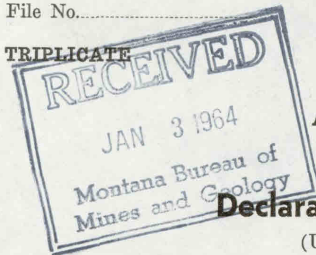


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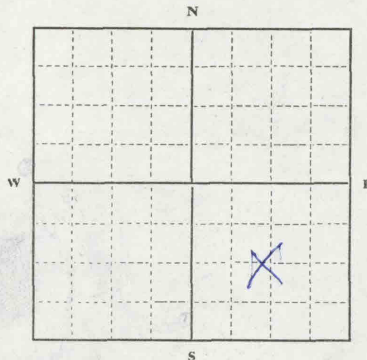
County Jefferson

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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Herschel Davis, of Box 163 RFD #1 Whitehall
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Jefferson State of Montana
have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:



SE 1/4 Sec. 14 T. 1N R. 5W

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

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based Stockwater
3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been #1 Since 1940 #2 Since 1925 Used continuously.
4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) #1, 250 gallons per hour; #2, 300 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 Not Applicable
6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal Vertical Wells
7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater. No. 1 commenced and completed in October, 1940; #2 commenced and completed in summer of 1925.
8. The depth of water table 25 to 30 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. #1 4 inch steel casing to depth of 62 feet with gasoline motor pump. #2 4 inch steel casing to depth of 130 feet.
10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year 600,000 gallons--both wells
11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available. Not known
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 Herschel DavisDate Dec. 28, 1963

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

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

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

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