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### GRAHAM GILBERT DITCH

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The Graham Gilbert Ditch begins in the SE corner of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 21, T4N, R1E on the north bank of the meandered south bank of the Boise River. It runs from this point in a westerly direction through the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of section 21 and lots 3 and 4 of Section 21, lots 1, 2, and 3 of Section 20, all in T4N, R1E. The ditch terminated in Section 20, T4N, R1E. The ditch was constructed in 1865 by J. M. Stewart and others who at the time appropriated and diverted 400 inches of water under a four-inch pressure. By 1905, the water rights and ditch were acquired by James L. Graham, Frank L. Graham, and William Gilbert. These men utilized the ditch to irrigate their property, which consisted of 188.81 acres. In 1906, the Graham-Gilbert Ditch received water right (12) of 220 inches.

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