

THE STATE OF NEVADA.

0386

PROOF OF THE APPROPRIATION OF WATER.

State your name *F. O. Stickney*

1. Q. Postoffice.

A. *Yerington Nev.*

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

A. *Irrigation & domestic use*

3. Q. State the means of diversion employed.

A. *By small ditches / Laterals /*

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

A. *Wilson Tunnel Ditch*

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) *Surveyed in 1872*

(b) *Begun in 1872 completed about 1875*

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

A. *No Enlargements*

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

A. *About 10 ft. wide and 3 feet deep*

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. *Built by David Wilson Ulric Strosnider & Geo. H. Plummer*

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 U.S. Patent State Patent and State Contract*

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 40 acres irrigated in 1877 by Joseph Bricot in the N. 1/2 of S. E. ^{land S 1/2 of NE 1/4} quarter of Sec 10 T. 11 N. R. 25 E and about 40 acres irrigated in 1877 in N. 1/2 of S. W. 1/4 of Sec 2 T. 11. N. R. 25. E.*

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. About 4.0 acres irrigated in 1878 in the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec 10 and the N $\frac{1}{2}$ of the S.W. of Sec 2
About 60 acres in 1879 in N $\frac{1}{2}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec 10
and ^{about} 20 acres in S $\frac{1}{2}$ of S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec 2 in 1878
and ^{about} 20 " " " S $\frac{1}{2}$ of N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 10
and ^{about} 10 acres in each Sec 2 + 10 in 1880
and about 20 acres and 10 acres in Sec 10 and 2 in 1880
about 16 acres in Sec 2 in 1885
about 10 acres in Sec 2 in 1899
about 25 acres in Sec 10 in 1906
about 25 acres in Sec 2 in 1907

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. About 150 acres in the South $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec 2
and about 195 acres in Sec 10, T 11
all of above land is in T 11 N R 25 E.

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.

A.

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

A. Sandy Loam
Alfalfa Grain Potatoes Fruit

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

A. Yes $\frac{11}{36}$ interest

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

A.

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

A. March 1st Ends Oct 15th

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. Used for Stock Purposes

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

A. During whole 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 was scarce during several irrigating seasons due to scarcity of water in the Walker River

Signed:

F. D. Stickney

Springton.

, Nevada,

May 10th

, 1907.

Sworn to and subscribed before me at

Springton Nevada, this

10th

day of

May.

, 1907.

E. H. Whitman

Notary Public

Remarks:



11-5411

PROOF OF APPROPRIATION

Date of Appropriation

PRIORITIES

GENERAL

STREAM

NAME OF STREAM

Nelso River

TRIBUTARY OF

NAME OF CLAIMANT

Stickney

Filed in this office this

13

day of

May 190*7*

Henry Shustell

State Engineer

