 feet of the SW1/4, Sec. 21, Twp. 25 N., Range 19 W.

7) Estimate amount of water used each year: 2 acre feet

Signature of Owner: Leonard and Jean
Date: December 17, 1967

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.

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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)

STATE ENGINEER

I (Name of Appropriator) (Address) or Bigfork, Montana (Town) have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. George & Evelyn L. Blomgren, of Box 161, Columbia Falls, Montana (County of Lake) (State of Montana)

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

   house & irrigation use on lawn & garden

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

   July 1848 = every year

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

   2000 gallons per hour

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:

   deep well pump - 60 feet north of south boundary - within 400 feet of lakeshore

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

   July 1848 = drilled in two days

8. The depth of water table:

   about 40 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:

   6 inch casing, 78 feet deep

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

   75,000 gallons

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

    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:

    drilled by Glenn & Austin - Columbia Falls, Montana - License 486

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 Report

George & Eunice Blongren

To The Public

STATE OF MONTANA

County of Lake

Filed on the 26th day of June A.D. 1943 at 9:20 a.m.

HAZEL KINNICK

County Clerk and Recorder

By

Deputy

2-16-42
STATE OF MONTANA

ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

Emmett A. & Mahel Richy Mechler, of East Lake Shore, Bigfork
(Name of Appropriator) (Address)

County of Lake 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.
   Water supply for Household use

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

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner’s inches or gallons per minute).
   at time of installation about, one 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.
   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.
   water is drawn from ground by Jet 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.
   Depth of water in pipe 111 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.
   Depth of well 150 ft.
   From top of well to top of water 37 ft. Total depth of water in pipe 111 ft. Total average 165 gal. Rate of flow one gal. per minute

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.
    The usual amount used in a home of moderate size family

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.

Signature of Owner

Date 4.23.63

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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Water Right
Emmett & Hazel
Beila Mehl

to
The Public

STATE OF MONTANA
County of Lake
Filed on the 1 day of Oct
A.D. 1963, at 2:20 p.m.

Hazel Kinick
County Clerk and Recorder

By: 

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
STATE WATER CONSERVATION BOARD

Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation by Means of Well
DEVELOPED AFTER JANUARY 1, 1963
(Under Chapter 237 Montana Session Laws, 1961, as amended)

Thomas W. and
Owner, Manager: T. Cahill Address: Bigfork, Montana

Driller: Liberty Drilling Co Address: Missoula, Montana

Date of Notice of appropriation of groundwater: None filled

Date well started: 9/5/70 Date completed: 9/11/70

Type of well: Drilled Equipment used: Cable Tools

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, grth in clay, 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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<td>dirty gravel &amp; cobblestones embedded in tan silt.</td>
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<td>Sand and gravel embedded in tan silt.</td>
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<td>Gravel and cobblestones embedded in tan clay.</td>
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<td>Gravel and boulders embedded in yellow clay.</td>
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<td>120 - 127</td>
<td>Gravel imbedded in tan clay.</td>
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Water rises in the well 125 feet to surface.

Static Water Level for non-flowing well 125 feet

Shut-In Pressure for Flowing Well Non-flowing
Pumping Water Level 150 feet

at 20 gal. per minute.

Discharge in gal. per min. of flowing well

Non-flowing

How Tested: Bailer Length of Test: Four hours

Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shutoff) All water entering well from cracks and seams in the rock below 168 feet in this area can be depended upon to produce clear and free water year after year as long as they are not overpumped. i.e., they should be pumped at rates not in excess of 50 percent of the tested quantity of the aquifer.

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).

Lot 11 Rossella Sub-Division

Show exact depth of bottom.

Bottom of well 170 feet

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
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 F. & Ruby M. Raina
of East Lakeshore
Bigfork
(Name of Appropriator)
(Address)
(Town)

County of Lake
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:
   Household use and yard irrigation

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: February 1955 and daily since that time.

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

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: 9 hp. deep well pump, located in building, well located in yard area.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: Commed in November 1956 and completed in January 1957.

8. The depth of water table: 60’.

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: 183 foot depth, 6 inch casing, Drilled well.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: Approx. 5000 gallons per year.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: Cannot recall exact depths of formations, but there was heavy strata of varicolored clay, hard pans, solid rock requiring much blasting. Drilling at 120’ level stopped with 7’ casing. Had to go down thru with 5’ casing.

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: Ruby M. Raina

Date: January 7, 1964

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, 1961)

**Owner:**

**Driller:**

**Address:**

**Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater:**

**Date Well Started:**

**Date Completed:**

**Type of Well:**

**Equipment Used:**

**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:
- Shut-in Pressure for Flowing Well:
- Pumping Water Level:
- Discharge in gal., per min. of flowing well:
- How Tested:
- 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)

Indicate location of well and place of use, if possible. Each small square represents 10 acres.

Show exact depth of bottom.

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.
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STATE OF MONTANA

Petition filed on the 15th day of January, AD 2023.
**Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation by Means of Well**

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws 1981)

**GLEN W. ROSS**

**BIGFORK, MONT.**

**Owner:** Homer McClarty  
**Address:** 345 6th Ave. W.

**Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater:** Dec 15, 1986

**Date Well Started:** 12-14-86  
**Date Equipment Completed:** 12-15-86

**Type of Well:** Drilled  
**Equipment Used:** Churn, drill, rotary or other

**Water Use:** Domestic  
**Musical:** Other  
**Irrigation:**

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**Static Water Level for Non-flowing Well:**

**Shut-in Pressure for Flowing Well:**

**Pumping Water Level:** feet at gal. per minute.

**Discharge in gal. per min. of flowing well:**

**How Tested:**

**Length of Test:**

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

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**Doc. No.: 192381**  
**Filed for record this 7 day of February, A.D. 19... at 10:20 o'clock A.M.**

**Driller’s License Number:**

**Driller’s Signature:**

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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 Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
GLEN W. ROSS
TO
THE PUBLIC

STATE OF MONTANA
County of Lake

Filed on the 10th day of Feb., 1970, 10 o'clock A.M.

COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER

[Signature]
Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation by Means of Well
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Owner: Glenn N. Rood
Address: Bigfork, MT
Driller: Homey McClarty
Address: 915 F.A.N.

Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater: Oct. 9, 1969
Date well started: Oct. 9, 1969
Date Completed: Nov. 10, 1969

Type of well: Drilled
Equipment Used: 21/2 B.C.
(Churn, drill, rotary or other)

Water Use: Domestic ☑
Municipal ☐
Other ☐
Irrigation ☐

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 water rises in the well.

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Static Water Level for non-flowing Well: 80 ft
Shut-in Pressure for flowing well:
Pumping Water Level: 34.0 ft
Discharge in gal. per min. of flowing well:

How Tested: Baier
Length of Test: 10 hrs

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.

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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 Lake,

Glenn W. Ross, having first been duly sworn, deposes and says that he is of lawful age and the appropriator and claimant of the order and water right mentioned in the foregoing notice of completion of groundwater appropriation by means of well and the person whose name is subscribed thereto, as the appropriator and claimant, that he know the contents of said foregoing notice and that the matters and things therein stated are true.

Glenn W. Ross

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of Feb., 1970.

Notary Public for the State of Montana.

Residing at Talamu, Montana.

My Commission expires 6-1-1972.
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Walter N. Streater
Wildred N. Streater

1. Name of Appropriator
2. Location of Appropriator: Flathead Lakeshore Tracts
3. Date of earliest beneficial use: Wall completed September 27, 1952
4. Amount of groundwater claimed: 40 gallons per minute
5. Use for irrigation: Water has been used continuously since.
6. Means of withdrawing water:
7. Date of commencement and completion: Drilling commenced September 27, 1952, completed September 30, 1952
8. Depth of water table: Wall is 46 feet deep and it is a flowing well
9. General specifications of well: Flowing well, 46 feet deep, cased with six inch steel welded casing
10. Estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn: Domestic use for two dwellings and irrigation water for one acre of orchard
11. Log of formations encountered: Clay and broken rock 0 to 44 feet, broken rock and sand 44 to 46 feet
12. Other information:

Signature of Owner: Wildred N. Streater
Date: 7/31/63

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

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

P. J. (Signature)

A. D. 1965 10:30 A.M.

County Clerk and Recorder

To

The Public

R. J. M. 162058

Water Report

Walter M. Street

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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... Sept. 7, 1967
Owner... Bernard A. III Address... Swan Lake, Mont.
Contractor (if any)... Address of Contractor...
Date Started... Date Completed...

1) Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.)... Developed Stream...

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

3) Depth of water table...

4) Use of the water... House and yard...

5) Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches, or gallons per minute)... 50 gallons per minute...

6) If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land...

7) Estimate amount of water used each year... 200 ac. ft.

Signature of Owner... Bernard A. III
Date... Sept. 10, 1967

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.

42,316
R 1084
181224
Notice
Beneda & Hill
To
The Public

STATE OF MONTANA
County of Lake
Filed on the 13th day of Sept
A.D. 1924 at 3:30 o'clock P.M.

ETHEL M. BIERDING
County Clerk and Recorder

Deputy
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation Without Well

(Under Chapter 237 Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Date of Appropriation of Groundwater: March 1961
Owner: Ole & Carie Wade Address: Bigfork, Montana
Contractor (if any) 
Address of Contractor
Date Started: March 1961 Date Completed: May 1961

Describe means of obtaining groundwater without a well “as by sub-irrigation and other natural processes”. Include depth to water when applicable and by stream into 250 gallon reservoir

Quantity of water developed and used with explanation of method used to measure or estimate such amount. If use is intermittent estimate approximate lengths of periods of use.

Signature of Owner: Ole & Carie Wade Date: 10-5-61

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

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Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation Without Well

(Under Chapter 237 Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Date of Appropriation of Groundwater: April 1966

Owner: John S. Doremus
Address: Big Fork West

Contractor (if any): 
Address of Contractor: 

Date Started: April 1966 Date Completed: July 1967

Describe means of obtaining groundwater without a well "as by sub-irrigation and other natural processes". Include depth to water when applicable.

Gravity System

Quantity of water developed and used with explanation of method used to measure or estimate such amount. If use is intermittent estimate approximate lengths of periods of use.

7 to 8 months Water used to supply household needs of property owners

Signature of Owner: 
Date: Dec. 31, 1967

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

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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 APPROPRIATION OF WATER RIGHT

STATE OF MONTANA, 
County of Flathead,

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That the undersigned did on the 27th day of December, 1961, appropriate and claim, and do, by these presents, appropriate, locate and claim one cubic foot per second of time, legal measurement, of the waters of Bond Creek near Swan Lake in the County of Flathead, State of Montana, and did, on the above named date, mark the point of intended diversion by posting thereat a copy of this notice in a conspicuous place.

The said water is claimed for irrigation and other useful and beneficial purposes, and the place of intended use is: A tract of land lying in section 13, Township 22 North, Range 15 East, M. P. M., more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of N E S 1098, marked corner No. 5; the northerly boundary line of said tract; thence South 39° 11' East a distance of 810 feet; thence South a distance of 510 feet; thence North 89° 11' East a distance of 810 feet to the point of beginning, containing 15.042 acres, said water to be diverted and conveyed to said place by means of a dam and ditch pipe said ditch to be feet wide on bottom, feet wide on top, and feet deep

That the stream from which said diversion is to be made is more particularly described as follows: Known as Bond Creek, source of which is a lake in the Swan Range of the Rocky Mountains and emptying into Spring Creek, which in turn empties into Swan Lake, all in Lake County, Montana.

and measured from said point of diversion as an initial point, the following well-known natural objects and permanent

and

North 180 feet to section line is distant in a direction.

And the undersigned hereby claim a right of way over all unappropriated lands of the United States through which said ditch pipe shall pass, together with the right to repair and enlarge said ditch pipe whenever and wherever the same may be necessary to convey the water hereby appropriated.

Frank F. Westphal and Idella M. Westphal

STATE OF MONTANA, 
County of Flathead,

Frank F. Westphal and Idella M. Westphal, being first duly sworn, says: That they are the appropriator and claimant named in the foregoing Notice of Appropriation; that they have read said Notice of Appropriation, and know the contents thereof, and that all the matters and statements contained therein are true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Dec., 1961.

Notary Public in and for Flathead County, State of Montana.

Hazel Kinnick

Notary Public

My Commission Expires

Flathead County, State of Montana

Notary Public for the State of Montana
Residing at Polson, Montana

My Commission Expires

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

STATE ENGINEER

1. **ANNA E. BAKER**
of **SWAN LAKE**

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: DOMESTIC, DRINKING, WASHING, BATHROOM, SPRINKLING.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: OCTOBER 1955, DAILY USE.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner’s inches or gallons per minute): 0-15 GALLONS PER MINUTE, CONTINUOUS.

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: LAWYER, SPINKLING, NO IRRIGATION.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: ELECTRIC PUMP, LOT 8 PETERSON'S SWAN LAKE TRACTS, SWAN LAKE, MONTANA.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: DEFERRED, DATE NOT AVAILABLE, SOME TIME IN 1954.

8. The depth of water table: APPROXIMATELY 20 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 WELL, SIX INCH IRON CASING, ABOUT 25 FEET DEEP.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 73,000 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: WELL LOCATED ON LOT 8 OF PETERSON'S SWAN LAKE TRACTS, SWAN LAKE, LAKE COUNTY, MONTANA DESCRIBED IN ABSTRACT AS PART OF LOT 3 OF SECTION 14, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTHEAST, RANGE 18 WEST, M.P.M., BOOK 45 OF DEEDS PAGE 167.

Signature of Owner: [Signature]
Date: [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 MONTANA
COUNTY OF LAKE

Filed on the 31st day of Dec
AD 1963 at 9:00 o'clock PM

HARVEY KINNICK
County Clerk - Recorder

By: E. Cowman
Deputy

By: Donald D. Sullivan
Deputy State Engineer
February 3, 1964

Mrs. A. L. Baker
1037 West Steel St.
Butte, Montana

Dear Mrs. Baker:

In regard to your letter of December 31, 1963 requesting we send back to you a vested right form which was sent to us on December 23. We regret that such a form cannot be located. It may, however, be in the mountainous pile of mail we have received after January 10, which we are unable to search through at this time.

In the meantime, however, please copy from the original all pertinent information plus the recording data on the enclosed form and return it to our office for filing.

We regret the delay but we have been flooded with forms and correspondence the past two months and we are unable to process our mail any sooner. Thank you for any inconvenience this may cause you.

Sincerely,

EVERETT V. DARLINGTON
STATE ENGINEER

By: Donald D. Sullivan
Deputy State Engineer

Enc.
State Engineer

Dear Sir,

On December 73rd I mailed to your office a copy of declaration of vested Hereditary Rights. I am now informed that the copy should have been mailed with the original to the Lake County Recorder. Will you please return the copy to me so I may mail it to Lake County with the original.

Thank you,

Yours truly,

Mrs. A. L. Baker
103 West State St.
Butte, Mont

Anna E. Baker
State Engineer
Helena, Mont
Attn: Donald A. Sullivan

Dear Sir:

On December 14, 1963, I mailed to your office an unrecorded copy of a Declaration of Vested Eauowater Rights.

In your letter of February 3rd, you stated you were unable to locate my letter of transmittal and requested that I prepare a copy of the declaration, including the recording data which is on the reverse side of the form.

Enclosed is the completed form as requested. Please destroy the form which I mailed to you in December as it does not contain the recording data.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

Mrs. A. P. Baker
(Anna E. Baker)
1037 1st Street St
STATE OF MONTANA

ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

1. **Anna E. Baker**, of **Swan Lake**, State of **Montana**

   County of **Lake**

   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:
   - **Domestic, Drinking**
   - **Washing, Bathing, Sprinkling**

3. Date, or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been:
   - **October 1955**
   - **Daily Use**

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner’s inches or gallons per minute):
   - **100-15 gallons per minute**
   - **Continuous**

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:
   - **Swan Lake, Montana**
   - **Lawn Sprinkling. No Irrigation**

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:
   - **Electric Pump, Lots Peterson Swan Lake Tracts, Swan Lake, Montana**

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:
   - **Definite date not available, sometime 1956.**

8. The depth of water table:
   - **Approximately 20 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 well, six inch iron casing about 11 feet deep**

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
    - **73,000 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:
    - **Well located on Lot No. 3 of Peterson’s Swan Lake Tracts, Swan Lake, Lake County, Montana, described in abstract as part of Lot 3 of Section 14, Township, 1as North Range 18 West, M.P., Book 45 of Deeds, Page 167.**

   **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 Appropriate.
State, Mont. Dec 15, 1969

Office of State Engineer
Helena, Mont

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is copy of Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights, original of which is being filed with the Lake County Clerk & Recorder at Polson.

It was not possible to indicate by an X in the 10 acre square section the exact location of the well. It is a lake side lot on the east shore of Swan Lake with a 65 ft lake frontage, about 170 ft deep, and about 100 ft wide on the highway side.

The amount of total withdrawal is based on all year living, which it will be eventually. Temporarily it is used as a summer home.

Equipment includes a modern bath room, automatic washer, dryer, etc.

Yours truly,

Mrs. Anna E. Baker
1037 West Stoddart St
Note - this is a domestic well and evidently Mrs. Brown has sent the forms to the offices or shown at the bottom of the form - so we don't have the city date on the form.
NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER
APPROPRIATION BY MEANS OF WELL

(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: Robert L. Baker
Address: 702 N. Main St., Great Falls, MT

File No.: 21043, Jan. 27, 1978

Date well started: Jan. 27, 1978

GW 12:15 P.M.

Date well completed: Jan. 27, 1978

Type of well: Drilled

Driller's Name: Robert L. Baker

For Administrator's Use

Top of Ground (Elev. above mean sea level)

Driller's Signature: Robert L. Baker

License No. 103

Show exact depth of bottom.

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation by Means of Well
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Owner: Leo Christiansen
Address: Swanton, Mont.

Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater: 8-7-64

Date well started: 8-1-64
Date completed: 8-20-64

Type of well: Drilled
Equipment Used: Churn

Water Use: Domestic

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 water rises in the well.

Static Water Level for non-flowing well: 43 feet.
Shut-in Pressure for flowing well:
Pumping Water Level: 42 feet at 37 gal. per minute.
Discharge in gal. per min. of flowing well:
How Tested: Pump
Length of Test: 1 day

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)

Driller's License Number: 103
Driller's Signature: Robert Hudson

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.

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