

ARGYLE CREEK WATER COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

John Bene - Court Appointed Water Commissioner

July 31, 1963:

Made a trip to Argyle Creek and Nine Mile with Deputy State Engineer, Hubert Lambert.

Keel diversion on Nine Mile taking all water: 0.65 gage = 2.08 cfs.
Davis Place (Wimmer): No measuring device - estimated at 1.25 cfs.
Hayes Place (Brock operator): 1.00 cfs.
Nutter Corp.: No water being diverted on the south side. North side diversion - 1.40 cfs. Est. water going over dam at Nutter diversion 0.75 cfs. Called at Nutter Ranch but only one at the ranch at the time - lady cook.

Deputy State Engineer talked with Neve Wimmer at the ranch and discussed the possibility of setting up water turns on Nine Mile Creek. Meeting tentatively set with all water users on Nine Mile above Argyle Creek for August 7, 1963 at 11:00 A.M., and promised to send each water user a letter confirming the date.

Neve Wimmer: 1.20 cfs.

Umbert Pressett: 0.40 cfs.

Henry Mills: No water on the north side; south side 1.00 cfs.

Eng. Lambert wanted to check with me the possibility of installing a Parshall flume of sufficient size at the head of Argyle to measure all the water before any diversions were made and also to acquaint himself with the proposed Argyle damsite. We checked the Argyle stream bed for a stable location to install a Parshall flume. It was our judgment that the installation of a Parshall flume at the head of Argyle Creek was not feasible or practical; and if and when the Argyle dam is built, that one of the requirements would be that a stable stream section be constructed above and below the dam out of reinforced concrete and that an automatic recorder be installed at each site.

We returned to Price by way of Argyle Canyon and Willow Creek.



cc: Judge Joseph Nelson - Provo
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Preston Nutter Corp. - Nine Mile
Clive Sprouse - Roosevelt
Henry Mills - Price
Umbert Pressett - Nine Mile

