

180. PETITION LA UNION LATERAL ( Extension )

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A PETITION

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For the

ENLARGEMENT AND RECONSTRUCTION

of the

LA UNION CANAL AND LATERAL  
SYSTEM

By the

UNITED STATES RECLAMATION SERVICE

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UNITED STATES RECLAMATION SERVICE  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Morris Clayton*  
*3-20-1914*

Elephant Butte Irrigation District

Dona Ana County, New Mexico.

And

El Paso County Water Improvement District #1.

El Paso County, Texas.

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From the landowners in the Districts receiving irrigation water for their lands through the La Union distribution system, granting the necessary right of way for performing the desired construction and enlargement, subject to the clauses and conditions stated in the petition.

P E T I T I O N.

For the Enlargement and Recon-  
struction of the La Union  
Lateral System.

State of New Mexico, )  
County of Dona Ana, )  
And ) SS.  
State of Texas, )  
County of El Paso. )

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS That:

WHEREAS, we the undersigned owners of land in the La Union District of the Rio Grande Project, situated in the Counties of Dona Ana, New Mexico, and El Paso, Texas, receiving irrigation water for our lands through the La Union Canal and Lateral System realize that said canals and laterals are insufficient in capacity to adequately and efficiently deliver the proper amount of water for the most beneficial irrigation of all of the land under the system, and

WHEREAS, the present banks of the present ditches are not of sufficient strength to prevent frequent breaks, causing damages to crops and delays in irrigation deliveries and as many of the structures are in need of immediate renewal or repair, and

WHEREAS, Additional new laterals should be built and the grades of existing ones raised to more efficiently supply adequate irrigation heads.

NOW, THEREFORE, we hereby petition the United States Reclamation Service to carry out the necessary construction, reconstruction, and renewals in accordance with plans formulated or hereafter to be formulated by the engineers of the Service under provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 17, 1902 (32 Stat 388) and Acts amendatory thereof; and pursuant to contract dated June 15, 1918, between the Secretary of the Interior and the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, and contract dated January 17, 1920, between the Secretary of the Interior and the El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1 for the construction of irrigation works on the Rio Grande Project.

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION of the benefits to be derived from said improvements, we agree to transfer to the United States, when requested to do so, by quitclaim deed or other instruments, the necessary additional right of way for carrying out said enlargement, reconstruction, and new construction work on said

La Union Lateral System. It is understood that the additional right of way may consist of a strip of land from ten to twenty feet wide on each side of the canal measured from the existing outside toe of the present canal banks, or a strip sixty feet in width for new laterals. It is further understood that the United States will repair and rebuild all existing fences along the lines of the present canals when during the course of the work it becomes necessary to either temporarily remove them or to set them out on the new right of way line.

Attached to and made a part of this petition is a map showing the general layout of the La Union Distribution System upon which the canals and laterals proposed for construction or reconstruction are indicated in red. There is also attached a preliminary estimate showing the probable cost of the proposed reconstruction, enlargement and new construction. It is not to be assumed that the entire plan of construction or reconstruction can be accomplished during the winter season of 1920 - 1921 on account of the limited amount of time and funds available. But it is desired that a comprehensive plan for the final and complete enlargement, reconstruction and extension of the whole system be considered and same is hereby approved in order that the work may progress in such stages as funds and time will permit until its final accomplishment is realized.

A. Abraham

S. W. Love

H. H. Bailen

E. E. McInnis by H. H. Bailen

Mrs. Lilla B. Stewart

Sam B. Green

John M. Wyatt Executor

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Mrs. Gertrude H. Powers  
Per G. J. Powers

Chas. C. Beck

Gibroy + Serratus  
184 C.D.S.

Bertha Kohlberg Estate  
As E. K. Talbot Agent

Mary E. Abel  
607 5th St

Mrs. Sallie L. Anderson  
By A. P. Colles Broker Agent

J. W. Colles by  
A. P. Colles Broker Agent

Leo Higdon

Benigno Teller

Torivia <sup>Her</sup> B. Teller

Leon Teller

Esther Teller

Florence Hall Stafford

Pascual Madrid

With the understanding that no borrow is to be made in the corral & yards on the right of ditch between the Contal acequias, or other wise molest improvements.

Witness to the above agreement E. K. Talbot

J. P. Pina

Bob Carver

David Madrid

H. Cassidy

Edwin Burt

C. E. Hopper

L. H. Caldwell

With the understanding that the borrow pit is to be narrow and deep not to exceed 30' from toe of present slope on East side and when ditch is cleaned waste in borrow pit Fence to be reset.

M. J. Garrett

Borrow pit not to go beyond the right of way specified herein.

Witnesses  
(signature Torivia B. Teller Benigno Teller)  
E. K. Talbot

For Main and East Branch only  
E. K. Talbot 1/13/24

P E T I T I O N

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SULLIVAN MACHINERY CO.  
MEXICO, D. F.

REC'D FEB 22 1921

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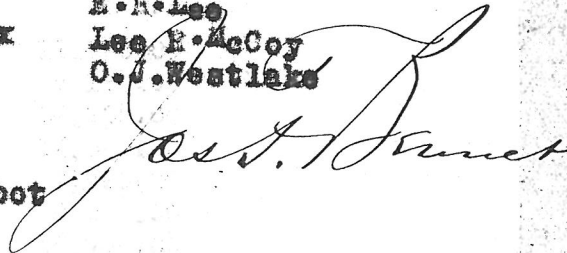
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E.H. Lee  
Lee E. McCoy  
O.J. Westlake



PRELIMINARY ESTIMATE OF COST

For the  
 Enlargement, Reconstruction and Extension  
 of the  
La Union Distribution System.

Main Canals: Total Estimated Cost.

La Union Main	\$ 33,270.00
La Union East to Camutillo Lateral	43,600.00
Camutillo Lateral to Proposed Siphon	<u>44,000.00</u>
	<u>\$120,870.00</u>

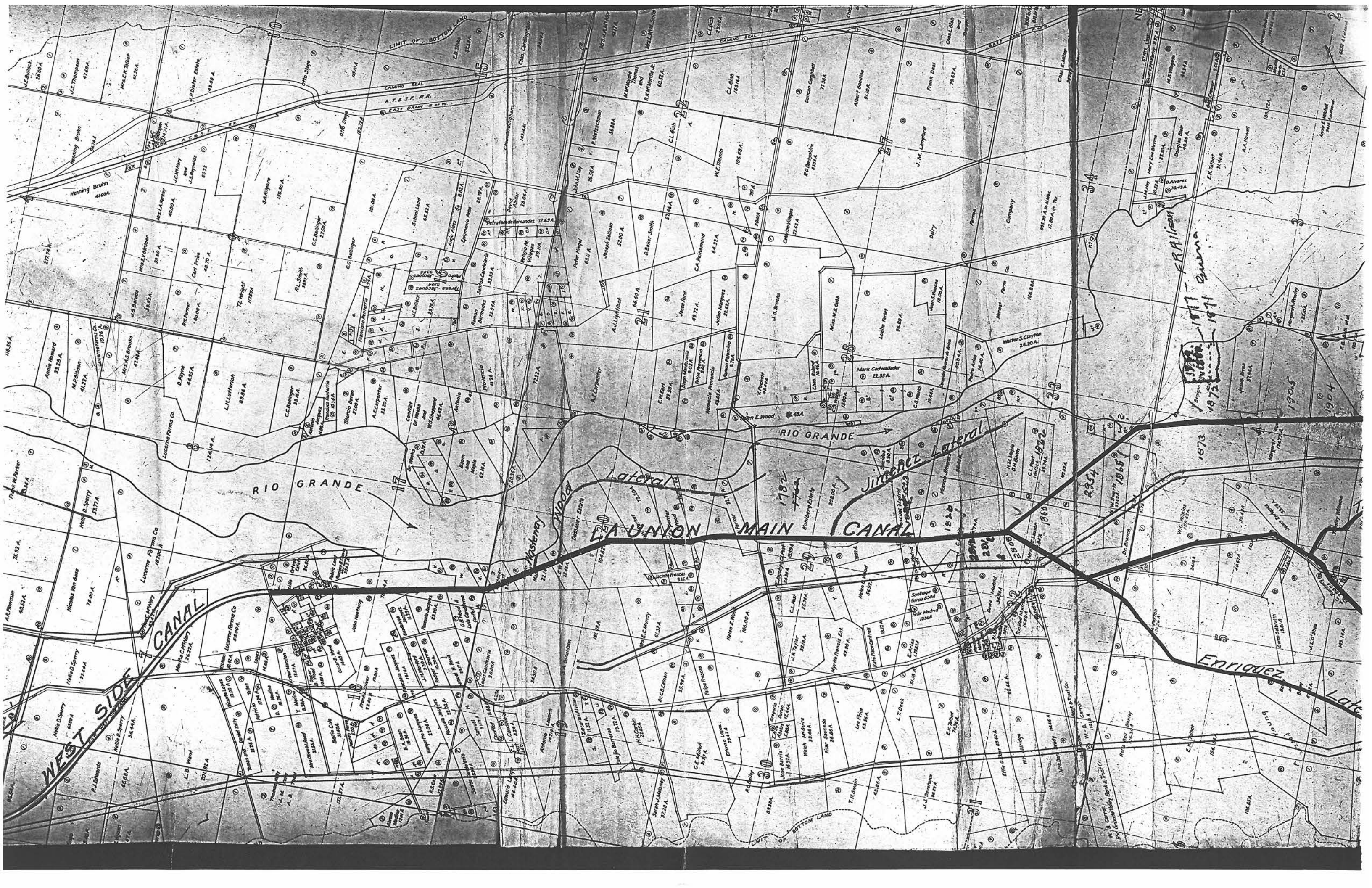
Main Laterals:

La Union East Lateral Below Camutillo	\$
	Lateral 25,200.00
La Union West "	72,700.00
Combined Wasteway	<u>9,600.00</u>
	<u>\$ 107,500.00</u>

Sub Laterals:

Wood Lateral	11,700.00
Jiminez "	6,170.00
Vinton "	24,950.00
Lowe, Camutillo or River Lateral	14,800.00
Enriquez Lateral	7,900.00
Talbot "	8,040.00
Little La Union Lateral	15,900.00
Central Lateral	8,250.00
Baker "	2,650.00
Borderland Lateral	6,950.00
Crawford "	9,200.00
Stevens "	<u>10,070.00</u>
	126,580.00

Total La Union Distribution System \$354,950.00



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LA UNION MAIN CANAL

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ENRIQUEZ Lateral

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Parcel No.	Owner	Acreage
1	John Hardy	5.88 A.
2	J.M. Reynolds	28.16 A.
3	H.L. Stewart	13.82 A.
4	Frank Worden	2.84 A.
5	John Hardy	5.88 A.
6	Bailey	10.64 A.
7	Claimant	3.0 A.
8	Bendall and Johnson	32.62 A.
9	Claimant	20.95 A.
10	W.M. Aldridge	18.28 A.
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Proposed

LA UNION EAST LATERAL

LA UNION WEST LATERAL

Little La Union Lateral

CANUTILLO LATERAL

Enriquez Lateral

Talbot Lateral

Vinton Lateral

Duck Lateral

Border Lateral

RIO GRANDE

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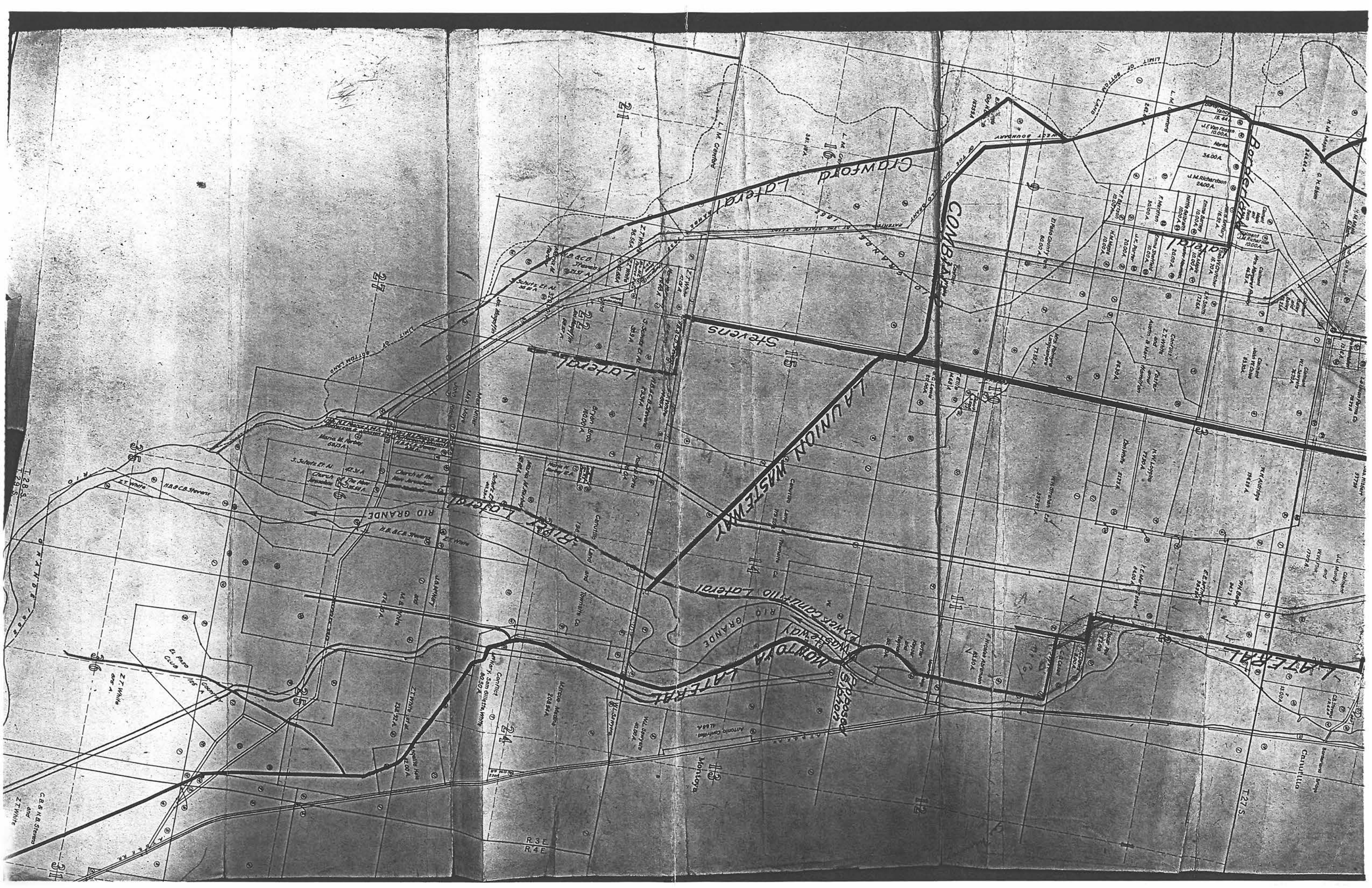
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J.M. Richardson 2400 A.  
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