

THE STATE OF NEVADA.

0825

PROOF OF THE APPROPRIATION OF WATER.

State your name *Charlotte Hantrey Drummond*

1. Q. Postoffice.

A. *Stillwater Nevada*

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

A. *Irrigating the land*

3. Q. State the means of diversion employed.

A. *By a dam about 1/4 mile above Stillwater town, & through a ditch*

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

A. *The Kent Sandford and Richards 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) *It was not surveyed*

(b) *Started in 1876 & finished in Spring of 1877*

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

A. *There have never been any enlargements, it would be larger than it is now.*

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

A. *The ditch on an average is about twenty feet at the top, and twelve feet at the bottom.*

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. *Kent Sandford and Richards built the ditch, and Kent, Golding, & Mr. Charlotte H. Drummond, are present owners*

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. *Sold to Mr. C.H. Drummond by his son Thomas H. Drummond who bought it from Mr. Sifford, Stillwater.*

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. *Water was first used in the Spring of 1877 by Kent & Richards. There were 22 acres set the first year*

+ *Golding & Mr. Drummond own some right, & irrigate the land they possess, on said ditch, the majority of ditch is owned by Kent.*

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 The water used and for 22 years the first year and constantly increased till the acreage irrigated amounted to nearly a thousand acres.

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 This about four acres, commencing at a point where the West boundary line of the N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of the S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 12, Township 19, North, Range 30 East of M.D.B. + M. intersects the center of an old slough.

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 1200 to 1500 acres owned by Kent and Golding, and Mr. Hammond (4 acres).

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

A Adobe soil - grain

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

A I am. Interest enough to cut 4 acres head

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.

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

A Begins in May ends in August.

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, when water can be had.

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

A. From March to September.

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. It was short in 1877 and the latter parts of the 'eighties. Also in the latter part of the nineties in July & August.

Signed:

Charles Hawtree Drummond

Salt Lake City, Utah, ~~November~~ May 14th, 1908.

Sworn to and subscribed before me at Salt Lake City, Utah, this 14th day of May, 1908.

James C. Cook

, Notary Public.

My commission expires September 6th, 1908.

Remarks:

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PROOF OF APPROPRIATION

Date of Appropriation

PRIORITIES

GENERAL. STREAM.

NAME OF STREAM.

Carson River

TRIBUTARY OF

NAME OF CLAIMANT.

Charlotte Stewart Hammond

Filed in this office this

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day of *May*, 190*8*

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State Engineer

