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THE STATE OF NEVADA. PROOF OF THE APPROPRIATION OF WATER.

State your name. A. Peter Perazzo and Joseph Peter Perazzo.

1. Q. Postoffice. A. Wabuska, Lyon Conty, Nevada.

2. Q. State the use to which the water has been applied. A. For irrigation and domestic purposes.

3. Q. State the means of diversion employed. A. By a ditch out of the Walker River.

4. Q. If through a ditch state its name. A. Through John B. Gallagher ditch in part to 1907, and since 1907 through Peter Perazzo 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) The date of construction of the Perazzo ditch was commenced in 1899, and the date of the construction of the John B. Gallagher ditch was begun between the year 1860 and the year 1870, and completed before the year 1870, and affiant has no information with reference to surveys.

6. Q. If any enlargements were made state the date when begun and the date when completed. A. The date of the completion of the Perazzo ditch was in 1907, and the date of the completion of the Gallagher ditch was prior to 1870, the exact date of which is unknown to affiant.

7. Q. State dimensions of the ditch as originally constructed and as enlarged. A. Originally five feet at bottom and twelve feet at top and three feet in depth. As enlarged, six feet at bottom and twelve feet at top and three 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 owner. A. Affiant believes that John B. Gallagher constructed the Gallagher ditch, and that Peter Perazzo and Joseph

Perazzo built the Perazzo ditch, and that Peter Perazzo and Joseph Peter Perazzo are the present owners thereof.

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. 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. Lands irrigated from the John B. Gallagher ditch from following dates to 1907, and since 1907 irrigated through Peter Perazzo ditch from the Walker River.

1873. E. 1/2 of the N. W. 1/4 ^{of section 6} T. 14 N. R. 25 E., and all descriptions herein being in Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

1885. The W. 1/2 of the N. E. 1/4 of said section 6 T. 14, N. R. 25 E. And the N. E. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4 of said section 6, Township and Range.

1889. The E. 1/2 of the N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 30, and the N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 29 and the W. 1/2 of the S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 20 T. 15 N. R. 25 E. The N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 31 said Township and Range.

1887. The N. 1/2 of the S. E. 1/4, of Sec. 31, T. 15 N. R. 25 E.

1890. The E. 1/2 of the N. E. 1/4 of Sec 1, T. 14 N. R. 24 E. And the E. 1/2 of the E. 1/2 of Sec. 36 T. 15 N. R. 24 E. The W. 1/2 of the N. W. 1/4 and the S. W. 1/4, and the S. W. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 6 T. 14 N. R. 25 E.

1888. The N. 1/2 of Sec. 29 T. 15 N. R. 25 E.

1892. The E. 1/2 of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 19, T. 15 N. R.
25 E.

1906. The W. 1/2 of the S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 32 T. 15 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. It is impossible to answer this question. However, affiant is informed and believes and avers the fact to be that more or less of all of the land above described was irrigated from the year 1873 to the present date, and that a full four hundred acres thereof was irrigated during the year 1907, and a full five hundred and sixty acres thereof was irrigated during the year of 1908 on different parts of the land above described, and on more or less of each legal subdivision thereof.

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

A. Said Peter Perazzo and Joseph Peter Perazzo claim all of the land first herein described for the purposes of irrigation and for stock and domestic purposes.

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

A. Said ditch is capable of watering 4,700 acres of land, and all of said land is owned by said Peter Perazzo and Joseph Peter Perazzo, and in addition to the legal subdivision herein above set forth, the following additional legal subdivision:

The N. E. 1/4 of Sec . 5, the N. E. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4 and the N. E. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 5; (the W. 1/2 and the S. W. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4, and the W. 1/2 of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 4; the W. 1/2 of the N. W. 1/4 and the S. W. 1/4 and the W. 1/2 of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 3; the W. 1/2 of Sec. 7; the N. E. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4 of Sec . 18, all in T. 14 N. R. 25 E.

Also the E. 1/2 of the S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 20, and the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 20, and the S. W. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4 and E. 1/2 of the N. W. 1/4, and W. 1/2 of N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 30; Also, E. 1/2 of Sec. 29; also W. 1/2 of Sec. 28, and S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 28; also S. 1/2 of N. W. 1/4 and N. 1/2 of S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 27; also N. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 33; also W. 1/2 of N. E. 1/4 and S. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 and S. 1/2 of S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 31, all in T. 15, N. R. 25 E. ; also the E. 1/2 of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 25 T. ¹⁵ N. R. 24 E. all in M. D. B. ~~9~~ M.

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

A. Sandy ~~and~~ loam. Alfalfa, grain, vegetables, etc.

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

A. Peter Perazzo and Joseph Peter Perazzo are the sole owners of the Perazzo ditch, and purchase water from John B. Gallagher formerly used through the Gallagher ditch, but now used through the Perazzo ditch.

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

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

A. Begins in March and ends in October, each year.

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. During the winter season, from October until March, said water is used for stock and domestic purposes.

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

A. From October until March.

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. No. There has been less scarcity of water during the last three years than formerly, and the months when the supply was insufficient begins about the 1st of June of each year and lasts until the latter part of September.

Signed: Peter Perazzo

Carson City, Nevada. April 14, 1910.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Carson City, Nevada,
this 14 day of April, A. D. 1910.

C. N. Peters
NOTARY PUBLIC

Remarks:

PROOF OF APPROPRIATION.

DATE OF APPROPRIATION

PRIORITIES.

GENERAL STREAM

NAME OF STREAM.

WALKER RIVER.

TRIBUTARY OF

NAME OF CLAIMANT.

PETER PERAZO AND JOSEPH PETER
PERAZO.

Filed in this office this

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