

PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES

From Sage Run Creek Name of natural water source.

Through Pipe and trough Name of ditch, pipe line, etc.

W. J. McNeil, the undersigned, being first

duly sworn, deposes and says that the statements herein contained relative to the appropriation of water by pipe and trough are full and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

one of the appropriators. If proof is not made by claimant, deponent should state on this line by virtue of what authority he represents the claimant

(1) Name of claimant Adam McNeil Address Ely, County of White Pine, State of Nevada

(2) The means of diversion employed is pipe and trough Dam and ditch, pipe line, flume, etc.

(3) The water is impounded in troughs Troughs, reservoirs, tanks, etc.

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun 1901 and completed

(5) The nature of the claimant's title to the land upon which the works are located is Possession

(6) The claimant's water right was (was not) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of County, at page of Book of

(7) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant during the first year was 3000 sheep and said watering was conducted for an approximate period of March to Dec days during each of the following months each year

(8) The approximate number of animals watered by claimant in subsequent years was as follows: 3000 sheep entire 250 horse cattle year

(9) The amount of water which it has been necessary to divert for the said purpose has been active stream 1/2 cubic feet per second.
40 miners inches equals 1 cubic foot per second

(10) The water is diverted from its source at N 19° 53' W. 5880 feet
True bearing to nearest 5 minutes distance
from the S. W. corner of Section 6, T. 18 N., R. 62 E.,
E., Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Note—Information under (10) must invariably be given when a public corner is within 6 miles, unless the State Engineer consents to some other form of description.

(11) The works are located at See 10 above
Describe as within a 40 acre subdivision of public survey or by a tie in same manner as under (10)

Remarks: This Proog is Supplemental to proog filed June 1910

W. J. McGill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of October 1912

H. C. Boyer
Notary Public in and for the County of White Pine

My Commission expires March 2nd, 1914

AMENDED

This part of form to be left blank by claimant

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STATE OF NEVADA

Proof of Appropriation of
Water for Stock Purposes

Water Source *Sagehen Creek*

Through

Claimant *Adams Turkeys*

Filed in State Engineer's Office on

Nov. 1, 191*2*

State Engineer

Certificate No. issued hereunder

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10/28/12

THE STATE OF NEVADA.

PROOF OF THE APPROPRIATION OF WATER.

State your name W. A. McGill

1. Q. Postoffice.

A. Ely, Nevada.

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

A. for watering stock and domestic purposes

3. Q. State the means of diversion employed.

A. by pipe and water trough.

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

A. Sagehen canal

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)

(b) trough was constructed and placed at spring 1901

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

A.

during year 1910.

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

A. trough made of 2" planks 1 1/2 x 12 inches by 160 feet

long

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. Adam McGill

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. Possessory title

located upon unsurveyed land

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. Shen Springs was appropriated in 1873 for watering stock by William Butler.

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. Water was used for watering stock and domestic use only. is unimproved land. There is only sufficient water to water stock by means of water boxes, or troughs. And would be inefficient for that purpose without water troughs.

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. See 11

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. See 11

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

A. See 11

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

A. Yes one half 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. The entire 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. for watering stock only

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

A. entire 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. by means of water troughs there is sufficient water for watering one bunch of sheep per day.

Signed:

W. D. McNeil

Ely, Nevada, June 1st, 1910

Sworn to and subscribed before me at Ely, Nevada, this First day of June, 1910.

J. M. Lockhart, Notary Public.

Remarks: Sagehen Creek is just west of Bostwick Creek about a half mile.

The water was first appropriated by the Williamson brothers. It is now owned by the present owner, Adam T. McNeil.

This is a small spring and is unfit for irrigation but by aid of water from it ample for watering stock but would be valuable for that purpose over for the troughs that are now in use.

The springs are upon what is known as the short range and are annually improved by cleaning springs and repairing troughs.

