

No. 288-2

Division No. 2

District.

PERMIT

to appropriate water from

Mean Beaver Creek
Fall River County, South Dakota.

Name of applicant

George Putnam

Name of diversion works

Putnam Ditch No. One

Date of first receipt at office of State

Engineer: February 10 1941

Returned to applicant for Correction

Corrected application received

Date of water right

February 10 1941

Recorded in Book 2 Page s. 500 & 501

One-fifth of work to be completed

August 10 1943

Whole work to be completed

Feb. 10 1946

Final proof of use of water

Feb. 10 1946

Approved April 14 1941

Dean W. Loue State Engineer.

NO. 258Water Division No. 2 Fall River Water District.
(Blanks to be filled by the State Engineer.)

RECEIVED
FEB 10 1941
9:30 A.M.
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER
PIERRE, S. DAK.

APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT To Appropriate Water Within the State of South Dakota

(NOTE—Draw a line through items not applicable.)

1. Name of applicant George Putnam
Postoffice address Burdock, County Fall River, State S. Dak.

I. If a corporation—

- (a) Name of same.....
(b) Date and place of incorporation.....
(c) Amount of capital stock.....
(d) Amount paid in.....
(e) Names and addresses of directors:

(NOTE—A certified copy of articles of incorporation must accompany the application.)

II. Method of accomplishing the work and financial resources of the applicant:

- (a) Method of accomplishing the work. (Whether by contract, employment of others, or by direct labor) direct labor
(b) Cash on hand, \$.....X..... (c) Treasury stock, \$.....X.....
(d) Bonds to be issued, \$.....X..... (e) Other resources, \$.....X.....

2. Name of diversion works Putnam Ditch No. One3. Quantity of water claimed 14.88 cubic feet per second.4. Source of water supply Main Beaver

5. Location of point of diversion South 50° E. 1950 ft. from E^{1/4} Corner
Sec 32 T. 6. S. R. 1 - E. B. H. M. on Right bank.
(Right or left bank looking down stream.)

6. Annual periods during which water is to be used March 1 to Dec. 17. To be used for: (flood irrigation)

I. Irrigation or domestic use:

- (a) Number of acres to be irrigated 53 acres.
(b) Legal subdivisions to be irrigated N^{1/2} S^{1/2} E^{1/2} S^{1/2} E^{1/2} Sec 32
(NOTE—A list of lands to be irrigated, giving each subdivision and fraction with acreage thereof, should be written here or may be appended as a part of this application. Same must also be shown on accompanying map.)
Township 6. S. R. 1 - E. B. H. M.
(c) Statement as to domestic use (giving location, etc.) X

II. Mining, power, manufacturing, transportation, or other purposes:

- (a) Nature of use.....
(b) Amount of power to be generated.....horse power.
(c) Location of plant.....
(d) Method of developing power.....
(e) Point where water will be returned to stream.....

Dean W. L. E. State Engineer.

8. Estimated cost of works:

(a) Head gates, \$.....

(b) Pumping plant, \$ 1000⁰⁰

(c) Fluming, \$.....

(d) Canal-earth, \$ 1000⁰⁰

Rock, \$.....

(e) Other structures.....

\$.....

Total, \$ 2000⁰⁰

9. Description of diversion works:

I. Nature of works: (Reservoir, dam, ditch, flume, pumping plant, etc.)

See Map

II. Dimensions of works:

(a) Dam: Height.....feet; length at bottom.....feet; length at top.....feet; thickness at bottom.....feet; thickness at top.....feet; slope of front (water) face.....; slope of back face.....; material used in construction.....

(b) Reservoir; Capacity when filled.....acre feet. Surface area at highwater mark.....acres.

DEPTH AT OUTLET-Feet	SURFACE AREA AT EACH..... FEET OF DEPTH AT OUTLET-ACRES	CAPACITY ACRE-Feet

(c) Head gate: Width.....feet; height.....feet;

Material.....

(d) Canal: Total length 3 1/8 miles miles.

LOCATION BELOW HEADGATE	DEPTH	BOTTOM WIDTH	WIDTH AT WATER LINE	GRADE PER MILE
At <u>1/2</u> Mile.....feet	feet	feet	feet	feet
At Mile.....feet	feet	feet	feet	feet
At Mile.....feet	feet	feet	feet	feet
At Mile.....feet	feet	feet	feet	feet
At Mile.....feet	feet	feet	feet	feet

(Give dimensions where reductions in size are made.)

10. Time required for completion of work 5 years.

11. Time required for complete application of water to the proposed beneficial use 5 years.

12. Choice of newspaper for publication of notice of intention to appropriate Edgemont

Tribune
STATE OF Wyoming S.D.

County of Weston

I Bernard A. Howell, being first duly sworn

on my oath depose and say: That my relation to the above described undertaking is that of

Engineer, that I have read the above and

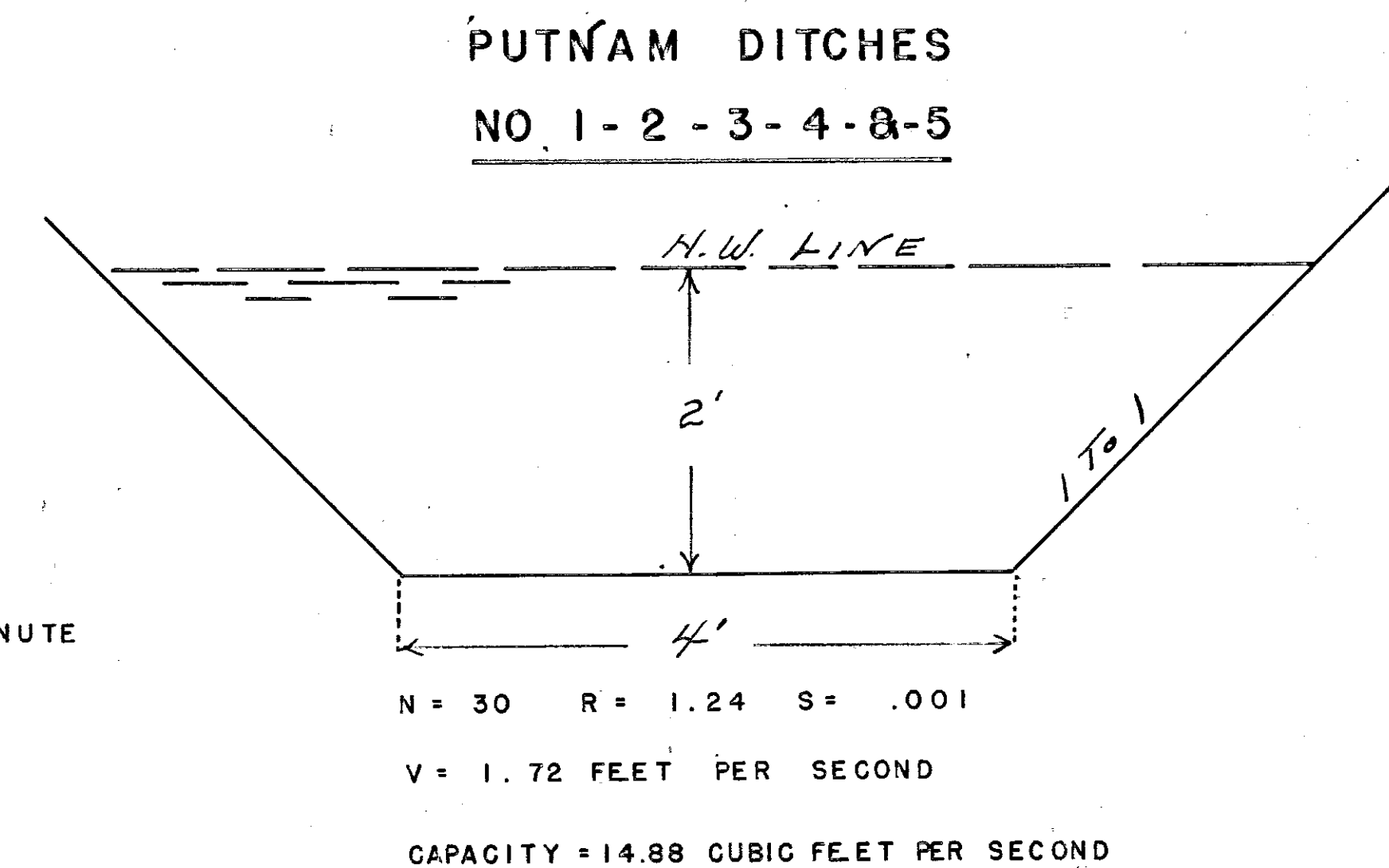
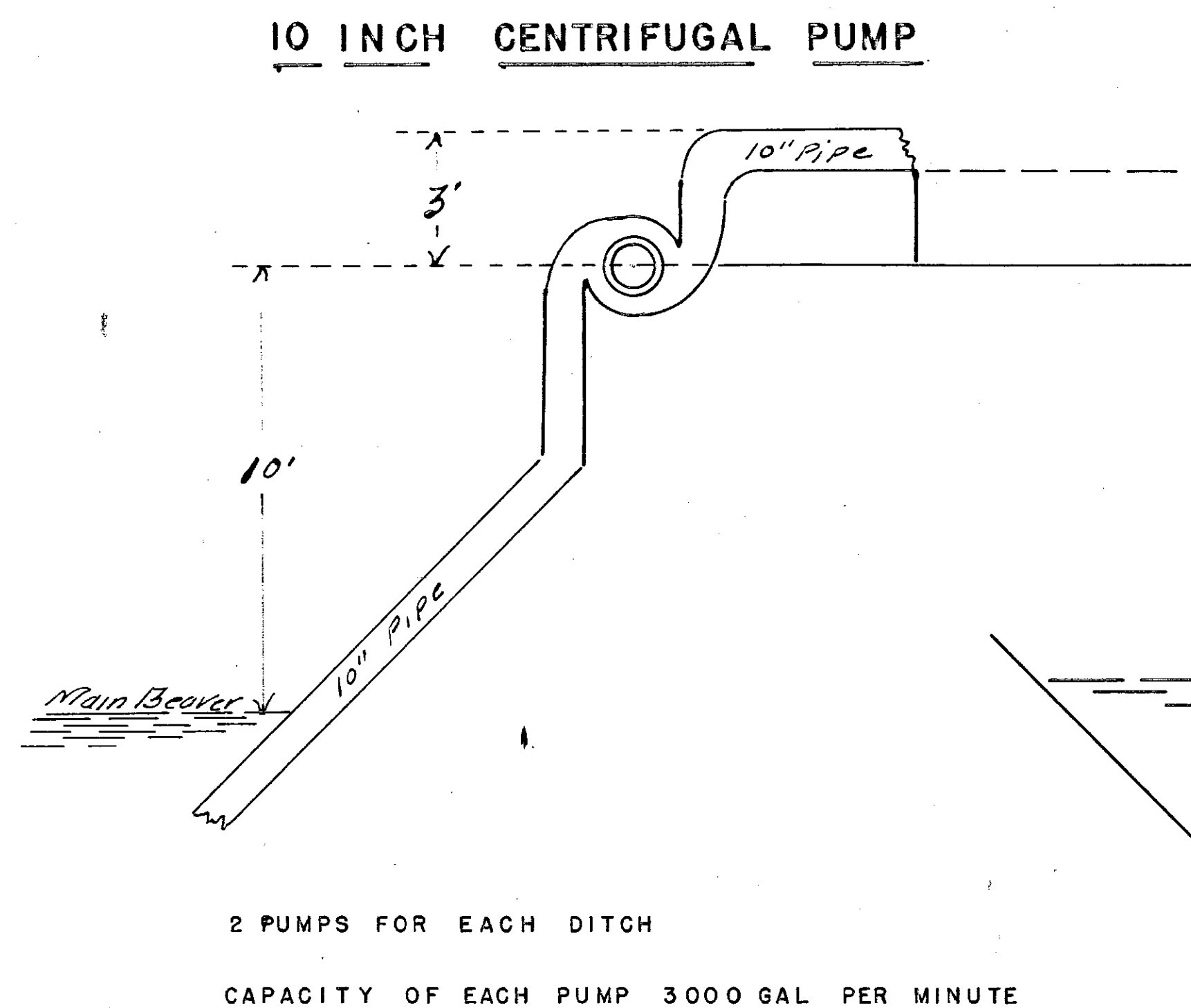
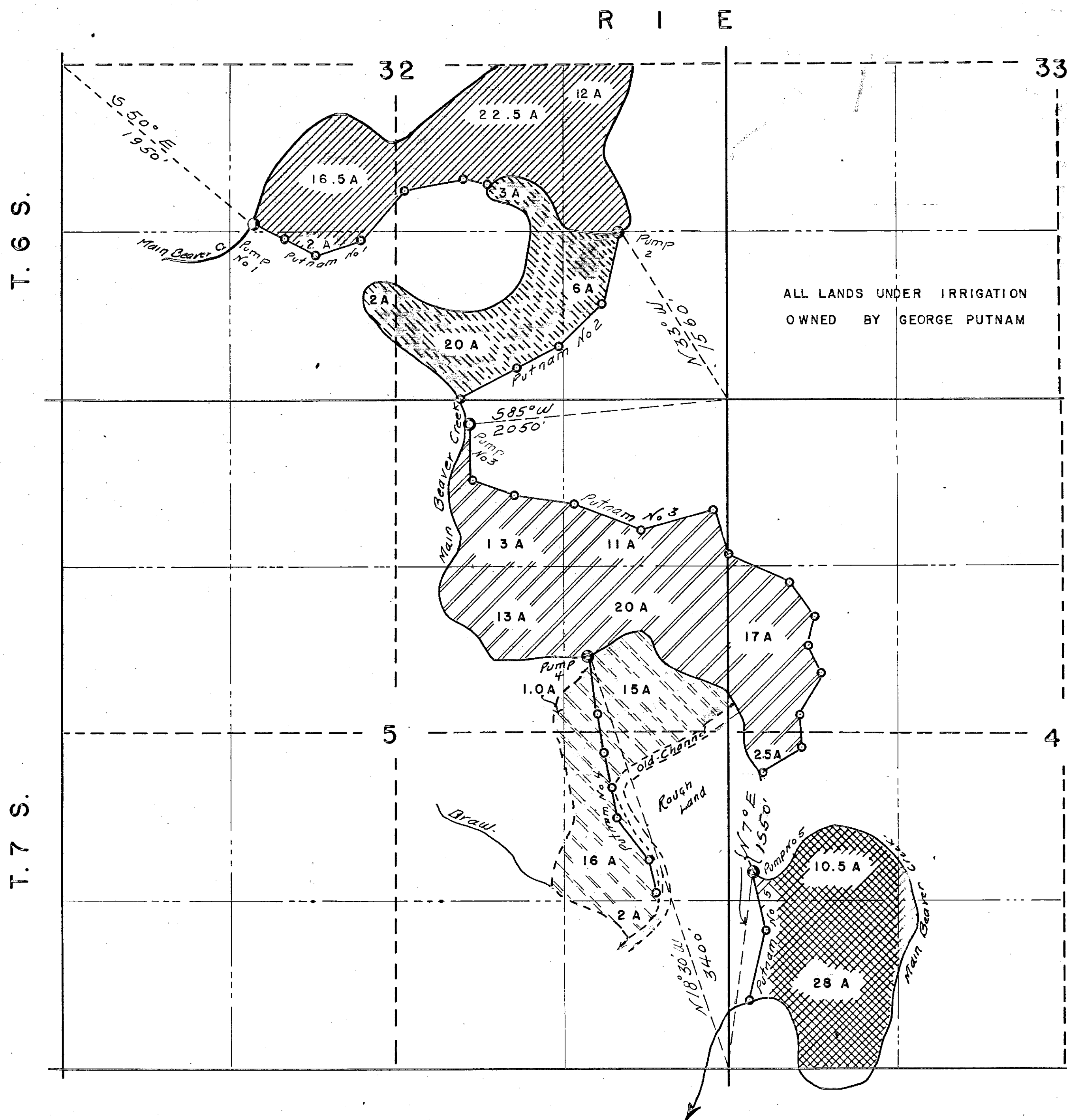
(Owner, manager, engineer.)

foregoing statement, and examined the map accompanying the same, and that I know of my own personal knowledge that the matters therein stated and shown are true.

Signed Bernard A. Howell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Febr, 1911.

My Commission expires February 21, 1914 Notary Public (or other qualified officer.)



MAP
TO ACCOMPANY APPLICATIONS FOR
PUTNAM DITCHES NO. 1-2-3-4 AND 5

APPLICANT
GEORGE PUTNAM

BURDOCK S. DAKOTA

SCALE 1" = 600'

LEGEND

	LANDS IRRIGABLE UNDER PUTNAM NO. 1
	" " " " " 2
	" " " " " 3
	" " " " " 4
	" " " " " 5

CERTIFICATE OF SURVEYOR

STATE OF WYOMING }
COUNTY OF WESTON } S.S.

I, BERNARD A HOWELL OF NEWCASTLE WYOMING HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS MAP WAS MADE FROM NOTES TAKEN DURING AN ACTUAL SURVEY MADE BY ME ON FEBRUARY 3RD. 1941, AND THAT IT CORRECTLY REPRESENTS THE IRRIGATION WORKS DESCRIBED IN THE ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION, TOGETHER WITH A MEANDER OF STREAMS AND SHOWS ACCURATELY THE LOCATION AND AREA OF THE LANDS PROPOSED TO BE IRRIGATED IN EACH SUBDIVISION.

REGISTRATION NO 2022

Bernard A Howell
SURVEYOR

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME THIS 6TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 1941

Bryan Clark
NOTARY PUBLIC

328-2

(W12 288-2, 289-2, 290-2, 291-2 & 292-2)

Remarks by State Engineer:

The amount hereby appropriated shall not be in excess of the rate of one cubic foot of water per second for each seventy acres, or the equivalent thereof, delivered on the land for the time specified each year. For flood irrigation this shall be interpreted to mean that the water may be applied at the rate of 14.88 cu. ft. per sec. at intervals between March 1st and Dec. 1st, but that the total amount for any year shall not exceed an amount equal to 1/70 of a cu. ft. per second flowing continuously for 12 hrs. each day from March 1 to Dec. 1, for each acre irrigated.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,

County of Hughes

Pierre, South Dakota, March 28, 1941

This is to certify that the foregoing application was received at this office at 8:30 o'clock a.m. upon the 10th day of February 1941 and that after examination it was found to comply with the South Dakota water laws, was duly published and taken up by the State Engineer in accordance with Section 61.0124 of the South Dakota Code of 1939 and is hereby approved.

Number of permit 282-2

Dean W. Loucks State Engineer.

Date of first receipt of application Feb. 10, 1941

Date of return to applicant for correction 19

Date of receipt of corrected application 19

Date from which applicant may claim right Feb. 10, 1941

Approved April 14, 1941, Recorded in Book 2, Pages 492 and 493

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application for a permit to appropriate water of the state of South Dakota, and I hereby grant the same as stated herein, subject, however, to the following limitations and conditions:

1st. The equivalent of at least one-fifth of the work above specified is to be completed on or before August 10, 1943.

2nd. The whole of said work is to be completed on or before Feb. 10, 1946.

3rd. The limit of time for proof of beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith is Feb. 10, 1946.

4th. The water appropriated shall be used for the purpose of Flood irrigation.

5th. The prior right of all persons who, by compliance with the laws of the State of South Dakota, have acquired a right to the use of water must not be injuriously affected by this appropriation.

6th. The amount of the appropriation herein granted shall not exceed 14.88 cubic feet of water per second of time; neither shall it exceed the capacity of the above described system of diversion works; nor the least amount of water that experience may hereafter indicate as necessary for the production of crops in the exercise of the best husbandry; and further, said appropriation must be limited to not more than one-seventieth (1/70) of one cubic foot of water per second of time for each acre of land to which water is actually and beneficially applied for irrigation.

See remarks above before Feb. 10, 1946; said water to be used during the following described annual periods:

March 1st to Dec. 1st.

Witness my hand this 14th day of April 1941

Dean W. Loucks State Engineer.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

WATER LICENSE NO. 288-2

WHEREAS, On the tenth day of February A. D. 1941

George Putman

of Burdick County of Fall River and State of South Dakota

duly made application (No. 288-2) to me for a permit to use 14.88 cubic feet per second of the waters of Main Beaver Creek

County of Fall River State of South Dakota, for flood irrigation purposes; and

WHEREAS, On the fourteenth day of April A. D. 1941

Permit No. 288-2 was issued to said applicant for the diversion of said water, and providing for the completion of the works of diversion therein described on or before the tenth day of February A. D. 1946 and for the application to beneficial use of said

water on or before the tenth day of February A. D. 1946

and.

WHEREAS, On the third day of January A. D. 1946

the holder of said permit duly made proof of the completion of adequate works for the diversion of 14.88 cubic feet per second of said waters, as evidenced by my Certificate No. 288-2

dated February 20, 1946 confirming the completion of works of sufficient capacity for diverting and conveying to the place of intended use 14.88 cubic feet per second of water, with date of priority of February 10, 1941 and,

WHEREAS, On the third day of January A. D. 1946

proof was duly made of the application to beneficial use of 14.88 cubic feet per second of said water;

NOW, THEREFORE, By virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the State of South Dakota, I hereby grant and confirm to George Putman of Burdock, South Dakota the holder and owner of said permit No. 288-2 a right, dating from February 10, 1941 to the use of 14.88 cubic feet per second of the waters of Main Beaver Creek in the County of Fall River and State of South Dakota, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purposes hereinbelow mentioned, to be diverted at a point S. 50° E. 1950 feet from E 1/4 Cor. Sec. 32 T. 6 S. R. 1 E. and conducted to and upon Portions of Section 32 T. 6 S. R. 1 E.

for the purpose of flood irrigation

subject, however, to the laws of the State of South Dakota applicable to a license for the use of the waters of the State, and subject, also, to the local or community customs, rules and regulations which have been or may be adopted from time to time by a majority of the users from a common source of supply, canal or lateral from which such water may be taken, when such rules and regulations have for their object the economical use of such water.

WITNESS, My hand and the seal of my office at Pierre, South Dakota, this twentieth day of February A. D. Nineteen Hundred and forty-six

Dean W. Loucks,

State Engineer.

OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEERS
FILE COPY

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Water License No. 288-2

To George Putman

Source of Supply Main Beaver Creek

Fall River County

Am't 14.88 Sec. Feet

Point of Diversion S. 50° E. 1950

feet from E 1/4 Cor. Sec. 32-6-1

Place of Use Sec. 32 - 6 S - 1 R.

Purpose Flood Irrigation

Date of Priority February 10, 1941

Recorded 2 of 493 Page

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER.

WHEREAS, On the twentieth day of February A. D., 1941,

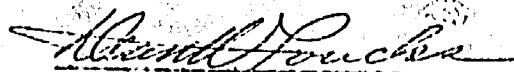
George Putnam of Burdoak, County of Fall River and State of South Dakota, filed in this office a petition setting forth facts concerning the appropriation of the waters of Main Beaver Creek, the point of diversion of the waters claimed therein being S. 50° E. 1950 feet from E $\frac{1}{2}$ Cor. Sec. 32, T. 6 S, R. 1 E.

WHEREAS, On the third day of January A. D., 1946, record was duly made of the application to beneficial use of 14.88 cubic feet per second of said water: for irrigating 53 acres in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ - 13.5 A; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ - 2A; NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 22.5A; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 12A; All in Sec. 32, T. 6 S, R. 1 E. (from flood waters)

NOW, THEREFORE, By virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the State of South Dakota, I hereby grant and confirm to George Putnam of Burdoak, the holder and owner of Permit No. XXXXXXXX XXXXXXXX 288-2 Fall River County, a water right dating from February 10, 1941, to the use of 14.88 cubic feet per second of the waters of Main Beaver Creek in the County of Fall River, and State of South Dakota, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purposes hereinbelow mentioned, to be diverted at the point designated herein, and conducted to and upon lands in the Section 32, T. 6 S, R. 1 E, as listed above

Flood
B. H. K., for the purpose of irrigation, subject, however, to the laws of the State of South Dakota applicable to a license for the use of the waters of the State, and subject, also, to the local or community customs, rules and regulations which have been or may be adopted from time to time by a majority of the users from a common source of supply, canal, or lateral from which such water may be taken when such rules and regulations are for their object the economical use of such water.

WITNESS, My hand and the seal of my office at Pierre, South Dakota, this twentieth day of February A. D., Nineteen Hundred and forty six.


Dean W. Loucks, State Engineer.

Permit No. 289-2

Water Division No. 2 Fall River Water District

Notice of Completion of Works

(This blank must be filled out by the holder of permit and forwarded to the State Engineer at least 60 days before the time set for completion of works.)

(P. O.) Burdook, South Dakota

(Date) November 25, 1945

TO THE STATE ENGINEER OF SOUTH DAKOTA, PIERRE:

DEAR SIR: Notice is hereby given of the completion of the works for the diversion of fourteen and eighty eight one-hundredths (14.88) second feet of the waters of the state from Main Beaver through the Putnam Div. No. 1 for flood irrigation purposes

in accordance with the terms and conditions of a certain permit heretofore issued by the State Engineer of the State of South Dakota.

1. The name of the person or corporation holding said permit is

George Putnam

2. The postoffice address of such person or the place of business of such corporation is Burdook,

County of Fall River State of South Dakota

3. The number of such permit is 289-2 and the date set for the completion of such work is

February 10, 1946

4. Said water to be used for flood irrigation purposes,

5. Said works of diversion will be fully completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conducting to the place of intended use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is _____ cubic feet per second.

6. The amount of land for which said water is available is _____ acres,

particularly described as follows: _____

(In case of all canals or other works designed to divert and carry more than 50 cubic feet of water per second, the following certificate must be signed by a well known and competent engineer.)

I hereby certify that the facts set forth in the above notice are true.

Engineer.

(Signature.) _____

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

RECEIVED
MAR 17 1941

OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER
PIERRE, S. DAK.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA }
County of Fall River } ss.
L. K. Kodriya being duly
sworn, deposes and says the annexed printed copy of Notice
of Intention to appropriate Water was taken from the
Edgemont Tribune a newspaper which
during the whole time of publication of said notice herein-
after stated, has been and is printed and published in the
City of Edgemont County of
Fall River and State of South Dakota;
that the said notice was published in said newspaper on the
following dates:

February 19, 1941
February 26, 1941
March 5, 1941
March 12, 1941

In each and every issue of the full number thereof, the first
publication being made on the 19 day of February
1941 and the last publication on the 12 day of
March 1941, upon which days or times
of publication aforesaid the newspaper was regularly pub-
lished, and that during the whole time of said publication he
was been the printer and publisher of
the said newspaper.

APPROPRIATION OF WATER

Office of the State Engineer
Pierre, S. Dak. Feb. 16, 1941
Notice is hereby given that
George Putnam, whose post-office
address is Burdocks, Fall River
County, S. Dak. has made an ap-
plication in accordance with the
provisions of the Irrigation laws
of South Dakota for a permit to
appropriate for beneficial use
14.98 cubic feet per second of
flood water from Main Heaver
Creek through each of the Put-
nam Litches, 1 to 5 inclusive, and to
divert such amount from each of
five diversion points located in
Sections 32, T. 6 S. R. 1 E. and
Sections 4 and 5, T. 7 S. R. 1 E.
Said water to be used for the
purpose of providing flood irriga-
tion.

This application will be taken
up by the State Engineer at his
office at Pierre for consideration
upon the 21st day of March,
1941, at 10:00 a. m. All persons
who believe that their prior
rights would be injuriously af-
fected, or that the allow-
ance of the permit would be
detrimental to the public weal,
shall file such protest with the
State Engineer in writing prior
to the above date and may ap-
pear on the day above mentioned
in person for the purpose of dis-
cussing further the information
presented.

Appropriate action will be
taken by the State Engineer
after suitable time has elapsed
for the consideration of any or
all information presented.

DEAN W. LOUCKS
State Engineer

Feb. 16-26; Mar. 5-12, 1941

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of March A. D. 1941

My Commission Expires Jan. 1945 Paul H. Russell

Notary Public Fall River County, S. D.

(First Publication _____ 1941)
APPROPRIATION OF WATER

Office of the State Engineer
Pierre, S.Dak. Feb. 15, 1941

Notice is hereby given that George Putnam whose post-office address is Burdock, Fall River County, S.Dak., has made an application in accordance with the provisions of the irrigation laws of South Dakota for a permit to appropriate for beneficial use 14.88 cubic feet per second of flood water from Main Beaver Creek through each of the Putnam Ditches 1 to 5 Inc., and to divert such amount from each of five diversion points located in Sections 32, T. 6 S., R. 1 E., and Sections 4 and 5, T. 7 S., R. 1 E. Said water to be used for the purpose of providing flood irrigation.

This application will be taken up by the State Engineer at his office at Pierre for consideration upon the 21st day of March, 1941, at 10:00 A.M. All persons who believe that their prior rights would be injuriously affected, or that the allowance of the permit would be detrimental to the public welfare shall file such protest with the State Engineer in writing prior to the above date and may appear on the day above mentioned in person for the purpose of discussing further, the information presented.

Appropriate action will be taken by the State Engineer after suitable time has elapsed for the consideration of any or all information presented.

Dean W. Loucks
State Engineer

Water Rights Division - DWNR
Conversation or File Documentation

File No. 0351-2

NAME OF PERSON OR FILE: Albert C. Putnam, et al
ADDRESS: _____ COUNTY: Custer & Fall River

DATE: June 27, 1982 TELEPHONE: _____

RE: Water Right Filing 0351-2 & Water Rights 288-2 thru 292-2

COMMENTS:

I discussed this filing with Lloyd Putnam on June 21, 1982. Mr. Putnam is the present owner of the land associated with this filing and Water Rights 288-2 thru 292-2.

Filing 0351-2 seems to cover the same lands as Water Rights 289-2, 290-2, 291-2, & 292-2. 288-2 does not seem to be included in filing 0351-2.

Water Rights 288-2 thru 292-2 all have a priority date of Feb. 10, 1902. The filing 0351-2 was posted on June 1, 1982 and recorded on June 18, 1982.

Mr. Putnam stated that the lands have essentially been irrigated since 1902.

I would recommend that Water Rights 289-2, 290-2, 291-2, & 292-2 be relicensed with a priority date of 1902. Water Right 288-2 should remain as is.

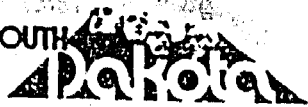
289-2 thru 292-2 could possibly be combined into one water right.

File in Permit or other file as necessary. Use to document conversations and what the other party was told; why action or decision was made.

NAME: Debra D. Burg, P.E.

Hydrologist

SOUTH



Department of Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

October 7, 1988

288-2..

Lloyd Putnam
HCR 59 Box 22
Edgemont, SD 57735

Dear Mr. Putnam:

I am contacting you in regard to Water Right No. 288-2 listed in the name of George Putnam. In 1984, several water rights in the name of George Putnam were transferred to you. A review of the files found this water right was overlooked when the others were transferred.

Enclosed is a partially completed "Notice of Transfer" for use in filing an ownership change on Water Right No. 288-2. Please check over the form and sign in the presence of a notary public. Upon completion of the form, return it to our office with a required filing fee of \$2.50.

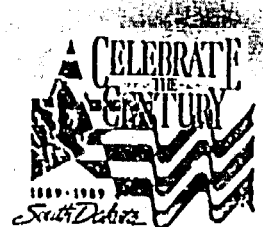
If you have any questions, please contact us.

Sincerely,

Genny McMATH /ks

GENNY MCMATH
Natural Resources Analyst
605 773-3352

enclosure



SOUTH DAKOTA
Department of
Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

October 13, 1988

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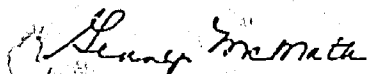
Lloyd Putnam
HCR 59 Box 22
Edgemont, SD 57735

Dear Mr. Putnam:

This will acknowledge the "Notice of Transfer" you submitted for filing a change of ownership on Water Right No. 288-2. The form was completed properly; however, can not be filed for record without a required filing fee of \$2.50. Please remit this amount as soon as possible.

If you have any questions, please contact us.

Sincerely,



GENNY MCMATH
Natural Resources Analyst
605 773-3352

enclosure



NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF WATER PERMIT

RECEIVED

TO: Water Rights
Foss Building
Pierre, SD 57501

OCT 12 1988
Date: Oct 10 1988
SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF
WATER AND NATURAL RESOURCES
FOR WATER QUALITY

This is to notify you that the title to the lands described as
E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 32, T6S, R1E BHM

formerly owned by George Putnam

has been transferred to Lloyd Putnam, HCR 59, Box 22, Edgemont SD 57735

(please include complete mailing address)
together with any rights to the beneficial use of water thereon as evidenced by

Water Right Permit No. 288-2 as provided for in SDCL 46-5-2 and 46-5-33.

You are therefore hereby requested to file this "Notice of Transfer of Water Permit" in its appropriate file at the Div. of Water Rights, Water Management Board as evidence of the change of ownership.

A fee of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$2.50) is hereby attached to cover filing as required under SDCL 46-2-13.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
County of Fall River) ss.

I, Lloyd Putnam being first duly sworn on my oath despose and say:
That my relation to the above described undertaking is that of Owner, that I have read the above foregoing statement, and I know of my own personal knowledge that the information herein stated is true.

Lloyd Putnam
(Signed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 Day of October, 19 88.

Kurtis T. Barker
(Notary Public)

My Commission Expires 3/25/93

RECEIPT

Division of Water Rights
South Dakota Department of Water and Natural Resources

411459

Pierre, October 21, 1988, 19__

RECEIVED OF Lloyd/Beverly Putnam, HCR 59 Box 22, Edgemont, SD 57735
the following amount in fees for services rendered as provided for by law:

Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water, to construct works and to put water to beneficial use _____		
Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water for Future Use _____		
Fee to retain Future Use Permit No. _____ after period of seven years.		
Fee for Inspecting Constructed Works, confirming beneficial use and issuing Water License No. _____		
Fee for Filing Transfer Form <u>288-2</u>	2	50
Fee for Filing Extension Request _____		
Fee for Certified Copy of _____		
Fee for Print Copy of Map _____		
Fee for Certifying _____		
Fee for _____		
(Any Other Work Provided by Law)		
Total	2	50

By John Hatch
Chief Engineer JOHN HATCH

SOUTH DAKOTA
Department of
Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building Water Rights Division
Pierre, South Dakota 57501

Phone (605) 773-3352

November 4, 1988

Lloyd Putnam
HCR 59 Box 22
Edgemont, South Dakota 57735

Dear Mr. Putnam:

Enclosed is receipt No. 411459 in the amount of \$ 2.50 which you
paid for transfer of Water Right No. 288-2.

Our records now show you as the owner of this Water Right.

Sincerely,

Maxine Stirling
Secretary

ms/
Enc.

SOUTH DAKOTA
Department of
Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

March 23, 1990

288-2 289-2
290-2 291-2
292-2

NOTICE

TO: Lloyd Putnam
HCR 59 BOX 22
EDGEMONT, SD 57735

FROM: *for Delvin D. Brosz*
JOHN HATCH, CHIEF ENGINEER
Water Rights Division
(605)773-3352

SUBJECT: Low Water Levels in Angostura Reservoir

The water level in Angostura Reservoir on March 6, 1990 was at 3171.1 feet above mean sea level (msl). This is approximately 16 feet below the full elevation of 3187.2 msl. The present estimates are that the Angostura Irrigation District will be able to deliver less than 50% of full service water to project lands during the 1990 irrigation season. We are contacting you to advise you of the actions we have taken due to the low water situation in Angostura Reservoir. Junior Water Right owners above Angostura have been ordered not to use water until Angostura fills.

Since your Water Rights (listed above) have priority dates that are senior to the April 11, 1941 priority for Angostura Irrigation Water Right No. 579-2, your permits are not directly affected by the Junior Priority Order. However, I am requesting that all Senior Water Right holders comply with any qualifications and limitations as stated on their water right. With the existing low runoff conditions, we expect to monitor all water rights above Angostura Reservoir.

I want to thank all Water Right Holders above Angostura for the cooperation that we have received up to this time. If you have any questions, please contact Del Brosz (605 773-3352).

NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP

To: Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division, DENR
523 E. Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-3181

No. 288-2

Date: Dec 22, 1992

I/We request that Water Right No. 288-2

formerly owned by: Lloyd Putnam

be transferred to: (name & address) John A. Putnam, HCR 59, Box 34, Edgemont, SD 57735

(Telephone No) 605-662-7148

Title to the following described land(s)/property has been transferred as described above:

E 1/2 SW 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, Section 32, Township 6S, R1E, BHM, Fall River County, South Dakota

I/We understand that the validity of Water Right No. 288-2 has not been determined by this transfer action. If I/We have any questions on validity, I/We understand that only the Water Management Board has the authority to determine if a water permit/right is valid (see note).

You are requested to file this "Notice of Transfer" in the appropriate file at the Division of Water Rights, as evidence of the change of ownership.

A fee of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$2.50) is attached to cover the filing fees as required under SDCL 46-2-13.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)

County of FALL RIVER)

I/We JOHN A. PUTNAM being first duly sworn on my oath depose and say that my relation to the above described undertaking is that of Owner, that I have read the above foregoing statement, and that I know of my own personal knowledge that the information herein stated is true.

John A. Putnam
(Signed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Dec, 1992.

Jane M. Farrell
Notary Public
My Commission Expires
September 17, 1993

Jane M. Farrell
(Notary Public)

NOTE: Water permits may be cancelled for nonconstruction within the five year construction period. Once a water permit is developed and the water used, the permit becomes a right. A water right may be lost for three reasons:

1. Abandonment - no intent to use water and use is abandoned.
2. Forfeiture - no use of water for three year period without legal excuse.
3. For a third violation of a condition of a water permit/right.

FARRELL, FARRELL & GINSBACH

LAWYERS

441 NORTH RIVER STREET

HOT SPRINGS, SOUTH DAKOTA 57747

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Beverly J. Irwin
Certified Legal Assistant

Martin P. Farrell
Jane M. Farrell
Patrick M. Ginsbach

December 23, 1992

Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division
DNR
523 East Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-3181

Attn: Genny McMath

Re: Putnam water rights

Dear Ms. McMath:

Enclosed please find five Notices of Transfer of Ownership which have been executed by John A. Putnam. Please let me know if there is any additional information you will need. If there are any changes or corrections to be made, please also advise me. I am enclosing a check payable in the amount of \$12.50 for the filing fee.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

JANE M. FARRELL
JMF/bji

Enclosures



RECEIPT

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Division of Water Rights

South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources

Pierre, _____ December 28, 19 92

RECEIVED OF Jane Farrell (John A Putnam) 441 N River St, Hot Springs, SD 57747

the following amount in fees for services rendered as provided for by law:

Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water, to construct and to put water to beneficial use _____		
Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water, for Future Use _____		
Fee to retain Future Use Permit No. _____ after period of seven years.		
Fee for Inspecting Constructed Works, confirming beneficial use and issuing Water License No. _____		
Fee for Filing Transfer Form <u>Water Right No. 288-2</u>		2 50
Fee for Filing Extension Request _____		
Fee for _____		

(Any Other Work Provided by Law)	Total	2250

By

Chief Engineer

John A. Putnam



**DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES**

JOE FOSS BUILDING
523 EAST CAPITOL
PIERRE SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3181

December 29, 1992

No. 288-2
289-2
290-2
291-2
292-2

Jane M. Farrell
Farrell, Farrell & Ginsbach
441 North River Street
Hot Springs, SD 57747

Dear Ms. Farrell:

Enclosed are receipts in the amount of \$2.50 each which you paid for the transfer of Water Right Nos. 288-2, 289-2, 290-2, 291-2 and 292-2.

Our records now show John A. Putnam as the owner of Water Right Nos. 288-2, 289-2, 290-2, 291-2 and 292-2.

Sincerely,

Cheryl F. Frost
Secretary
Water Rights Division
(605) 773-3352

enclosure

cc: John A. Putnam, HCR 59, Box 34, Edgemont, SD 57735.



**DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES**

JOE FOSS BUILDING
PMB 2020
523 EAST CAPITOL
PIERRE SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3182
<http://denr.sd.gov>

October 18, 2011

John A Putnam
27150 N Flat Top Rd
Edgemont SD 57735 7612 

RE: Water Right Nos. 288-2, 289-2, 290-2, 291-2 and 292-2

Dear Mr. Putnam:

Enclosed is a "Notice" dated October 14, 2011 concerning the 2011 irrigation questionnaire.

The notice was originally mailed to 778 Cedar St Dewey SD. The post office notified us that your address has changed and I will update our records accordingly.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Genny McMath". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Genny McMath
Environmental Scientist
Water Rights Program
(605) 773-3352
email: genny.mcmath@state.sd.us

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