

March 3, 1916.

Mr. Fred H. Taylor,

El Cajon, Calif.

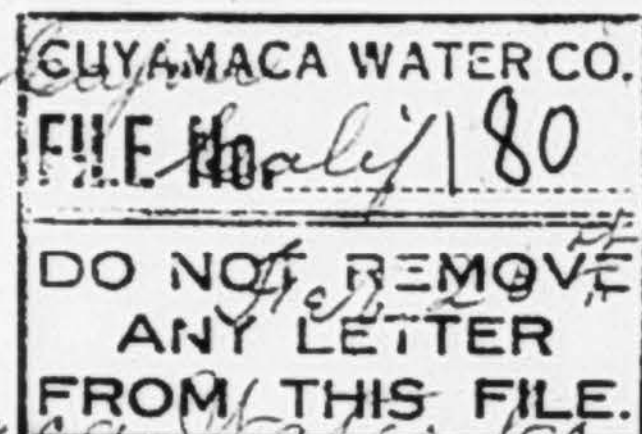
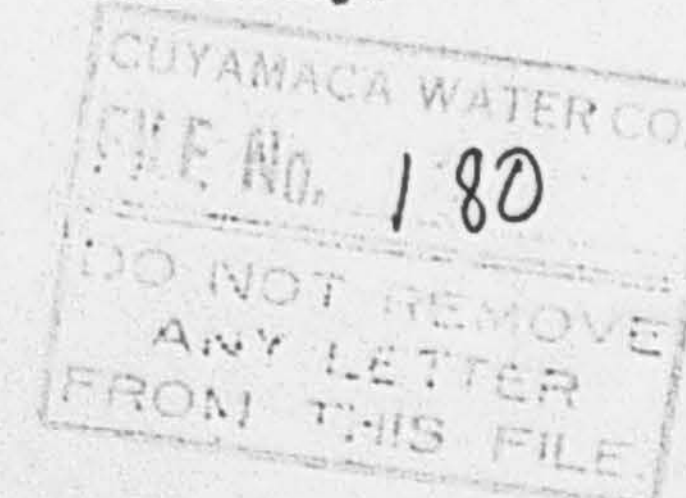
Dear Sir:

Answering your letter of February 26, 1916, in which you state that you have moved away from your ranch, and will not be using your water: If you desire the water turned off, on hearing from you we will have our flume walker turn same off. If you are expecting to either lease the place or move back again in a very short time it possibly may be better to leave the water run at the present time, as, according to our new rules, a fee of \$1.00 is charged for turning on the water. Also, bill for water rentals will be sent you whether the same is used or not, so long as we have gravity water to furnish our consumers.

Yours very truly,

CUYAMACA WATER COMPANY

Secretary.



El Cajon

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*The Cuyamaca Water Co.*  
Owing to Mr. Taylor having work in the new packing house we have moved away from the ranch, consequently we will not be using our share of water, until some one moves on to the place and we will inform you at that time.

Yours Respectfully  
Fred H. Taylor  
El Cajon  
Calif.

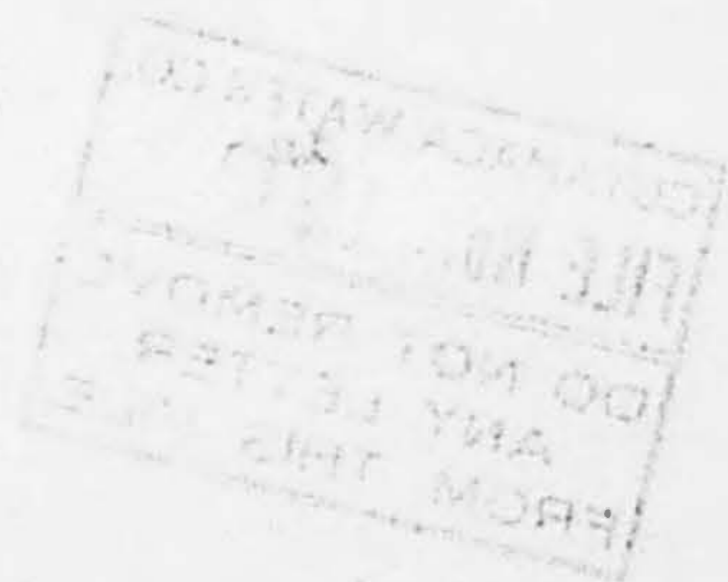
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April 5<sup>th</sup> 1916

Cuyamaca Water Co.

I requested you to turn the water from our ranch, as we moved away there is no stock on the place and the orange orchard is so wet & soft yet that we can hardly walk in it. There will be no need for irrigation for weeks to come. And I am not able to pay for water that I am not



using. Will you please  
attend to this.

We know of other cases  
where the water was turned  
off for the convenience of  
the owner.

Yours Truly  
Fred H. Taylor.



April 14, 1916

Mr. Fred H. Taylor,  
El Cajon, Cal.

Dear Sir:-

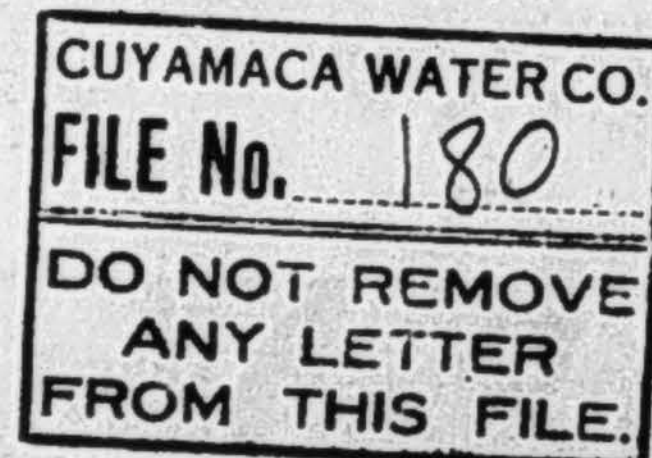
We have your letter of April 5th requesting that your water be turned off and that you be relieved of the necessity of paying for this water as there is no need for irrigation of your land.

Our charges for water for irrigation use are for the yearly service and we can make no reduction for any water that is not used.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Manager.

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*Mr. Fletcher - Copy to you.*

Referring to your letter to Fred H. Taylor; write him a letter and tell him that we will shut off the water if he will sign an agreement that he will make no further demands on us for water - draw up the agreement.

Copy for Mr. Fletcher.

April 20, 1916

Mr. Fred H. Taylor,  
El Cajon, Cal.

Dear Sir:-

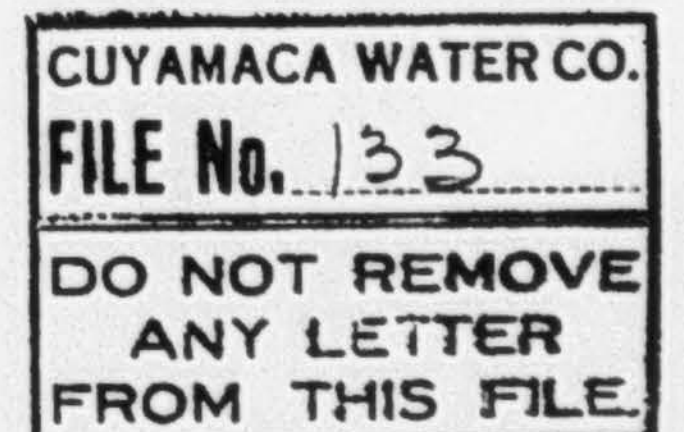
With further reference to your letter of April 5th requesting that your water be turned off and that you be relieved of the necessity of paying for the water as there is no need for irrigation on your land. If you desire to relinquish your rights to irrigation water, we can arrange to turn off the water and you can be relieved of all payments for water except what you may desire to use for domestic purposes.

If such an arrangement is satisfactory to you, kindly notify us and we will have the relinquishment papers drawn up and forward for your signature.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Manager.

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