

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Commissioner on Nine Mile Creek
FROM: John Bene, Deputy State Engineer
DATE: July 6, 1971
RE: Nine Mile Distribution System

On this day, July 6, 1971, the following diversions were checked and measurements recorded:

Water issuing out of Minnie Maude Creek - 2.00 c.f.s. at a point north of Nine Mile highway at the confluence of Nine Mile Creek and Minnie Maude Creek.

Keel & Hammerschmid diversion out of Nine Mile Creek	Keel - .80 c.f.s. Hammerschmid - 1.00 c.f.s.	1.80 c.f.s.
Frank Albertson (Christensen place)		2.00 c.f.s.
Nev. Wimmer (Ernest Davis place)		0.70 c.f.s.
Nutter's Ranch - No. Side Diversion		
Nine Mile Creek		3.41 c.f.s.
Nutter's Ranch (lower Diversion)		0.32 c.f.s.
Nine Mile Creek		
Albertson (Lower Diversion)		2.40 c.f.s.
Nine Mile Creek		
Pace Place (Brock Diversion)		2.50 c.f.s.

NOTE: Approximately 0.50 c.f.s. was by passing Nutter's Lower Diversion at 4:15 p.m. this day.

Argyle Creek

Jack Wimmer	No water being diverted	
Henry Mills (Lower Diversion)		1.40 c.f.s.
Henry Mills (Upper Diversion)		2.00 c.f.s.

Note: Water was running back into Argyle Creek off of Henry Mill's lower field below house.

Pressett Diversion		0.30 c.f.s.
Nev. Wimmer Diversion		1.90 c.f.s.

Nev. Wimmer (Frank Liddell place) has been irrigated, it has no right out of Argyle Creek to irrigate - the only water on this place is a Certificate Right on the spring located by the cabin.

Mr. Frank Albertson has agreed to take on the full responsibility for regulating the waters on Nine Mile and Argyle Creek for the remainder of the irrigation season. He understands that this is to be done in accordance with the decrees now in effect on Nine Mile and Argyle Creeks. Any water that is available above the decreed rights must go to the Certificated right next in priority.

It is the judgment of the Deputy State Engineer and the Engineer for distribution that if he sets the diversion once a week that this would keep the prorating of the waters pretty well in line. (Not withstanding any flooding conditions which can be expected after the middle of July and on into August.)

Mr. Albertson is to keep track of his time and mileage required to do this work and all water users will be assessed to help defray the expenses incurred.

Mr. Howard Price tendered his resignation to the State Engineer on July 1, 1971.

This water survey party was made up of LaMont Gardner, Price office of the State Engineer; Donald Norseth, Distribution Engineer, State Office ; and John Bene, Deputy State Engineer.

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STOCKHOLDERS IN MINNIE MAUDE IRRIGATION COMPANY
Nine Mile Water

(1) Nev. Wimmer	1429 shares	60%
(2) Frank Albertson	399 shares	17%
(3) Willis Hammerschmid	260 shares	11%
(4) Lewis Matte	68 shares	3%
(5) Leon Thayne	39 shares	2%
(6) Amber Keel	182 shares	7%

Available water should be divided in these ratios

(1) Total Available Water	x	60%	=
(2) " " "	x	17%	=
(3) " " "	x	11%	=
(4) " " "	x	3%	=
(5) " " "	x	2%	=
(6) " " "	x	7%	=

Example:

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Total available water 2.0 c.f.s.

(1)	2 x .60	=	1.20 c.f.s.
(2)	2 x .17	=	.34 c.f.s.
(3)	2 x .11	=	.22 c.f.s.
(4)	2 x .03	=	.06 c.f.s.
(5)	2 x .02	=	.04 c.f.s.
(6)	2 x .07	=	<u>.14 c.f.s.</u>
	TOTAL		2.00 c.f.s.