

# THE STATE OF NEVADA.

## PROOF OF THE APPROPRIATION OF WATER.

State your name G. D. Welch

1. Q. Postoffice.  
A. Spring Lake

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

3. Q. State the means of diversion employed.  
A. 4. Ditch

4. Q. If through a ditch state its name.  
A. Spring Lake 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) 1890  
(b) 1890

6. Q. If any enlargements were made state the date when begun and the date when completed.  
A. None

7. Q. State dimensions of the ditch as originally constructed, and as enlarged.  
A. 18 in. 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. Myself

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. Government land, possessory right

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. 1890  
160 acres. W 1/2 of S W 1/4 S. 6, T. 2 N. R. 57. E  
N W 1/4 of N W 1/4 S. 6, T. 2 N. R. 57. E  
E 1/2 of S E 1/2 of S. 1, T. 2 N. R. 57. E  
N W 1/4 of S E 1/4 S. 1, T. 2 N. R. 57. E  
S 1/2 of N E 1/4 S. 1, T. 2 N. R. 57. 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. 160 each year

out of part of section 20

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. NW 1/4 of S 1/4 of Sec 20, T. 1 N., R. 1 E.

SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec 7 town 2 N. Range 1 E

E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of S 1/4 of Sec 1 town 2 N. Range 1 E

NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec 1 town 2 N. Range 1 E

S 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Sec 1 town 2 N. Range 1 E

SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 Sec 1 town 2 N. Range 1 E

S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Sec 1 town 2 N. Range 1 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. Ditch can water 160 acres

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

A. Gravelly and sandy, crops, timothy alfalfa corn

and potatoes, and fruit trees

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

A. Yes all

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. Same as last year from 1st of February to December

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 cultivating and stock use

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

A. the head 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. No. The year of scarcity 1905 July. The reason is water being used and causing the water to dry.

Signed:

*B. Welch*  
Pioche Lincoln County, Nevada, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1910

Sworn to and subscribed before me at Pioche, Nevada, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June, 1910.

*Wm E. Orr*, Notary Public.  
County Clerk and Ex-Officio  
Clerk of the Fourth Judicial  
District Court of the State of  
Nevada in and for  
Lincoln County.

Remarks:

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**PROOF OF APPROPRIATION**

Date of Appropriation ..... 1902

PRIORITIES

GENERAL STREAM  
Pine Creek

NAME OF STREAM

*Miss Callie*

TRIBUTARY OF

NAME OF CLAIMANT

*J. D. McCall*

Filed in this office this ..... JUN 19 1910  
day of JUN 27 1910, 190.....

State Engineer.

