

## REPORT OF INSPECTION

Application 553 Owner Southern Pacific RR Company  
 Permit 486 Address 65 Market Street  
 License 659 San Francisco

Date of Inspection May 4, 1964 Inspected by WG Pettit  
 Accompanied by Richard Zimmer, Engr for SP and Jack White, local SP Foreman  
 Persons interviewed Mrs Hazel Koger, Pres of Cabazon County Water District  
 Reason for Inspection 1963 report not submitted

## Filing Data

Date filed January 3, 1917 Amount allowed 0.16 cfs  
 Date approved Lic January 31, 1928 Season Jan 1 to Dec 31  
 Time allowed to complete Purpose Irrigation  
 Permitted acreage, if irrigation 13 acres

## Recommendation

Place on 30 day callup for receipt of additional information. SPRR no longer uses water under filing. Lessee may use water at times for stock. Filing may be assigned to Cabazon County Water District for use in service area.

## Source

Name Millard Canyon Is record of flow maintained? No  
 Tributary to San Geronio Wash If so, by whom?  
 County Riverside Is supply natural flow? Yes  
 From (direction) North Estimated minimum flow Possibly 0.1 cfs  
 During what portion of year does minimum flow occur? Late summer and fall  
 Measured or estimated flow at time of inspection 0.2 cfs

## Diversion System

Is point of diversion at location specified in permit, license or order? Yes  
 If not, when will petition be submitted?  
 If diversion point has been moved, roughly describe present location with respect to authorized location  
 Would change cause any injury?  
 Is diversion by gravity or pumping? Gravity  
 Is diversion system complete? partially If not, briefly explain what remains to be done. Much of piping buried. Line to house may be intact, and trough for stock in place. No irrigation facilities.  
 If not complete, does it appear to have been pursued with reasonable diligence? Not recently  
 What is the capacity of the limiting section? Probably in excess of  $\frac{1}{2}$  cfs  
 Explain briefly manner of determining above capacity Slope of short, buried 6" pipe could not be accurately determined, but from observed velocities, slope is sufficient to carry flows in the range covered by the filing.

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## Place of Use

Name of place of use (if there is one in local usage) None

Briefly describe any changes from place of use as described in license or order. If there is any use presently it consists of stockwatering in the same general area as the licensed place of use.

Is petition required? Possibly If so, indicate when it will be submitted Unknown - if SPRR makes full or partial assignment to Water District, petition will be necessary to move place of use to service area.

Does licensee own or control all of the land covered under license? Yes

## Use of Water

Briefly describe method of applying water to each of the uses described in license. If there is any use, it consists of occasional stockwatering by lessee. There were no cattle on property at time of inspection. No one knew when last cattle were on property, or their number. Mr White stated that the house had not been occupied by caretaker for cattle for at least 2 years.

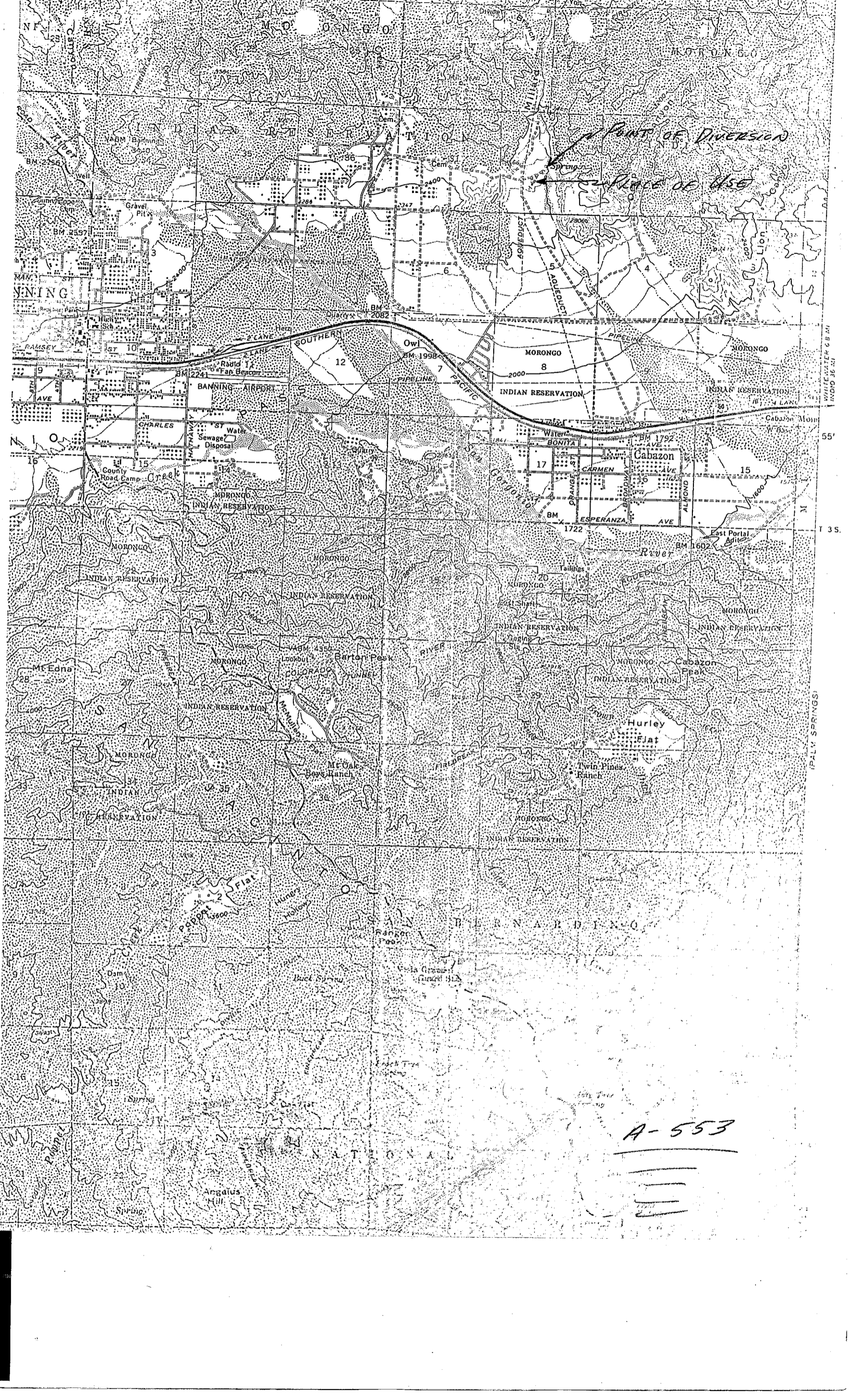
Does season of use conform to season shown on license? unknown If different, describe -----

List approximate acreage of each individual crop served in each of the past three seasons (If use is other than irrigation list applicable units served or if storage is involved state whether or not reservoir filled each year and give approximate withdrawal)

Information regarding any use that has been made within the last 3 years will be submitted by Mr Zimmer. See Remarks

Give approximate rate of use during maximum period and briefly describe manner of computing same.  
Unknown at present

If rate of use is less than amount shown in license, state reason for reduction in use and whether or not it will be the normal situation in the future. Rate of use is definitely less than licensed amount. It will be less normally, unless the Water District acquires the filing for use in the service area.



*Point of Diversion*  
*Place of Use*

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PALM SPRINGS

STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
 STATE WATER RIGHTS BOARD  
 SACRAMENTO

OWNER S. P. R. R.

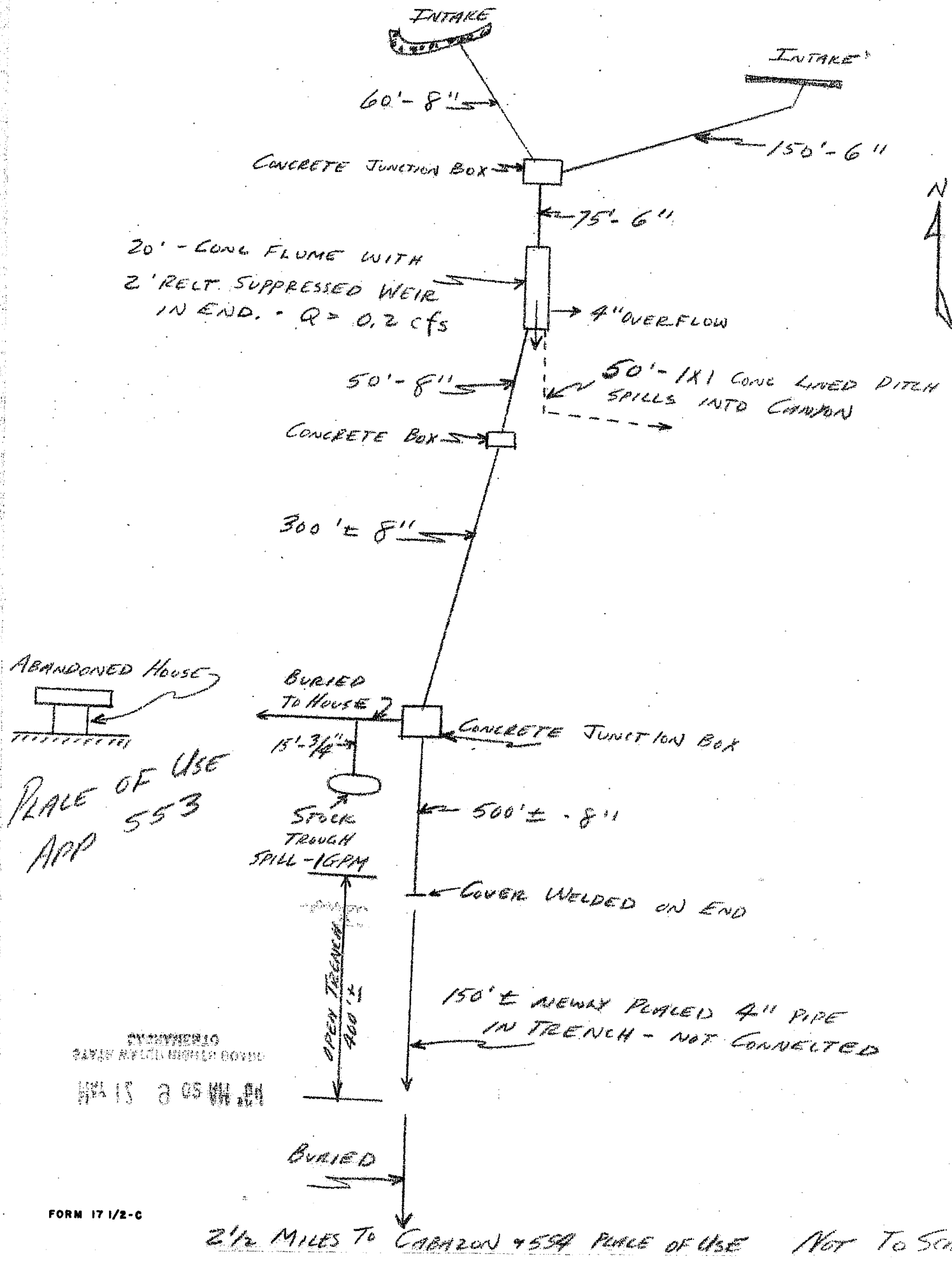
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SECTION 32 TOWNSHIP 25 RANGE 2E, 52 B. & M.

PERMIT 486-487

COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE MAPPED BY WCR

LICENSE 659-660

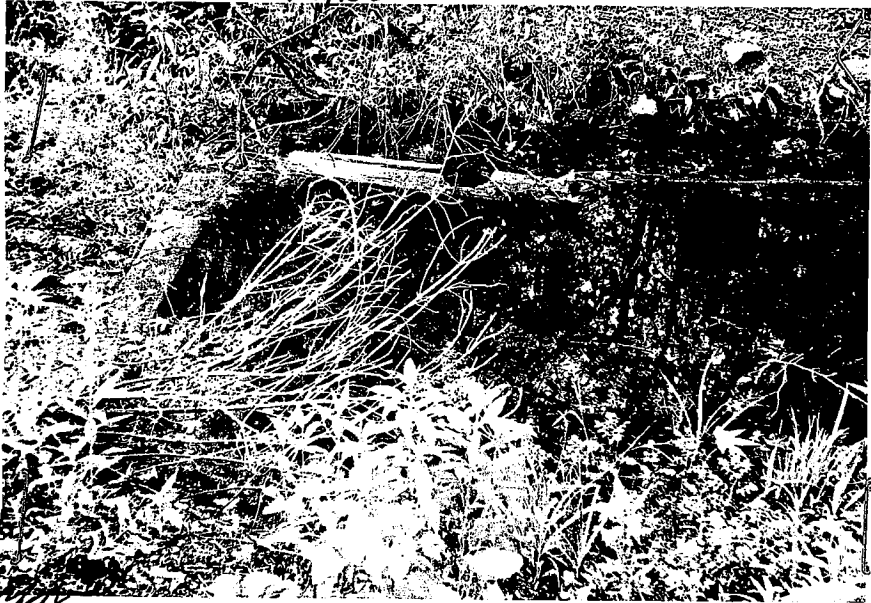


ABANDONED HOUSE  
 PLACE OF USE  
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SYMBIOTIC  
 2455 REPLY NUMBER 0000  
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2 1/2 MILES TO CABAZON 554 PLACE OF USE NOT TO SCALE

INTAKE #2

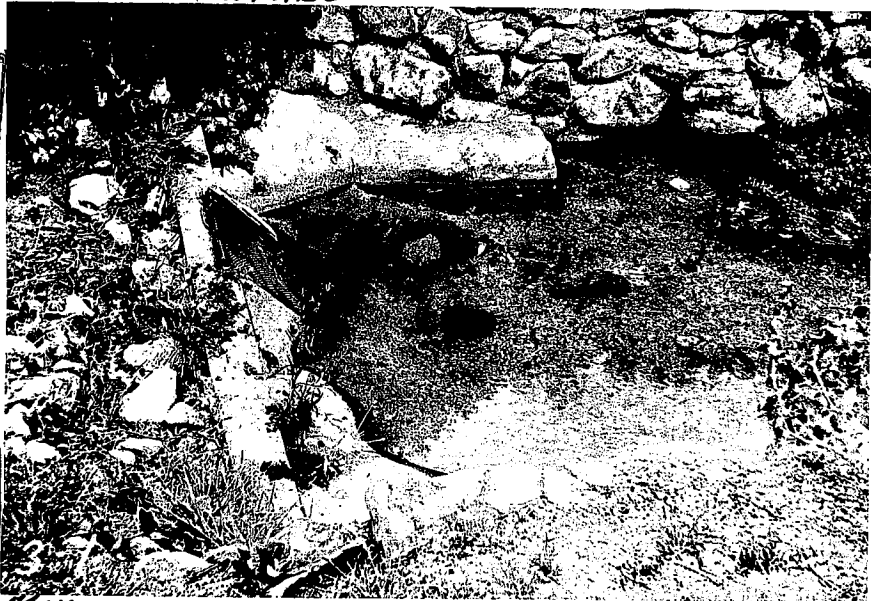


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PLACE OF USE



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REMARKS

The Southern Pacific Company lists the pipelines involved in this filing and App 554 as "Retired in Place" on a 1962 map. As far as the company is concerned, it appears that use has either ceased completely or decreased to minor stockwatering.

~~However~~ The Cabazon Water District, which is just beginning to develop a system, has apparently acquired the Railroad company's rights to App 554, and MRs. Koger said that her latest conversation with the SP legal staff indicated that the District may also be given the rights to App 553.

Quite likely there has been an extended period of non use, but considering the present activity it appears that action should be temporarily postponed. Mr Zimmer agreed to submit any data he may be able to acquire on recent use, and will also attempt to get a clarification of his company's intentions.

Organizations concerned are:

Cabazon County Water District  
c/o Mrs Hazel Koger, Pres  
Box 297  
Cabazon

Wilson, Hartzfeldt, Hartzfeldt,  
Jones and Morton  
San Mateo


- Attorneys for the district

Boyle Engineering  
Santa Ana and San Diego

- Engineers for the district

A re-inspection will probably be required to confirm whatever information is submitted, particularly if revocation is indicated.

May 5, 1964

  
WG Pettit  
Asst Civil Engr