A meeting of the Waterusers Association of the Santa Clara River was held at St George, Utah Feb. 18, 1963.

Donald C. Norseth of the State Engineer's Office presided.

Pres. E.S. Gardner conducted.

The following were in attendance:

Donald C. Norseth, State Engineer's Office
Frank Reese, State Engineer's Office
Richard Paxton, State Engineer's Office
R. Keith Higginson State Engineer's Office
E.S. Gardner Pres. Waterusers Association
Paul Hafen St George Clara Field Canal Co.
Reed Mathis St George Clara Field Canal Co.
George M. Larson Bloomington Canal Co.
Cecil Blake Deep ditch Irrigation Co.
Charles Hafen New Santa Clara Field Canal Co.
Wilford Holt Commissioner
Weston Hafen St. Geo and Santa Clara Bench Irr. Co.
Henry Bowler Glenlock Irrigation Co.
George Grimshaw Calif. Pacific Utilities Co.
Vaughn Jones Calif Pacific Utilities Co.
Archie G. Gregory Central Canal + Irr. Co.
Austin Bracken Waterusers Committee

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Vere Beckstrom Pine Valley Irrigation Co.
Dean E. Gardner Pine Valley Irrigation Co.

A majority of the members of the association and a majority of the rights on the Santa Clara River were represented.

Donald E. Norseth said the New Castle rights to Grass Valley water had been investigated and were being used in accordance with the court decree.

Charles Hafen read the call of the meeting.

The minutes of the meeting held Feb. 28, 1962 were read and approved.

The Financial Report of the Santa Clara River Distribution System for the year 1962 was read and approved.

Commissioner Wilford Holt said that the weirs used used by the Slaff Ditch Irrigation Co. and the St. Geo. and Santa Clara Bench Irrigation Co. did not measure the water in their canals accurately and that the staffs on the parcell flumes in other canals were worn out and needed to be replaced.

Cecil Blake made a motion that the Waterusers Committee buy staffs with measurement readings in sec. ft. for two feet and three feet parcell

flumes (3) and sell them to the companies needing them. Motion carried.

It was suggested that such staffs might be obtained from the college at Logan. Paul Hafen made a motion that Wilford Holt be elected to be recommended to the State Engineer for commissioner for 1963, and that his travel expense be raised ten dollars per month. Motion carried.

The rules were suspended and Wilford Holt was elected unanimously to be recommended to the State Engineer to be commissioner for 1963 and until his successor is appointed.

Reed Mathis made a motion, which carried, that the State Engineer be authorized to make an assessment of $1500.00 to raise the amounts set up in the budget.

Budget for the year 1963.

Commissioner's salary	$720.00
Matching Social Security	26.10
Matching State Retirement	28.80
Commissioner's travel	600.00
Bonds and Insurance	25.00
Annual Report	25.00
Committee Expense	25.00
Miscellaneous	40.10
	$1500.00

A motion was made which carried that the Waterusers Committee now acting be the committee for 1963. The members of the committee are:

E. S. Gardner, Pres. St George, Utah.
Paul Hafen, Vice Pres. St George, Utah.
Vaughn Jones, Member, Virgo, Utah.
Austin Bracken, Member Central, Utah.
Archie Gabler, Member, Santa Clara, Utah.
Charles Hafen, secy, Santa Clara, Utah.

Meeting adjourned.

Charles Hafen, secy.