Gooseberry Creek.

Filing Serial No. 01694

4-19-20

THE STATE OF NEVADA

PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION

From Gooseberry Creek
Name of natural water source

Through Gooseberry Creek Ditch
Name of ditch, flume, or pipe line

Sylvain Siard, *the undersigned, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by* him *are full and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.*

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* Sylvain Siard

Address Winnemucca, *County of* Humboldt

State of Nevada

(2) *The means of diversion employed* Dams and ditches
Dam and ditch, pipe line, flume, etc.

(3) *The date of the survey of ditch, canal, or pipe line was* about 1895

(4) *The construction of the ditch or other works was begun* about 1895

and completed in about 1896, as near as can be determined

(5) *The dimensions of the ditch or canal as originally constructed were: Width on bottom* 1.0 *feet, width on top* 3.0 *feet, depth* 2.0 *feet, on a grade of* 7.4% *feet per* ~~thousand~~ 100 *feet.*

(6) *The conduit* ~~has~~ *(has not) been enlarged.*
NOTE—If enlargement or extension of ditch was made, supply information under (7) and (8)

(7) *The work of enlargement of the ditch or canal was begun*

and completed

(8) *The dimensions of the ditch or canal as enlarged are: Width on bottom* ..... *feet, width on top* ..... *feet, depth* ..... *feet, on a grade of* ..... *feet per thousand feet.*

(9) *The claimant is* (~~is not~~) *an owner in the above-described conduit.*

he is
If claimant is an owner in the conduit, state interest held on this line

(10) *The nature of the title to the land for which the water right is claimed is* U. S. Patents and State lands

(11) *Crops of* Hay, grain and vegetables *have been grown upon the land irrigated.*

(12) *The water has been used for irrigation from* January 1st (Day of month) *to* December 31st (Day of month) *of each year.*

(13) *The water was first used for irrigation by claimant or* its *grantors in the year* 1895 or about that date. *when* about 5 *acres were irrigated in the* NE¼ of NW¼ *of Sec.* 30, *T.* 30N., *R.* 40 *E.,* M.D.B.M.

Office Note: This 5 acres is included in the 16.35 acres under question 14.

(14) *The additional number of acres first irrigated in subsequent years was as follows:*

Year	Acres	Location	Section	Township	Range	
1895-96	16.35	NE¼ of NW¼	30n	30 N.	40 E.	M.D.M
1895	8.23	SE¼ of NW¼	30	30	40 E.	"
1896	6.84	NW¼ of NW¼	30	30	40 E.	"
	31.42					

Above is 1.6 of acres in the E center part SE¼ NW¼ Sec 30 which is claimed in the P.B.U. under #3551 and for which a water right has been granted under certificate No. 996, Lt. 4 must under add page No. 3551.

Remarks: The area covered by the waters of Gooseberry Creek has also
Append a sheet if necessary

been irrigated by Gooseberry Springs, both water systems running together through the same ditches.

(15) *The maximum acreage irrigated in any year was* not known *acres.*

(16) *The water claimed has (has not) been used for irrigation each and every year since the right was initiated.* It has to the best of my knowledge.
Strike out one not wanted

(17) *The years during which no water was used for irrigation or during which the full water right was not used were* None that I know of.
If water was not used, or used in reduced quantity at any time, full information as to causes and duration of non-use should be given, appending a sheet if necessary

(18) *The claimant's water right was (was not) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of* ..... *County, said record being at page* ..... *of Book* ..... *of* ..... *, and being a claim for* ..... *of water for the irrigation of* ..... *acres of land in the following legal subdivisions:* .....

NOTE—Failure to record in the county in no way invalidates a water right, but if ditch or right was so recorded, supply full information under (10)

(19) *The map provided by the State Engineer and attached hereto as a part of this proof is hereby accepted as correctly showing the ditch lines or irrigation works diverting or conveying the water claimed and the lands irrigated.*

(20) *Water from the source given and through the works described is also used for the following purposes other than irrigation:* Domestic use and the watering of cattle, sheep and horses.

(21) *The character of the soil is* steep, gravelly and loam (Sandy, gravelly, loam) *The soil needs* 3 to 4 *acre-feet per annum to properly irrigate the crops. A continuous flow of* ..... *cubic feet of water per second, during the irrigation season of* 4 *months, is needed to irrigate each 100 acres of land.*

(22) *Remarks:* The water right in this application is an old vested right and was used all the year when climatic conditions deemed it necessary, up to the year 1917. Since that date on account of the earthquake the water supply has diminished and only the flood waters from this creek are now being used.
I am unable to determine the area in acres irrigated under each ditch, as much of the ~~xtar~~ water is used in other ditches, or from one ditch to an other,. etc..

Sylvain Sieard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th *day of* January, *19*20

E. Charsen

Notary Public in and for the County of Humboldt.
State of Nevada.
My commission expires April 28, 1923

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Water Source Gooseberry Creek

Through Gooseberry Creek Ditch

Claimant Sylvain Sicard

Filed in the office of the State Engineer on

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J. G. Scrugham.

State Engineer.

Certificate No. ..... issued hereunder

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