

THE STATE OF NEVADA
PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION

From Water Canyon Springs
Name of natural water source

Through Ditches
Name of ditch, flume, or pipe line

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duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by

William Blair are full and correct to the best of his
knowledge and belief.

The claimant, William Blair is badly crippled and this affidavit is
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made by his son John Blair, who has full authority to act.

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Address Eureka, County of Eureka
State of Nevada

(2) The means of diversion employed Small dams and small ditches
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(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun 1898
and completed about 1898

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feet, width on top.....feet, depth.....feet, on a grade of.....feet per thousand feet.

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NOTE—If enlargement or extension of ditch was made, supply information under (7) and (8)

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(9) The claimant is (is not) an owner in the above-described conduit.
Claimant is sole owner of said ditches
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(10) The nature of the title to the land for which the water right is claimed is.....

The springs and land are on unsurveyed public land and the interest
of claimant is a possessory title
(11) Crops of alfalfa and natural meadow grass
have been grown upon the land irrigated.

(12) The water has been used for irrigation from April 1 to September 30
Day of month Day of month
of each year.

(13) The water was first used for irrigation by claimant or his grantors in the year 1898
when .85 acres were irrigated in the SW

N at a point S. 4 41' E. 16720 feet from
the corner of Secs. 35 and 36, Tp. 16 N., R. 50 E. on Third Standard
Parallel North. Land unsurveyed. The small meadow uses all of the
water from both springs and comprises only eighty-five hundredths of
an acre.

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

Year acres in the	of Sec.	T.	R.	E.
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Remarks:

Append a sheet if necessary

(15) The maximum acreage irrigated in any year was 85 of one acre acres.

(16) The water claimed has (~~been~~) been used for irrigation each and every year since the right was initiated.
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 Since 1898 all of the water of these springs has
If water was not used, or used in reduced quantity at any time, full information as to causes and duration
been used on the land mentioned each and every year.
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: The upper spring is not enclosed and is used for watering the stock (cattle and horses) of the claimant and his neighbors. The lower spring is used for irrigation and domestic purposes only.

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The springs are located on the east side of Antelope Valley about one-half mile north of the line between Eureka and Nye Counties.

John Blair

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1912, 19

J. M. Charles, County Clerk,

And ex-officio Clerk of the District Court, Eureka County.

Notary Public in and for the County of

My commission expires

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Through

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(Note by State Eng.) Priority determined as 1905 at hearing from testimony

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A. E. McJannet

Notary Public in and for the County of *Eureka, Nev.*

My commission expires *Jan. 12th 1915*

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*Return to State
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THE STATE OF NEVADA
CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

WHEREAS, William Blair has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada Proof of Appropriation of Water from Water Canon Springs

through the Blair & Cerutti ditches ditch-pipe-line, flume (& reservoirs) for irrigation, power, stock (and domestic) purposes, the point of diversion being and lying as

follows: Diversions are at the springs:- Upper Spring lies S.5°19'E. 16,917 ft., from cor. secs. 35 & 36, Lower Spring lies S.4°14'E. 16,720 ft., from cor. secs. 35&36, both of T.16 N.R. 50 E., M.D.B & M., in Eureka County, State of Nevada.

NOW KNOW YE, That the State Engineer, under the provisions of Section 18, Chapter XVIII, Statutes of 1907, has determined the priority and amount of such appropriation as follows:

Name of appropriator William Blair
Postoffice address Eureka, Eureka County, Nevada.
Amount of appropriation (0.85) Eighty-five one hundredths of an acre.
General priority number on main stream One
Priority number on
Amount of prior appropriations None
Amount of equal priority One fortieth cubic foot per second.
Date of appropriation A.D. 1905.

Description of irrigated land Eighty five one hundredths of one acre, irregular in shape lying S.4°14' E., 16,720 feet from the corner of secs.35 & 36, T. 16 N.R. 50 E., M.D.B & M., in Water Canon, Eureka County, Nevada. The water is impounded in small earth reservoirs at the springs, from which it is drawn for irrigation and for stock use.

Description of use other than irrigation Domestic and stockwatering purposes.

The right to water hereby determined is limited to Irrigation, Domestic and Stock-watering. Irrigation use is limited from April 1st to October 1st, each year; other use is for entire year, and the use is restricted to the place where acquired and to the purpose for which acquired. Continued title depends upon Beneficial Use.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I W.M. KEARNEY, State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this Twenty-seventh day of November, A. D. 191 2.

W.M. Kearney
State Engineer