

THE STATE OF NEVADA.

PROOF OF THE APPROPRIATION OF WATER.

State your name *Richardson and Strachan*

1. Q. Postoffice.
A. *Reno.*

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

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

4. Q. If through a ditch state its name.
A. *Steamboat 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) _____
(b) _____

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

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

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. _____

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. _____

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. *In 1888, about 30 acres in N.Y.
P.S. 88^y of sec 23. by H. L. De Hart.*

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. In 1890, 10 acres added in SW⁴ of NW⁴ of sec 23, 30 acres in SW⁴ of SW⁴ of sec 23, 15 acres in NE⁴ of SE⁴ of sec 22, and 30 acres in SE⁴ of SE⁴ of sec 22, all in T. 19 N R. 19 E.

Between 1900 and 1904, 85 acres added in various portions of the ranch in the same legal subdivisions mentioned.

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.

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

A. Mixed soil - alfalfa and pasture.

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

A. No. We buy 50 inches.

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. April to 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. *Yes.*

Signed: *Richardson & Strachan*
By C. Richardson
Reno, Nevada, *April 7th*, 19*10*

Sworn to and subscribed before me at *Reno, Nevada*, this *7th*
day of *April*, 19*10*.

Louis D. King, Notary Public.

Remarks:

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PROOF OF APPROPRIATION

Date of Appropriation

PRIORITIES

GENERAL. STREAM.

NAME OF STREAM.

TRIBUTARY OF

NAME OF CLAIMANT.

Richardson and Strachan

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State Engineer.

