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Appurtenant to
BRITISH COLUMBIA INDIAN RESERVES.
REPORT NUMBER 3
OKANAGAN INDIAN AGENCY

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MEMORANDUM

Okanagan Agency - No. 3.

Report No. 557.

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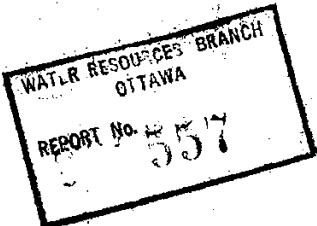
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INTRODUCTION

The investigation of water rights appurtenant to Indian Reserves in the Province of British Columbia was undertaken by the Dominion Water Power Branch in September 1918, at the request of the Department of Indian Affairs.

All reserves directly affected lie within the "Dry Belt" and have been dealt with in the following order:-

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- " No.2---Kamloops "
- " No.3---Okanagan "
- " No.4---Kootenay "
- " No.5---Williams Lake "

Recorded Rights

The reports included in this series contain lists of water records, allotments, or privileges, granted prior to 1909, for irrigation or domestic purposes upon the various reserves and which are subject to the adjudication of the Board of Investigation under the B.C. Water Act.

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Field Reports

Under the headings of "Areas", "Water Supply" "Works", etc. information obtained on the ground, either by survey or inspection, concerning the extent of irrigable areas, utilization of water, condition of works, suggested improvements for water supply systems, etc. is briefly given.

For the information of the Board of Investigation and as a basis on which the domestic requirements may be determined, the population and number of stock on each reserve is quoted from the 1916 report of the Indian reserve Commission.

Summaries

Appended to each report is a summary of recorded rights and estimated water requirements for each reserve. By referring to this part of the report the salient points may be observed at a glance.

For the purpose of comparing the estimated requirement with the amount of water recorded, the quantities recorded in miners inches have been converted to the equivalent in acre feet over a period of 120 days. For example:- Report No.5, Okanagan Agency--Page 30. Okanagan Indian Reserve No.1, Source-----"Siwash Creek" Amount recorded is 100 miners inches---666 acre feet in 120 days. Total area irrigable from recorded source (Provided sufficient water is available.) is 494.1 acres. Accepting the duty of water at 3 acre feet per season for each acre of irrigable land the requirements are shown to be roughly 1485 acre feet as against 666 acre feet recorded. In other words the amount recorded would provide 1.35 acre feet per acre of irrigable land, in a season of 120 days.

It will thus be readily observed under the column headed "Amount recorded in acre feet per acre or irrigable land" whether the amount recorded exceeds the requirements of the land, or otherwise as the case may be.

Plans

The plans which form a part of each report have been prepared from surveys made by engineers of the Dominion Water Power Branch and Provincial Water Rights Branch either separately or jointly. In a few cases where earlier surveys (prior to 1918) by the Provincial Government show that the requirements of the land would warrant the confirmation of appurtenant records, such information has been incorporated without further survey.

The plans show irrigated areas "cross-hatched" and irrigable areas "single-hatched" also location of streams, points of diversion, ditches, etc. and wherever possible the general topography is indicated.

The work of investigation has been carried on in close co-operation with the Provincial Water Rights Branch and information respecting Water Rights and surveys has been exchanged to the mutual benefit of both governments.

June 6, 1921.

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OKANAGAN AGENCY

Water Rights and Field Report

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| Reserve | Okanagan No.1--- OKEAHAGAB (Area 25,539 acres) |
| Recorded Rights | Jan. 29th, 1897--100 inches of water from Siwash Creek " 100 inches of water from Six Mile Cr. " 35 inches of water from Lewis Creek " 150 inches of water from O'Keefe's Creek " 75 inches of water from Whiteman's Cr. (Provincial Records) The Municipality of Spallumcheen, has permission to lay a pipe line underground across Reserve No.1 Indians to have a tap. Their water rights of 35 inches not to be interfered with. Municipality has 7½ inches of water. |
| | A list of water privileges submitted for record and published in the B.C.Gazette, June 20th, 1889. |
| | 200 inches from Thorn Creek (Aks-hua-huan-ke-klap) which discharges into the head of the Okanagan Lake---(O'Keefe's Creek) 100 inches from Round Woods Creek (Aks-in-ka-ha-lax) which is the first creek southwest from Thorn Creek on the west shore of the Okanagan Lake---(Lewis---Irish---Coyote) 100 inches from Gorge Creek (Neo-hut) which is the creek next to Round Woods Creek southward, on the west side of Okanagan Lake 50 inches from Inconstant Creek (H-sis-su-la-uh) which is the creek next to Gorge Creek southward on the west shore of the Okanagan Lake 200 inches from Drowned Creek (Sin-sa-huh-tan) which is the creek next to Inconstant Creek southward, on the west shore of Okanagan Lake 100 inches from Cedar Creek (Na-as-kui-tak) which is the creek next to Drowned Creek southward, on the west shore of Okanagan Lake 150 inches from Bird Creek (H-hu-kle-nam) which is creek next to Cedar Creek southward on the west shore of the Okanagan Lake. |
| Prior Records | <u>Siwash (or Cedar) Creek</u> -----None <u>Six Mile Creek</u> (also known as "Tsin-klo-hoc-tan" "Sai-so-huk-tan", "Drowned" and "Equesis")--- Dec. 20th, 1890—Lake View Irrig. Co., L. 509 & 510—1250 ac.ft. (Many subsequent records) <u>Lewis Creek</u> (also known as "Coyote", "Irish", "Round Woods" and "Aks-in-ka-pa-lax") May 27th, 1893—1000 gals. per day (?) Dec. 19th, 1893—S.E. 1/4—19, Tp. 7, 150 ac.ft. (Several subsequent records) <u>O'Keefe's Creek</u> (also known as "Otter River", "Meadow" Creek", "Thorn Creek" and "Aks-hua-huan-ke-klap") Sep. 26, 1878—S.E. 1/4 17, & N.E. 1/4 8, Tp. 35,--- 15 ac.ft. C.L. 1011. Jne. 30, 1882—L. 95, 96 & 97---350 inches Nov. 30th, 1885—S.E. 1/4 19, Tp. 35,---400 inches Aug. 22nd, 1895---? ---200 inches (One or more subsequent records) |

Records on tributaries of O'Keefe's Creek:-Steele's Springs:-

June 30th, 1882, L. 95, 96 & 97—150 inches
 July 5th, 1894, S.E. 1/4 25, Tp. 34 & S.W. 1/4
 30, Tp. 35—4 inches,
 April 29th, 1895, L. 96—15 inches
 Aug. 16th, 1906 Municipality—5000 gals.

Cedar Creek

Dec. 17th, 1896—500 gals. domestic

McTavish Creek

Ap. 18th, 1908, S.E. 1/4 31, Tp. 18, R. 9—
 1000 gals. C.L. 2070

Whiteman's Creek (also known as "Pack River" "Bird Creek" and "K-hu-kie-nam Creek") No prior records—several subsequent.

| reas | Irrigated | Additional Irrigable | Total Irrigable |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Siwash Cr. | 95.1 | 599.0 | 494.1 |
| Six Mile Cr. | 74.4 | 669.6 | 744.0 |
| Inconstant & George Crs) | — | 145.2 | 145.2 |
| Lewis Creek | 8.1 | 266.3 | 274.4 |
| O'Keefe's Cr. | — | 1882.0 | 1882.0 |
| Whiteman's (or 128.6 Bird) Creek | 128.6 | 437.4 | 566.0 |
| Available sources un- known | — | 1592.0 | 1592.0 |
| | 306.2 | 5391.5 | 5697.7 |

Water Supply

Siwash Creek—Discharge measured above ditch intakes on Oct. 31st, 1911—5.5 c.f.s.
Six Mile Creek—Discharge measured above ditch intakes on Nov. 4th, 1911—7.5 c.f.s.
Lewis Creek—Discharge measured above ditch intakes on Sep. 3rd, 1914—9.6 c.f.s.
O'Keefe's Creek—No discharge data available.
 Prov. Engineer F.W. Knewstubb reports to the effect that the greater part of irrigable area at the north end and on the east side of Okanagan Lake could only be irrigated by pumping from the Creek or lake.
Whiteman's Creek—Discharge measured above ditch intakes on Oct. 12th, 1911—21 c.f.s.

Domestic Supply

Obtained from recorded sources and Okanagan Lake for about 200 persons and 500 head of cattle and horses

Works

Siwash Creek—Ditches & three intakes as indicated on plan. Intake for east side only, has a gate.
Six Mile Creek—Two ditches without headworks
Lewis Creek—Three ditches without headworks
O'Keefe's Creek—None
Whiteman's Creek—Five ditches without headworks

Remarks

Prov. Water Rights surveys are authority for irrigated and irrigable areas, location of ditch intakes and stream measurement

PLAN

Reserve Okanagan No. 7--DUCK LAKE (Area 457 acres)
 Recorded Rights ?
 Areas Irrigated---- Not defined; variable.
 Irrigable----342 acres (below intakes)
 About 60 acres additional on west side of outlet stream is good land but is situated too high to be irrigated from Woods Creek
 Water Supply Irrigation----Woods Creek, tributary to Duck Lake now named with outlet stream Vernon Creek Only enough water obtained during 1920 season to irrigate 3 acres
 Domestic----Obtained from Creek, ditches and lake for 25 persons (estimated) and 50 cattle and horses (I.R.C. Report 1916)
 Works Ditches from Woods Creek as indicated on plan.
 Agricultural Improvements Houses, barns, orchards, cultivation, etc.
 Remarks Indians claim Okanagan Centre Company's pipe takes all water from Woods Creek and same is wasted flowing into Okanagan Lake
 Provincial Engineer F.W.Knewstubb notes---
 "McDougall, a resident, states that he has lived on this Indian Reserve for forty years and water was in use prior to this, but that with increasing use by whites the Indians' supply has decreased till they have great difficulty in obtaining any at times"

Plan No. 2.

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| Reserve | Okanagan No. 9--TSIESTIKEPTUM (Area 2430 acres) |
| Recorded Rights | I.R.C.--Oct. 19th, 1888--All water from Creek flowing into Okanagan Lake near western boundary of the reserve (Smith Creek) Rev. Record--Mar. 5th, 1901--200 inches of water from McDougall Creek (Application)--June 22nd, 1915--All water out of Reserve No. 9 Spring. (Riparian claim)--Feb. 27th, 1916--All water from springs (tributary to McDougall Creek) |
| Prior Records | <u>McDougall Creek</u> Apr. 23rd, 1875--Lot 434, 600 ac. ft. C.L. 647 Aug. 18th, 1900--Lot 2601, 400 ac. ft. C.L. 648 Sep. 7th, 1900--Lot 505, 320 ac. ft. C.L. 649 (Many subsequent records) |
| Areas | Irrigated--Not closely defined; about 26 acres being irrigated by Chinamen on Indian Reserve from springs near West boundary of reserve, and about 60 acres from McDougall Creek when water is available. Irrigable--Total, 1620 acres. |
| Water Supply | <u>Springs near West Indian Reserve boundary, tributary to Smith Creek.</u> --The flow from these springs was estimated to be from 15 to 20 miners inches on Aug. 19th, 1920 (Sufficient to irrigate 30 to 40 acres of land) The possibility of utilizing water from Smith Creek for that part of the reserve adjoining Lot 434 and the lake shore was investigated and reported on by Engineer A.M. Phillips (see report dated Sept. 5th, 1919) It was found that a flume 8" x 12"--5000 feet long would be necessary to convey water to place of use. According to stream flow data available sufficient water could be relied upon for the irrigation of about 80 acres. <u>McDougall Creek</u> --A very contentious stream which has been the subject of numerous investigations. The flow of this stream is reported to sink entirely into the stream-bed about the end of June each year. From July 1st practically the only flow available comes from springs tributary to McDougall Creek which flow is claimed by Mr. Galletly under prior record dated April 23rd, 1875. |
| Domestic Supply | The number of residents are not given separately for this reserve. Cattle and horses total 100 (I.R.C. Report 1916) |
| Works | Ditches from springs as indicated on plan. |
| Agricultural Improvements | Houses, barns, fences, orchards and cultivation in patches. |

Reclamation

Dealt with in report by Mr. A.M. Phillips dated September 5th, 1919.

Notes

(1) Prov. Engineer F.W. Knewstubb noted a flow of a few miners inches from Lot 305 onto the reserve which does not appear to be used.

(2) According to Indian testimony the water from springs (claimed by Mr. Galletly) was used for irrigation and domestic purposes on the reserve prior to 1875.

Plan

No. 5.

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| Reserve | Okanagan No. 10---- | (Area 800 acres) |
| Recorded Rights | I.R.C. Report p. 725—Oct. 19, 1888—25 inches from Creek flowing into Okanagan lake near the northern boundary of the reserve. Prov. Record—Mar. 5th, 1901—50 inches of water from Keefe Creek | |
| Prior Records | None | |
| Areas | Irrigated—about 60 acres (not closely defined) Total irrigable—410 acres (110 acres good bottom land, 300 acres good bench land) | |
| Water Supply | Irrigation—Keefe Creek; available flow is insufficient for irrigation requirements. Domestic—Obtained from Creek and ditches for 10 persons and 40 head of horses and cattle (estimated) | |
| Works | Short ditches to supply low lying meadows. Indians use R.A. Pease's ditch for irrigation on certain days by arrangement. | |
| Agricultural Improvements | Houses, barns, fences, small orchards and patches of cultivation | |
| Remarks | <p>Indians claim that further development of land is prevented by lack of water. It would be possible to raise James' dam on Keefe Creek but it is doubtful if it would provide any more water as the total flow is now utilized.</p> <p>The Western Okanagan Irrigation Company propose to store waters of Bear Creek and to flume same down to the Company's lands lying southwest of the Indian reserve. The proposed flume will pass within one mile of the western boundary of the reserve. Should this project be carried out it may be possible to negotiate with the Company for a supply of water to irrigate the upper benches which are situated too high to be irrigated from Keefe Creek.</p> | |
| Plan | No. 4. | |

Reserve Oseyees No.1--OSYCOOS (Area 52,097 acres)

Recorded Rights Prev. Record, Jan. 30th, 1897--50 inches of water
from A-tsi-klak Creek
" Feb. 1st, 1897--100 inches of water
from Wolf Creek
" Feb. 1st, 1897--300 inches of water
from Gregoire (Incanesp) Creek

NOTE:--These water privileges were submitted for record and published in the B.C.Gazette of 20th June, 1889

Prior Records A-tsi-klak Creek-----None
Wolf Creek-----July 21st, 1896 for Lot 44 (?)
(One or more subsequent records)
Gregoire Creek and tributaries:
McCuddy Creek (trib.) July 5th, 1894 for Lot 669
750 ac. ft. C.L. 773
(Several subsequent records on Gregoire Creek and tributaries)

Areas Irrigated---A-tsi-klak Creek--About 16 to 18 acres when water is available
Wolf Creek--55.5 acres
Gregoire Creek--277 acres (in 1911)

Irrigable---Not ascertained separately for each stream; 2500 acres estimated to be irrigable from Wolf Creek if water were available.

Total irrigable area on reserve-----8768 acres

Water Supply A-tsi-klak Creek---A limited quantity is obtained for area under irrigation. (These springs were very small when visited by Prov. Engineer F.W. Knewstubb on Aug. 11th, 1920)
Wolf Creek ---An unreliable source of supply for irrigation. Stream is reported to sink into gravel and reappear at certain points, or during the night only.
Gregoire Creek--"A good deal of the water of this creek sinks about the highest Indian intake. Considering its value in this locality there should be a possibility of obviating a good deal of loss by fluming or lining across the part where greatest loss occurs" (Prov. Engineer Knewstubb)

Domestic Supply Obtained from recorded sources for 70 persons and 900 to 1000 head of cattle and horses (I.R.C. Report 1916)

Works Ditches and intakes as indicated on plan

Agricultural Improvements Houses, barns, fences, orchards, gardens and cultivation

Remarks Provincial Water Rights plans and reports are authority for irrigated and irrigable areas, location of ditches, water supply, etc.

Plan No. 5.

Reserve Penticton No. 1---Penticton (Area 47,829 acres)

Recorded Rights Prev. Record, Jan. 29th, 1897---100 inches of water from Trout Creek
 " Jan. 29th, 1897---100 inches of water from Snake (or Beaver) creek
 " Feb. 1st, 1897---66 inches of water from Marren Creek

Water privileges submitted for record and published in the B. C. Gazette, June 20th, 1889.

500 inches from Trout Creek
 500 inches from Snake Creek
 100 inches from Marren Creek

Prior Records Trout Creek:- Dec. 18th, 1888 for Lot 508
 Apr. 9th, 1890 for Lot 488
 Dec. 20th, 1890 for Lot 441
 Dec. 11th, 1891 for Lot 474
 (About 23 subsequent records)
Snake Creek:- None prior, many subsequent
Marren Creek & Lakes:- Nov. 6th, 1891---Kaleden---500 inches
 Jan. 29th, 1897---Kaleden---500 inches
 (Many subsequent records)

Areas Irrigated---defined approximately on plan
 Irrigable---5076 acres

NOTE:- FOR description of irrigable areas and plan references see pages 9 and 10.

water Supply Irrigation---The main source of supply is Snake Creek and tributaries; very little water is available after middle of July.
 Sheep Creek, a tributary of Snake Creek, has a discharge of about 5 c.f.s. in the middle of July which decreases to about 0.5 c.f.s. by middle of August.
 Indians irrigate about 64 acres with water conveyed by the Kaleden ditch from Sheep Creek
 Trout Creek was formerly used for irrigation of patches on low flat near mouth of creek
Domestic---Population 170 persons
 Stock 500 head (estimated)

Works Ditches from Snake Creek and tributaries as indicated on plan

Remarks Provincial Water Rights survey is authority for irrigated and irrigable areas, intake locations and descriptive notes on pages 9 & 10

Plan No. 6.

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PENTICTION INDIAN RESERVE NO. 1

Lands under SHEEP, SHINGLE (SHAKE), MARROW & TROUT OPERATIONS

| Ref. | Area (Acs) | Descriptive Notes |
|------|------------|--|
| A | 53 | Fair sage bench on area proposed cut off |
| B | 62 | Good " " " " " " |
| C | 27 | Fair " " " " " " |
| D | 152 | Low lying land, irrigation probably not necessary generally. Partly on proposed cutoff |
| F | 880 | Rolling and gravelly in parts, generally open. Only a percentage of this is irrigable land; partly on proposed cutoff. |
| G | 50 | Fairly high benches south of Shingle Creek |
| H | 37 | Sage and open pine. Ditch probably feasible from Shingle Creek but perhaps not economically so for hay lands |
| J | 1560 | Area round Indian village and extending to River and Dog Lake. Fairly level, parts irrigated (not defined) Part swampy hay land and part bush. |
| K | 58 | Consists of high open bench irrigation would be difficult |
| L | 48 | Good bench, patch irrigated, but only small quantity of water available from creek shown |
| M | 27 | Small bench on which some attempt at cultivation has been made but no water usually available. |
| N | 172 | Fairly good bench land part rolling but water difficult to obtain |
| N-1 | 19 | |
| N-2 | 11 | |
| O | 68 | High sage bench, sometimes a small quantity of water available but very uncertain |
| Q | 196 | This appears to be a fairly good bench, partly open pine, partly clear |
| R | 40 | Narrow open benches (sage) |
| S | | |
| T | 106 | Narrow open benches (sage). For Q.R.S. & T Water supply would be difficult to obtain |

Carried
Forward 3570 acres.

| Ref. | Area | Descriptive Notes |
|------------------------|------------|---|
| Forward---- | 5076 | |
| U | 5 | |
| V | 10 | |
| W | 12 | |
| X | 20 | |
| Y | 60 | These lands all lie near the Kaleden ditch and some 64 acres (approx) are irrigated therefrom as shown. Of the remainder some 60 acres could hardly be irrigated from the ditch as constructed. |
| Z | 3 | |
| A | 40 | |
| B | 93 | |
| C | 560 | Consists of bottom land and patches sage bench and bush. There is a ditch as indicated for irrigating a few acres hay land from Shatford Creek |
| C-1 | 27 | |
| D | 64 | Bench (open) on which small patch at north end is irrigated from Shingle Creek |
| E | 12 | |
| F | 128 | Open pine benches probably irrigable from Shingle Creek but requiring trestle flume or pressure pipe |
| G | 372 | Generally level open flat of which a part has been irrigated (175 acres in 1913--Macintosh report) very little irrigated at present. |
| H | 500 | Roughly estimated; fair pine bench but to irrigate would probably require fairly long pressure pipe and is probably not feasible. This question was not gone into. |
| I | 10 | |
| J | <u>192</u> | |
| Total Irrigable---- | 5076 acres | |

Reserve "Penticton No. 8A----- (Area 350 ac)
 (Lot 3317, G.1, Osoyoos District of Yale)
 Received in exchange for Reserve No. 5

Recorded Rights Provincial Water Record No. 1017 dated Oct. 14th,
1904 in name of W. Ritchie, Jr. 300 inches of
water from Spring Creek

Prior Records None

Area Irrigable----- ---132 acres

Water Supply "Careful enquiries were made of the Indians as
 to location of Spring Creek but they seemed
 entirely unacquainted with it as such. The
 only source of water they knew of as likely
 is a small spring freshet west or southwest
 of Reserve No. 8A Diversion point stated as
 "5 or 6 miles above said Lot" (Note by Prov.
 Engineer, Knewstubb)

Domestic Supply--No residents or stock. This
reserve is used as part of I.R.No.1.

Remarks Irrigable area surveyed by Prov. Engineer Knewstubb

Plan No. 6.

Reserve Lower Similkameen No.3----- (Area 1750 acres)
 Recorded Rights ?
 Areas (West of Similkameen River only):-
 Irrigable-----112 acres; bottom land partly
 irrigated
120 acres; low sage bench
 Total Irrigable W. side --232 acres
 Water Supply Susap Creek--part of bottom land is irrigated from
 this source, although no water rights have been
 recorded. This stream carries a plentiful supply.
 Works Ditch from Susap Creek used also for Reserve No.5.
 A higher ditch would be required to irrigate bench
 of 120 acres
 Remarks Provincial Water Rights plan is authority for
 irrigable areas.
 As no rights have been recorded, and no water is
 known to be available for land east of the
 Similkameen River this part of the reserve has
 not been dealt with
 Plan No.7.

Reserve Lower Similkameen No.4---MARCISSÉ'S FARM
 (Area 1854 acres)

Recorded Rights I.R.C. Oct. 30th, 1888--10 inches of water from creek flowing from west through centre of reserve
 Prev. Record, Jan. 30th, 1897--40 inches of water from Sintlehahtan Creek
 B.C. Gazette, June 20th, 1889--20 inches of water from Sintlehahtan Creek

Prior Records None

Areas Irrigated-----Patches not defined
 Total Irrigable-----326 acres

Water Supply A small quantity is obtained for irrigation and domestic purposes from the streams (two) indicated on plan

Works Short ditches

Remarks Population---12 persons } I.R.C. Report 1916.
 Stock-----164 head }

Plan No. 7.

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| Reserve | Lower Similkameen No. 5--JOE NAHUMCHEEN (Area 1278 acres) | | |
| Recorded Rights | I.R.C., Oct. 30th, 1888--10 inches of water from a small creek flowing through the reserve. B.C. Gazette, June 20th, 1889--10 inches from springs at the back of Joe Nahumcheen's farm B.C. Gazette, June 20th, 1889--500 inches to be taken from the Similkameen River Prov. Record, Jan. 30th, 1897--10 inches to be taken from spring at back of Joe Nahumcheen's house and farm. Prov. Record, Jan. 30th, 1897--100 inches from Similkameen River | | |
| Prior Records | Springs-----None | | |
| Areas | Irrigated | Additional Irrigable | Total Irrigable |
| EAST side | 7 acres | 666 acres | 673 acres |
| WEST side | about 70 " | 271 " | 341 " |
| Totals | 77 " | 937 " | 1014 " |
| Water Supply | <u>East Side</u> -- Only very meagre supply available from springs, barely sufficient for orchard and domestic use. (Flow estimated to be 5 miners ins. when visited 9-7-20) <u>West Side</u> -- Plentiful supply available in Susep Creek. Indians' ditch was carrying 6 to 8 c.f.s. on date of visit. No water rights have been recorded. <u>Similkameen River</u> -- Not utilized. "The use of this record by gravity does not seem feasible to me, at any rate for the bench land, and the low land hardly needs it. Several miles of ditch with Right-of-Way through valuable land would be required" (Note by Provincial Engineer P. W. Knewstubb) | | |
| Domestic Requirements | From all sources on the reserve for 17 persons and 110 horses and cattle (I.R.C. Report 1916) | | |
| Remarks | Irrigable area west of river is bottomland and includes irrigated meadows. Irrigable area east of river includes 382 acres bottomland and 285 acres sage flat. This reserve was surveyed by Prov. Water Rights Engineer O. J. Berquist in 1911 and his map is data for acreage estimate. | | |
| Plan | No. 7. | | |

Reserve Lower Similkameen No. 6--BLIND CREEK (Area 400ac)

Recorded Rights I.R.C. Oct. 30th, 1888--The unappropriated water of Blind and Causton Creeks is assigned to the use of the Indians.

Prior Records ?

Areas Irrigated-----38 acres, when water is available
Additional Irrigable----214 acres
Total Irrigable-----252 acres

Water Supply Blind Creek--Only a very meagre flow is available from this source. The discharge on July 9th, 1921, was estimated to be 0.12 c.f.s. This small flow is used to good advantage for production of fruit and vegetables.
Domestic Supply--From ditches and Creek for 20 persons and 350 horses and cattle. (I.R.C. Report 1916)

Works Ditch in fairly good condition

Agricultural Improvements Modern house, barn and out buildings, fences, orchards, cultivation, etc.

Reclamation All land shown as irrigable has good soil and would be very valuable if served with water. Indians are cultivating all land for which they can obtain water.

Remarks The use of water from Blind Creek has been the cause of considerable friction between the Indians and a prior record holder. Indians insist that their rights are prior to all others whether such rights have been recorded or not. This claim they apparently make good by taking and using what little water there is.

Plan No. 8.

Reserve Lower Similkameen Nos. 7 & 8--SKEMEOSKUANKIN
(Area 3800 acres)

Recorded Rights Prov. Record, Jan. 30th, 1897--100 inches of water
from Skemeoskuankin Creek
B.C. Gazette, (June 20th, 1889)--200 inches of
water from Skum-kam-ske-nes-skis-tan Creek

Prior Records None

Areas Irrigated----- 221.5 acres
Additional Irrigable---2883.6 "
Total irrigable-----3104.5 "

Water Supply Irrigation--Skemeoskuankin (or Wilmington) Creek
The Indians were diverting 6 to 8 c.f.s. on
July 23rd, 1926. This stream apparently carries
sufficient water to irrigate the greater part
of the reserve.
Shondy Creek Only a very limited
supply available. Indians were diverting about
0.5 c.f.s. at time of visit
Domestic--Obtained from sources on reserve for
55 residents (I.R.C. 1916 Report) and 400
horses and cattle)

Works Ditches and intakes as indicated on plan

Remarks "A good deal of the bottom land appears fairly dry,
but is doubtless sub-irrigated, and unless at
exceptional times, requires very little irriga-
tion" (Note by Prov. Engineer Knewstubb)
Provincial Water Rights survey is authority for
irrigated and irrigable areas, position of
ditch intakes, etc.

Plan No. 9.

Reserve Lower Similkameen No. 9—ALEXIS (Area 429 acres)
 Recorded Rights Prov. Record, Jan. 30th, 1897—100 inches of water
 from Achegheptlat Creek
 B.C. Gazette, (June 20th, 1889)—100 inches of
 water from Achegheptlat Creek
 Prior Records None (One or more subsequent records)
 Areas Irrigated-----57 acres
 Additional Irrigable-112 acres under present intake
 26 acres above present intake
 Total Irrigable-----175 acres
 Water Supply Irrigation—Achegheptlat (or Thom) Creek;
 estimated flow on May 18th, 1912, 10 c.f.s.
 Domestic—Obtained from River, Creek and
 ditches for 7 residents and about 250 horses
 and cattle (I.R.C. Report)
 Works Earth ditches in good condition
 Remarks "Intake is not taken high enough up-stream to cover
 an irrigable bench of 26 acres which would be
 covered if ditch were taken cut at mouth of
 Canyon.
 There is an intake provided on the Keremeos Land
 Company's ditch from Ashnola River, from which
 this land may be served if the creek dries up at
 its lower end" (Note by Prov. Engineer O.J. Bergoult)
 This reserve was surveyed by the Provincial Water
 Rights Branch in May, 1912. Provincial plan and
 Engineer's Report are authority for irrigated
 and irrigable areas, location of ditches, etc.
 Plan No. 10.

Reserve Lower Similkameen No.10--ASHNOLA (Area 4153 ac.)

Recorded Rights B.C.Gazette, June 20th, 1889--50 inches from Jim's Creek, which waters Thomas' farm, right bank of the Similkameen River, below the Ashnola River
B.C.Gazette, June 20th, 1889--500 inches from Ashnola River
Prov. Record, Jan.30th, 1897--100 inches from Ashnola River.
Prov. Record, Jan.30th, 1897-- 50 inches from Jim's Creek

Prior Records Ashnola River-----None (Ashnola Land Co's record is dated Jan.26th, 1906)

Jim's Creek-----None

| Areas | Irrigated | Additional Irrigable | Total Irrigable |
|------------------------|-------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Creek N.W. corner I.R. | 17.2 acres | 74.4 acres | 9.6 acres |
| Ashnola R. | Not defined | --- | <u>965.2 acres</u> |
| Total | | | 1054.8 acres |

Water Supply Irrigation--The creek near the N.W.corner of the reserve carried about 15 c.f.s. when visited on July 15th, 1920. An ample supply should be available throughout the season for land on that part of the reserve.
Ashnola River--Plentiful supply available for all irrigable land.
Jim's Creek--This creek is probably the small stream which flows through Reserve No.10B

Domestic---Obtained from River, streams on reserve and ditches for 22 persons and 230 cattle and Horses. (I.R.C. Report 1916 for Res. 10, 10A & 10B)

Works Earth ditches and short flumes in fair condition, ditches require clearing of gravel in places

Agricultural Improvements Houses, barns, fences, orchards, cultivation, etc.

Remarks Land adjoining the Ashnola River between the two upper intakes is of indifferent quality and is rocky in patches. Probably 65% of irrigable tract of 610 acres can be cultivated, remainder would make good pasture if watered.

Plan No.11.

Reserve Lower Similkameen No. 10A----- (Area 3360 acres)

Recorded Rights ?

Areas Irrigated----- 54.4 acres
Additional Irrigable- 11.0 acres
Total Irrigable----- 65.4 acres

Water Supply Stream flowing through reserve--discharge estimated at 15 c.f.s. on July 15th, 1920.
No water rights recorded; plentiful supply available.

Works Earth ditch in good condition.

Remarks Cultivated land is river flat with good soil.
Remainder of reserve is mountainous and of little value except for grazing purposes.

Plan No. 12.

Reserve Lower Similkameen No.10B----- (Area 350 acres)

Recorded Rights ?

Areas Irrigated-----none recently
Total irrigable----35 acres

Water Supply Small creek flowing through reserve which the Indians claim to have made use of at times

Works Earth ditch--approximate position shown on plan

Remarks The small creek on this reserve may be the stream referred to as Jim's creek (See description under Reserve No.10)

Plan No.11

Reserve Lower Similkameen No. 11--"ASHNOLA JOHN'S"
(Area 585 acres)

Recorded Rights Jan. 30th, 1897---100 inches from Sinthutsepaskan Crk.
B.C. Gazette, June 20th, 1899---200 inches from
Sinthutsepaskan Creek

Prior Records Apparently none

Areas Irrigated-----64.4 acres
Additional Irrg' bl- 225.0 acres
Total Irrigable-----289.4 acres

Water Supply Irrigation---A limited flow is obtained from a small stream which flows through the northern portion of the reserve, probably referred to as Sinthutsepaskan Creek (Discharge estimated at 1 c.f.s. July 10th, 1920)
The small creek to the south has evidently been used for irrigating a tract of 6.4 acres although this source was dry when visited.
Domestic---Obtained from creeks and ditches for 5 persons (I.R.C. Report 1916, Table C)
700 to 800 cattle & horses (I.R.C. Report 1916 Table B)
225 cattle & horses (I.R.C. Report 1916, Table C)

Works Earth ditches in fair condition

Plan No. 12.

Reserve Lower Similkameen Nos. 12 & 12A-----
 (Areas; Reserve No. 12-----156.00 acres)
 No. 12A-----2150.00 acres)

 Recorded Rights Riparian claim filed May 3rd, 1920.

 Areas Irrigated-----26.5 acres
 Additional Irrigable---68.0 acres
 Total Irrigable-----89.5 acres

 Water Supply Irrigation -----Keremeos Creek ---Estimated flow
 of 24 c.f.s. was being diverted into the
 Indians' ditch on Aug. 7th, 1920.
Creek from Long Lake ---Small supply obtained when
 water is available---creek dry when visited
Spring ---Flow of 0.25 c.f.s. diverted on date
 of visit.
 "The water is all used close to Keremeos Creek
 so that excess probably finds its way back into
 the Creek" (Note by Prov. Engineer Knewstubb)

Domestic ---Obtained from creeks and ditches for
 6 persons, 25 horses and 40 cattle (I.R.C.
 Report, 1916)

 Remarks Provincial Water Rights Survey (1911) is authority
 for irrigated and irrigable areas, location
 of ditch intakes, etc.

 Plan No. 15.

Reserve Upper Similkameen No. 2---CHUCHUWAYHA
 (Area 4,493 acres)

Recorded Rights Prov. Record, Jan. 30th, 1897--200 inches from
 Similkameen River
 " " " 100 inches from
 " " " 20-Mile Creek
 " " " 100 inches from
 N-kan-sit-ko, Akspe-
 papsin and Chuo
 chuwayha Creeks
 " " " 100 inches from
 Nkamshinat Creek

A list of water privileges submitted for record
 and published in the
 B.C. Gazette, June 26th, 1889--300 inches from
 Similkameen River
 500 inches from 20-Mile Creek (Ats-ta-kysh-hi-nam)
 300 inches from N-kan-sit-ko creek
 25 inches from Chuchuwayha Creek
 200 inches from N-kan-a-hi-mat-ko Creek

| | |
|-------|--|
| Areas | Irrigated-----406 acres |
| | Additional Irrigable-----401 acres |
| | Total Irrigable-----807 acres |
| | 41 acres additional irrigable on I.R. No. 2B |

(For descriptive notes and map references see page 25)

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|--------------|--|
| Water Supply | <u>20 Mile Creek</u> --Not used by Indians. Although there is apparently a plentiful supply of water available, the difficulties and expense of constructing a flume to serve bench lands would be considerable. |
| | <u>N-kan-sit-ko, Aksapepapsin and Chuchuwayha Creeks</u> --These sources are used to the extent of available supply which is insufficient to meet requirements during dry season |
| | <u>N-kan-a-hi-mat-ko Creek</u> --Only a limited supply is obtainable after July |
| | <u>Similkameen River</u> --Water is obtained for irrigation of two flats (104 acres) from Daly Reduction Co's power flume through two outlets. Intake on North bank near West boundary has not been in use for some time and ditch is in disrepair |
| | Domestic Supply--Obtained from river, creeks and ditches for 32 persons and 300 cattle and horses (I.R.C. report 1916) |

Works Earth ditches from streams south of 26-Mile Creek on the north bank of Similkameen River in fair condition—grades are steep in places Outlets from power flume and ditches on south bank in good condition

Remarks Areas served from Daily Reduction Co's flume are reported by Provincial Engineer Knewstubb to be irrigated by Chinamen

Plan No. 14

Upper Similkameen Indian Reserves Nos. 2 and 23
Irrigated and Irrigable Areas

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| Map Reference | Area | Descriptive Notes |
|------------------|-------------|--|
| A | 242 acres } | Generally open and fairly good bench land, probably irrigable from 20-Mile Creek |
| B | 42 " | |
| C | 27 " | Open bench surrounded by low ground irrigation not considered feasible |
| D | 170 " | Low flats of good soil----- |
| E | 132 " | major portions under irrigation |
| F | 8 " | Good low lying land irrigable from N-ham-a-hi-mat-ko Creek |
| G | 70 " | Low flat, part open, remainder in bush, could be irrigated by building flume from overflow at Power House. Ground to be traversed is strewn with huge boulders---flume construction would be difficult |
| H | 54 " | Low flats---splendid soil irrigated from power flume |
| I | 50 " | |
| J | 39 " | Fairly good flat--about 15 acres could be irrigated with additional outlet from power flume |
| K (L.R.No.2B) | 41 " | About 20 acres low flat, remainder bench---probably irrigable from small stream to southward if sufficient water is available |
| Total | 675 acres | |

Reserve Upper Similkameen No. 3--WOLF CREEK (Area 518 acres)

Recorded Rights B.C. Gazette, June 20th, 1889; 100 inches of
 Prov. Record Jan. 20th, 1897; water from
 Official Schedule 1913, p. 106) Wolf Creek.

Prior Rights None

Area Irrigable-----98 acres (estimated acreage under proposed intake)

Water Supply Wolf Creek--Plentiful supply available. Estimated flow of 30 c.f.s. July 9th, 1912.

Works None

Remarks Provincial Water Rights survey of July 9th, 1912, is authority for irrigable area and estimated stream discharge.

Plan No. 15

Reserve Upper Similkameen No. 4--NINE MILE CREEK
 (Area 198 acres)

Recorded Rights B.C. Gazette, June 20th, 1889--100 inches of
 water from Nine Mile Creek
 Prov. Record Jan. 30th, 1897-- 30 inches of
 Official Sch (water from Nine Mile Creek
 1913 p. 106.)

Prior Rights None

Areas Irrigated-----60 acres (partly)
 Add'L. Irrigable---32 acres
 Total Irrigable----32 acres, under present intake

Water Supply Irrigation ----Nine Mile Creek--Stream carried a
 flow of 40 miners inches on
 July 8th, 1912.
 Domestic----Obtained from Creek and ditch for
 5 persons and 64 head of stock
 (I.R.C. Report 1916)

Remarks "The greater portion of hay field (60 acres) is
 sub-irrigated. Ditch supplies domestic use and
 possibly 5 acres of orchard and mixed gardening"
 (Note by Provincial Engineer O. J. Bergoust)

Provincial Water Rights survey of July 8th, 1912,
 is authority for irrigated and irrigable area,
 location of ditch intake, etc.

Plan

No. 16.

Reserve Upper Similkameen No. 5--LULU (Area 50 acres)

Recorded Rights B.C. Gazette, June 20th, 1889) 100 inches of
 Prev. Record, Jan. 29th, 1897 } water from
 Official Schedule 1913, p. 106 } Lu-la-u-la-nh Creek

Prior Rights ?

Areas Irrigated-----10 acres
 Additional Irrigable-----14 acres
 Total Irrigable-----24 acres (under present
 intake)

Water Supply Lu-la-u-la-nh Creek—Available flow is ample
 to supply all irrigable land on reserve.
 (Estimated flow of 2.5 c.f.s. on 28th,
 July 1912)

Domestic Supply is obtained from Creek and
 ditch for about 10 persons and 15 head of
 horses and cattle.

Works Earth ditch in good condition

Agricultural Improvements Houses, barn, fences, gardens, orchards
 and cultivation

Remarks A garden of 1.5 acres is cultivated and irrigated
 by the Indians on Lot 5105

Provincial Water Rights survey of July 28th, 1912.
 is authority for irrigated and irrigable areas
 and position of ditch intake

Plan No. 17.

Reserve Spallumcheen No.1--SALMON RIVER (Area 3,853 acres)

Recorded Rights Riparian claim filed with Govt. Agent, Vernon, B.C. May 5th, 1929, for sufficient water for domestic use from the stream in the Northeast corner of the reserve.

Prior Records Nov. 14th, 1884--300 inches--Lot 48, G.L.
(D. Matheson) confirmed by License No. 0000

Irrigable Area 1360 acres

Water Supply The stream referred to is reported to sink beneath the surface when it reaches the slide and boulders near the N.W. corner of Lot 48, excepting during times of freshet. The Indians claim to have made use of the water of this stream, when available, from time immemorial until Mr. Matheson took over Lot 48, and appropriated all the water.

| | | | |
|----------------------|-----|--------------------|--------------------------|
| Residents----- | 168 | } Indians estimate | } L.R.C. report 1916. |
| Horses & Cattle----- | 400 | | |
| " " | 260 | Agent's estimate | |

Works Earth ditch

Plan No. 18.

| Utility B | Equivalent in re issuance of | Period | Date | Remarks |
|--|------------------------------------|---|------------|--------------------|
| | 120 days | | | |
| 11 | ? | Unappropriated water of Blind & Gaustin oks. | Oct. 20/86 | I.R.C. |
| 00 | 656 | is assigned to the use of the Indians | Jan. 20/87 | Prov. Record |
| 00 | 1883 | Sek-oh-coon-kah-ko creek | Jan. 20/87 | B.C. Gazette |
| 00 | 666 | Sku-kan-oks-noo-shi-tan Creek | Jan. 20/87 | Prov. Record |
| 00 | 656 | Acheghooptin Creek | Jan. 20/87 | B.C. Gazette |
| 00 | 656 | do | Jan. 20/87 | Prov. Record |
| 00 | 582 | Jim's Creek | Jan. 20/87 | B.C. Gazette |
| 00 | 666 | Ahnola River | Jan. 20/87 | Prov. Record |
| 00 | 583 | Jim's Creek | Jan. 20/87 | B.C. Gazette |
| 00 | 5352 | Ahnola River | Jan. 20/87 | B.C. Gazette |
| Recorded rights | | | | |
| Recorded rights | | | | |
| 00 | 545 | Sinhntsepaskan Creek | Jan. 20/87 | Prov. Record |
| 00 | 666 | do | Jan. 20/87 | B.C. Gazette |
| Riparian Claim Filed | | | | May 2/80 |
| No water records | | | | |
| 1886 | | Sinilkummen River | Jan. 20/87 | |
| 00 | 656 | 20 Mile Creek | " | Provincial Records |
| 00 | 656 | H-hu-n-ne-to-ko, Ahayopeptin and Chuchwayeho C. | " | |
| 00 | 656 | Khanchukt Creek | " | |
| 1990 | | Sinilkummen River | Jan. 20/87 | |
| 00 | 582 | 20 Mile Creek (Ats-to-kyeh-hi-nan) | " | |
| 00 | 1990 | H-hu-n-ne-to-ko creek) | " | B.C. Gazette |
| 00 | 147 | Ah-e-pet-pet-in Creek | Gazette | |
| 00 | 1558 | Chuchwayeho Creek | " | |
| 00 | 656 | H-hu-n-ne-to-ko Creek) | " | |
| 00 | | Wolf Creek | Jan. 20/87 | B.C. Gazette |
| 00 | | | Jan. 20/87 | Prov. Record |
| 00 | | | 0.5.1910 | page 108 |
| 200 | | Nine Mile Creek | Jan. 20/87 | Prov. Record |
| 00 | 655 | do | Jan. 20/87 | B.C. Gazette |
| 00 | 666 | A-ko-n-le-uh Creek | Jan. 20/87 | B.C. Gazette |
| No water records | | | | |
| In claim for sufficient water for domestic use from the in the North West corner of the Reserve (May 8th, 1980) | | | | |
| No water records | | | | |

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| RESERVE | ACRES | INVESTED ACRES | UNIGIBLE ACRES | TOTAL IRRIGABLE | IRRIGATOR X 1000 | IRRIGATED IN 1940 | IRRIGATED IN 1941 | IRRIGATED IN 1942 |
|----------------------------------|-------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| <u>Lower Similkameen Cont'd)</u> | | | | | | | | |
| No. 6 Blind C. 400 | 38 | 214 | 285 | 756 ± 3 | 4 ± 1 | 411 | | |
| No. 7 & 8 Skemeoskuashkin | 3800 | 2115 | 2983.0 | 8104.5 | 3615 ± 3 | 6.81 | 100 | 64 |
| No. 9 Alexis | 420 | 57.0 | 138.0 | 175.0 | 583 ± 3 | 2.8 | 100 | 66 |
| No. 10 Ashnola | 4153 | ? | ? | 1084.0 | 2165 ± 3 | 0.95 | 50 | 32 |
| | | | | | | | 100 | 66 |
| | | | | | | | 50 | 32 |
| | | | | | | | 500 | 320 |
| No. 10a | 8360 | 54.4 | 11.0 | 65.4 | 193 ± 3 | | No recorded | 11 |
| No. 10b | 880 | | 53.0 | 53.0 | 99 ± 3 | | No recorded | 11 |
| No. 11 Ashnola John's | 4153 | 64.4 | 925.0 | 899.4 | 370 ± 3 | 1.4 | 100 | 54 |
| | | | | | | | 200 | 64 |
| No. 12 | 150 | | | | | | | |
| No. 12a | 1150 | 26.8 | 68.0 | 89.8 | 269 ± 3 | ? | | |
| <u>Upper Similkameen</u> | | | | | | | | |
| No. 1 Vermillion Forks | | | | | Not dealt with | | No | |
| No. 2 Chuchu-wahya | 4493 | 406.0 | 401.0 | 607.0 | 2421 ± 3 | 6.2 | 230 | 184 |
| | | | | | | | 100 | 64 |
| | | | | | | | 100 | 66 |
| | | | | | | | 100 | 66 |
| | | | | | | | 500 | 320 |
| | | | | | | | 500 | 320 |
| | | | | | | | 500 | 320 |
| | | | | | | | 500 | 320 |
| | | | | | | | 500 | 320 |
| No. 3 Wolf ck. 612 | | | 92.0 | 92.0 | 276 ± 3 | 7.2 | 100 | 66 |
| No. 4 Nine Mile 198 Ck. | 60.0 | 25.0 | 32.0 | 246 ± 3 | 2.4 | 80 | 20 | |
| No. 5 Lulu | 60 | 10.0 | 14.0 | 24.0 | 73 ± 3 | 23.0 | 100 | 66 |
| No. 6 --- | | | | | Not dealt with | | No | |
| No. 7 Ilteela Spallumcheen | | | | | Not dealt with | | No | |
| No. 1 Salmon 8000 | | | 1800.0 | 1800.0 | 4000 ± 3 | ? | Riparian claim f streams in the | |
| No. 2 Enderby | | | | | | | | |
| No. 3 Sicamous | | | | | Not dealt with | | No | |

| City | Equivalent in ins. score-feet | STREAM | Date | Remarks |
|------------|---|---|------------|-----------------------|
| | 120 days | | | |
| 666 | Siwash Creek | | Jan. 29/97 | |
| 666 | Six Mile Creek | | " | |
| 233 | Lewis Creek | | " | |
| 1000 | O'Keefe's Creek | | " | |
| 500 | Whiteman's Creek | | | Provincial Records |
| 1333 | Thorn Creek (Aks-im-a-huan-ke-hlap) | | | |
| 666 | Round Woods Creek | | | |
| 666 | Gorge Creek | | | |
| 233 | Inconstant Creek | | | |
| 1333 | Brownd Creek | | | B.C. Gazette |
| 666 | Cedar Creek | | | June 20, 1889 |
| 1000 | Bird Creek | | | |
| - | Available source of supply unknown | | | |
| er Records | | | | |
| ? | ? | | | |
| er Records | | | | |
| ? | Water from creek flowing into Okanagan Lake near west boundary of Reserve (Smith Creek) | | Oct. 19/88 | I.R.C. Allottment |
| 1333 | McDougall Creek | | Mar. 5/01 | Prev. Record |
| ? | Water from Reserve No. 9 Spring | | Jne. 22/15 | (Application) |
| ? | Springs (tributary to McDougall Creek) | | Feb. 27/18 | (Riparian claim) |
| 167 | Creek flowing into Okanagan Lake near western boundary of the Reserve | | Oct. 19/88 | I.R.C. report |
| 333 | Keefe Creek | | Mar. 5/01 | Prev. record |
| 333 | A-toi-hlak Creek | | Jan. 30/97 | |
| 666 | Woep Creek | | Feb. 1/97 | Prev. records |
| 1999 | Gregoire (Incaneep) Creek | | Feb. 1/97 | |
| er Records | | | | |
| 666 | Trout Creek | | Jan. 29/97 | |
| 666 | Quake (or Beaver) Creek | | Jan. 29/97 | Prov. records |
| 400 | Marron Creek | | Feb. 1/97 | |
| 1999 | Trout Creek | { Submitted for record and pub- | Oct. 14/04 | Provincial |
| 3.32 | Quake Creek | { lished in B.C. Gazette Jne. 20/89) | | record |
| 666 | Marron Creek | | | |
| er Records | | | | |
| 1999 | Spring Creek | (W.R.-1017----- in name of W.Ritchie, Jr.) | Oct. 14/04 | Provincial record |
| er Records | | | | |
| - | Irrigable area given for west side of reserve only. No recorded rights | | Oct. 30/88 | I.R.C. |
| 67 | Creek flowing from west through centre of Sintleahantan Creek | | Jan. 30/97 | Prev. Record |
| 266 | Sintleahantan Creek | | Jne. 20/88 | B.C. Gazette |
| 133 | | | | |
| 67 | Small creek flowing through reserve | | Oct. 30/88 | I.R.C. |
| 67 | Springs back of Joe Nahumcheen's farm | | Jne. 20/88 | B.C. Gazette |
| 3332 | Similkameen River | | Jne. 20/88 | Provincial Record |
| 67 | Spring bank of Joe Nahumcheen's farm | | Jan. 30/97 | |
| 666 | Similkameen River | | | |

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| Reserve | Area | Irrigated Acres | Irrigable Acres | Total Irrigable | Est. Water requirem't in acre-ft. | Quantity in miners ins. | Quantity in acre-feet per acre | Land in acre-s |
|-----------------------|-------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Okanagan | | | | | | | | 120 |
| No. 1 Okanagan | 25539 | 95.1 | 399.0 | 494.1 | 1485 @ 3 | 1.35 | 100 | 66 |
| | | 74.4 | 659.5 | 774.0 | 2232 @ 3 | 0.9 | 100 | 66 |
| | | 8.1 | 266.3 | 274.4 | 825 @ 3 | 0.85 | 35 | 23 |
| | | 128.6 | 1892.0 | 1892.0 | 5650 @ 3 | 0.53 | 150 | 100 |
| | | | 437.4 | 566.0 | 1698 @ 3 | 0.88 | 75 | 50 |
| | | | | | | | 200 | 133 |
| | | | | 145.2 | 145.2 | 436 @ 3 | 6.9 | 100 |
| | | | | | | | 100 | 66 |
| | | | | | | | 50 | 33 |
| | | | | | | | 200 | 133 |
| | | | | | | | 100 | 66 |
| | | | | | | | 150 | 100 |
| | | | | 1592.0 | 1592.0 | 4776.0 @ 3 | - | - |
| No. 2 Otter L. | | 306.2 | 5391.5 | 5697.7 | | | | |
| No. 3 " | | | | | | | | |
| No. 4 Swan L. | | | | | | | | |
| No. 5 Long L. | | | | | | | | |
| No. 6 Priests Vly. | | | | | | | | |
| No. 7 Duck L. | 457 | | | 342.0 | 342.0 | 1026 @ 3 | ? | ? |
| No. 8 Mission Creek | | | | | | | | |
| No. 9 Tsinstek | 2438 | ? | | 1620.0 | 1620.0 | 4860 @ 3 | ? | All |
| Septum | | | | | | | 200 | 133 |
| | | | | | | | All | ? |
| | | | | | | | All | ? |
| No. 10-- | 800 | 60.0 | | 350.0 | 410.0 | 1230 @ 3 | 1.2 | 25 |
| Osoyoos | | | | | | | 50 | 33 |
| No. 1 Osoyoos | 32097 | 350.0 | | 8418.0 | 8768.0 | 26305 @ 3 | 0.34 | 100 |
| | | | | | | | 666 | 333 |
| No. 2 Dog L. | | | | | | | 300 | 1999 |
| Penticton | | | | | | | | |
| No. 1 Penticton | 7829 | | | 5076.0 | 5076.0 | 15228 @ 3 | 0.34 | 100 |
| | | | | | | | 100 | 666 |
| | | | | | | | 60 | 400 |
| | | | | | | | 300 | 1999 |
| | | | | | | | 500 | 3332 |
| | | | | | | | 100 | 666 |
| No. 2 Timber Res) | | | | | | | | |
| No. 2A " | | | | | | | | |
| No. 3 Nicola Prairie) | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| No. 3A Nicola | P350 | | | 132.0 | 132.0 | 396 @ 3 | 15.0 | 300 |
| | | | | | | | | 1999 |
| Lower Similkameen | | | | | | | | |
| No. 1 ----- | | | | | | | | |
| No. 2 ----- | | | | | | | | |
| No. 3 ----- | 1750 | ? | ? | 232.0 | | Not dealt with 696 @ 3 | - | No Water Records |
| No. 4 Narcisse | 1854 | ? | ? | 326 | | 978 @ 3 | 0.82 | 10 |
| Farm | | | | | | | 40 | 67 |
| | | | | | | | 20 | 266 |
| | | | | | | | 10 | 133 |
| No. 5 Joe Nah- | 1278 | 77 | 937 | 1014 | | 3042 @ 3 | 0.72 | 10 |
| umcheen | | | | | | | 10 | 67 |
| | | | | | | | 500 | 3332 |
| | | | | | | | 10 | 67 |
| | | | | | | | 100 | 666 |