

THE STATE OF NEVADA.

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PROOF OF THE APPROPRIATION OF WATER.

State your name *W. R. Peurce*

1. Q. Postoffice.

A. *Hoburka, Nevada.*

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

A. *For Irrigation and domestic use.*

3. Q. State the means of diversion employed.

A. *By dam and ditch*

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

A. *Gold Hill 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) *No. survey; Location Made Dec, 29, 1873.*

(b) *Began 1873, Completed 1874.*

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

A. *No enlargement of ditch*

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

A. *Twelve wide and two feet in depth.*

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. *Clark Cleaver Chris, Butler & Col. Noel.
Constructed ditch, Present owners W. R. Peurce & S. W. Gregory.*

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. *U.S. and State land patents.*

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. *1874; about three hundred (300) acres the first year.
Can not state legal subdivisions.*

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 one thousand acres at present,
Do not know as to the rest of the question

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.

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. About 1000 acres,

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

A. Dobe ^{and} loam, Wheat ^{and} alfalfa,

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

A. Yes, Four-fifths (4/5),

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. Start of April. Start of October,

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.

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

A.

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. Excepting for three or four years have had sufficient water for all purposes.

Signed:

M. R. Penrose

Dayton, Nevada, June 3, 1907

Sworn to and subscribed before me at *Dayton, Nev.*, this *third* day of *June A. D.*, 1907.

John Kottrop, Notary Public.

Remarks:

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PROOF OF APPROPRIATION

Date of Appropriation

PRIORITIES.

GENERAL. STREAM.

NAME OF STREAM.

Holken Run.

TRIBUTARY OF

NAME OF CLAIMANT.

M. P. Pennock.

Filed in this office this *eight*

day of *June* 190*7*.

A. Shuttell.

State Engineer.



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