



**Department of State.**

I, FRED E. LUKENS, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, and legal custodian of the corporation records of the State and collector of the annual corporation tax, do hereby certify that.....

.....THE BIG BEND IRRIGATING AND MINING COMPANY.....  
a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of  
.....Idaho....., with its principal place of business in Idaho located at  
.....Hagerman....., Idaho, forfeited on December.....first....., 1917.....,  
its charter or authority to do business in the State of Idaho, because of failure to pay the  
annual license tax and penalty due the State of Idaho for the fiscal year ending June 30th,  
1918....., as provided by Section 4786 of the Idaho Compiled Statutes.

AND I FURTHER CERTIFY, That the said corporation has subsequently and on the  
.....first.....day of.....September....., 19..31....., paid the annual license tax and pen-  
alty assessed against it and the said.....The Big Bend Irrigating and Mining Company.....  
is therefore reinstated on the records of this office, and all the corporate rights which it en-  
joyed under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Idaho prior to the date of said for-  
feiture, are hereby restored.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed  
the Great Seal of the State. Done at Boise City,  
the Capital of Idaho, this.....first.....  
day of.....September....., in the year of  
our Lord one thousand nine hundred and  
.....thirty-one....., and of the Independence  
of the United States of America the One Hun-  
dred and.....Fifty-sixth.....

Secretary of State.

# Articles of Incorporation

of

*The Big Bend Irrigating and Mining Company.*

Know all Men by these Presents:

That we, the undersigned, have this day associated ourselves together for the purpose of forming a CORPORATION under the laws of the State of ~~California~~ <sup>Idaho</sup>.

And we hereby Certify,

FIRST. That the name of said Corporation is *The Big Bend Irrigating and Mining Company.*

SECOND. That the purposes for which it is formed are *Diverting water from a spring situated on the S.E. 1/4 S.E. 1/4 Sec. 36, T<sub>4</sub>N 7, South of Range 13 East of Boise Meridian and known as Thompsons Spring, for Irrigating and Mining purposes.*

THIRD. That the place where its principal business is to be transacted shall be *at the residence of the president of said co at Hoagerman, Lincoln County Idaho.*

FOURTH. That the term for which it is to exist is *Fifty* years, from and after the date of its Incorporation.

FIFTH. That the number of its Directors shall be Nine and that the names and residences of those who are appointed for the first year, are

NAMES	RESIDENCES
E. H. Purdy President.	Wagerman Idaho
W. H. Clifford Vice	" "
M. J. Otis Secretary.	" "
John R. Schooler Treasurer.	" "
Scott Christie	" "
C. W. Schooler	" "
Charles Lancheater	" "
C. O. Sands	" "
P. M. Niles	" "

SIXTH. That the amount of the Capital Stock of this Corporation shall be Two Thousand Dollars, divided into two hundred shares of the par value of ten Dollars each.

SEVENTH. That the amount of said Capital Stock which has been actually subscribed is One thousand nine hundred fifty Dollars, and the following are the names of the persons by whom the same has been subscribed, to-wit:

NAMES OF SUBSCRIBERS	No. OF SHARES	AMOUNT
O. P. Johnson	Twenty 20	\$2.00
P. M. Niles	Ten 10	1.00
J. E. Thompson	Fifteen 15	1.50
John Curran	Ten 10	1.00
Nelson Dudley	Four 4	.40
E. H. Purdy	Sixteen 16	1.60
W. H. Clifford	Ten 10	1.00
M. J. Otis	Twelve 12	1.20
John R. Schooler	Sixteen 16	1.60
Scott Christie	Twelve 12	1.20
C. W. Schooler	Sixteen 16	1.60
Charles Lancheater	Eight 8	.80
C. O. Sands	Ten 10	1.00
Liberty Meillet	Five 5	.50
Robert P. Lancheater	Eleven 11	1.10
Fred V. Goussier	Twenty 20	2.00
Total 195		Total \$1950

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this  
28 day of January A. D. 1904.

Signed and Sealed

in the presence of

A. N. Conklin

E. W. Purdy

W. H. Blifford

M. T. Otis

John W. Schooler

Scott Christie

C. W. Schooler

Chas. J. Lancheater

C. C. Sands

P. M. Miles



State of California,

State of Idaho

SS

County of Lincoln

On this Twentyeighth day of January in the  
year one thousand nine hundred and four, before me,

A. N. Conklin, a Justice of the Peace ~~Notary Public~~ in and  
for the <sup>Mealad Precinct</sup> said County of Lincoln, personally appeared

E. W. Purdy, W. H. Blifford, M. T. Otis, John W. Schooler,  
Scott Christie, William Schooler,  
Charles Lancheater, C. C. Sands and P. M. Miles

known to me to be the same persons whose names subscribed to the within  
instrument, and they duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed  
my Official Seal at my office in the said County  
of Lincoln the day and year last  
above written.

A. N. Conklin  
Justice of the Peace ~~Notary Public~~ in and for the said County  
of Lincoln State of ~~California~~ Idaho.

State of California,

State of Idaho.

ss

County of Lincoln

I, A. M. Mahon, County Clerk of the

County of Lincoln, State of California, do hereby

certify the within to be a full, true and correct copy of Articles of Incorporation of The Big Bend Irrigation and Mining Company

as remains on file in this office.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and

affixed my Official Seal, this 30<sup>th</sup> day

of January A. D. 1904.

A. M. Mahon Clerk.

By Deputy Clerk.

Articles of

Incorporation

of

The Big Bend Irrigating and Mining Company.

Dated January 28 A. D. 1904

Filed for Record at the Request of

C. M. Miles.

Jan 30<sup>th</sup> A. D. 1904

at nine past 9 o'clock

A. M. Mahon Recorded in Book

of page

County Records

A. M. Mahon Recorder

By Deputy Recorder

State of Idaho } ss  
County of Lemhi }  
and says that he is one of the parties herein named as Director  
and Vice President and that he is a resident of said County  
County State of Idaho  
Witnessed and sworn to before me this 28 day of January  
1904  
A. N. Bennett  
Judge of the Peace