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THE STATE OF NEVADA.

PROOF OF THE APPROPRIATION OF WATER.

State your name Alice A. Chism.

1. Q. Postoffice.
   A. Reno.

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

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

4. Q. If through a ditch state its name.
   A. Chism 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) Construction began in 1870. Completed in 1873.

6. Q. If any enlargements were made state the date when begun and the date when completed.
   A. No Enlargement.

7. Q. State dimensions of the ditch as originally constructed, and as enlarged.
   A. Originally constructed 3 ft. wide and 2 ft. 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. Geo. Larcombe. Owned by Chism Estate & John Chism.

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. Deed from private party.

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. 1873 by George Larcombe. About 25 acres in SE¼ of sec 10, from Chism Ditch. About 25 acres in same section under cultivation from Orr Ditch.

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 1885 about 8 acres.~~

Between 1878 and 1885 about 32 acres were added. In 1885 about 8 acres more were added. Water obtained from Ora Ditch. All in SE4 of sec 10. T19NR19E

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. About 35 acres by Chism Estate + John Chism, lands in SE4 of sec 10.

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

A. Loam. Orchard and Alfalfa.

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

A. Yes. Eight ninths.

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. About Apr. 1st ends Oct 1st.

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 power. In 1906. About one second foot.

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

A. All the 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. Yes.

Signed:

Alice A Chism

Reno, Nevada, Nevada, JAN 22 1910

Sworn to and subscribed before me at Reno Nevada, this 22nd day of January, 1910

E J Nixon, Notary Public.

Remarks:

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PROOF OF APPROPRIATION

Date of Appropriation .....

PRIORITIES.

GENERAL. STREAM.

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NAME OF STREAM.

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TRIBUTARY OF

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NAME OF CLAIMANT.

Alice Chism.

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Filed in this office this .....

day of ....., 19...

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State Engineer.