

# THE STATE OF NEVADA.

## PROOF OF THE APPROPRIATION OF WATER.

State your name

*M. Boward*

1. Q. Postoffice.

A.

*Yerington, Nevada*

2. Q. State the use to which the water has been applied.

A.

*Irrigation and domestic*

3. Q. State the means of diversion employed.

A.

*By smaller ditches*

4. Q. If through a ditch state its name.

A.

*Greenwood, Fox and Mickey.*

5. Q. (a) State date of survey of the ditch or other distributing works through which the water claimed is diverted. (b) The date when the construction of such ditch was begun and when completed.

A. (a) *Greenwood surveyed in 1864, Fox, surveyed, 1863, Mickey surveyed, 1864*

(b) *Greenwood built in 1864, Fox, built in 1863; Mickey built, in 1864 and 1865*

6. Q. If any enlargements were made state the date when begun and the date when completed.

A. *Greenwood, not enlarged; Fox enlarged in 1868; Mickey <sup>1869</sup>*

7. Q. State dimensions of the ditch as originally constructed, and as enlarged.

A. *Greenwood headgate, 12 ft wide, about 8 ft high; Fox, headgate, 4 ft wide and about 6 ft high; then 8 ft wide, and about 8 ft high; Mickey, headgate*

8. Q. State the name of person, association of persons or corporation who built the ditch or canal, and the name or names of its present owners.

A. *Greenwood, built by W. B. Sanders, Sidian M. C. Lambere, & Noah Greenwood. Fox, built by Alex M. C. Lead & Milton Root; Mickey, built by Mickey Bros. and James Blake.*

9. Q. State the nature of your title to the land for which an appropriation is claimed, and if not owned by you give the name of the owner and the nature of the possessory right which you exercise.

A.

*By deed*

10. Q. State the year when water was first used for irrigation or other beneficial purposes, and by whom. If for irrigation, give the number of acres watered the first year, with the legal subdivisions on which the water was used, and as near as may be the acres irrigated in each legal subdivision.

A. *About 15 acres, in 1868, by M. Woods.*

*N.W. cor. N.W.  $\frac{1}{4}$ , N.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 27, and S.W. cor. S.W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 22*

*T. 13 N. R. 25 E.*

*5 acres in 1872, S.E. cor. N.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$ , N.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  <sup>said</sup> sec. 27*

*40 acres in 1873, N.E. part, N.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$ , N.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 27, and S.E. part S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$ , S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 22.*

11. Q. State the number of acres watered each subsequent year, and give the legal subdivisions on which the water was used, and as near as may be the acres irrigated in each legal subdivision.

A. 40 acres more were added in 1874, W part S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$ , S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  E part S.W.  $\frac{1}{4}$ , S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec 22, and E part, N.W.  $\frac{1}{4}$ , N.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 27.

In about 1876, there were about 50 acres, irrigated, in E  $\frac{1}{2}$ , E  $\frac{1}{2}$  of N.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 22.

Between 1874 and 1876, all that had not been irrigated prior to this dates, were irrigated for pasture, and agricultural purposes.

This land consists of E  $\frac{1}{2}$  of said sec. 22, and S  $\frac{1}{2}$ , S.W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  said sec. 22, S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$ , S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 21, and N  $\frac{1}{2}$ , N  $\frac{1}{2}$  of said sec. 27, all in T. 13 N. R. 25 E.

12. Q. If water is claimed for irrigation, give the legal subdivisions of land owned or controlled by you for which an appropriation is claimed.

A. None

13. Q. State the acreage said ditch is capable of watering, give the legal subdivisions of land which it can be made to irrigate, and state who owns said land.

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14. Q. State the character of the soil and the kind of crops cultivated.

A. Sandy, adobe and loamy soil. Barley, wheat potatoes, alfalfa, cattle, hogs.

15. Q. Are you an owner in said ditch? If so state your proportionate interest therein.

A. Greenwood  $\frac{4}{5}$  shares; Fox 3 shares, Mickey 5 shares

16. Q. The plat prepared by the State Engineer is hereby accepted as showing correctly the location of the Greenwood, Fox, Mickey Ditch and the land which can be irrigated therefrom.

A. About correct

17. Q. When does your irrigation season begin and when does it end?

A. Begins April 10<sup>th</sup>, ends about 1<sup>st</sup> of August

18. Q. If water is used for other purposes than irrigation, state the nature of such use, the time when such use began, and how much water is required for such purpose.

A. For watering stock

19. Q. During what months is the water used?

A. All the year

20. Q. Have you had sufficient water each year since the use for which an appropriation is claimed began? If not, state the years of scarcity, the months when the supply was insufficient, and the reason of such scarcity.

A. Water is scarce, or short in supply due to improperly distribution.

Signed:

Yerington, Nevada, M. Boveas  
April 25, 1907

Sworn to and subscribed before me at Yerington, Nevada, this 25<sup>th</sup>  
day of April, 1907.

E. H. Whitson, Notary Public.

Remarks:

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PROOF OF APPROPRIATION

Date of Appropriation .....

PRIORITIES:

GENERAL.

STREAM.

NAME OF STREAM.

*Truckee & Fox,*  
TRIBUTARY OF

NAME OF CLAIMANT.

*W. Bond*

Filed in this office this

*29*

day of

*April* 190*2*

*Henry Thurtell*  
State Engineer.

