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THE STATE OF NEVADA
PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION

From Big Log Springs.
Name of natural water source

Through dam, ditch and pipe line.
Name of ditch, flume, or pipe line

C. W. Benton, the undersigned, being first
duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by himself
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 C. W. Benton
Address Goldfield, County of Esmeralda
State of Nevada.

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

(3) The date of the survey of ditch, canal, or pipe line was constructed without survey.

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun in 1883 and was reconstructed
and ~~completed~~ enlarged in 1908.

(5) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as originally constructed were: Width on bottom one
feet, width on top 18 inches feet, depth one feet, on a grade of three feet per thousand feet.

(6) The conduit has ~~been~~ 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 in 1908
and completed in 1918.

(8) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as enlarged are: Width on bottom 18 inches feet, width on
top two feet, depth 18 inches feet, on a grade of three feet per thousand feet.

(9) The claimant is ~~not~~ an owner in the above-described conduit.
Sole owner.
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
located as placer ground.

(11) Crops of potatoes, turnips, beans, wheat and garden vegetables,
have been grown upon the land irrigated.

(12) The water has been used for irrigation from 8st of May to September 30th,
of each year. Day of month Day of month

(13) The water was first used for irrigation by claimant or his grantors in the year 1883
when four acres were irrigated in the S.W. 1/4 of N.E. 1/4 of Sec. 28
T. 6 S., R39 E., M.D., B. & M.

(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: watering stock, domestic purposes and mining operations

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..... the placer gravel.
(21) The character of the soil is black loam on top over/ The soil needs.....acre-feet
(Sandy, gravelly, loam)
per annum to properly irrigate the crops. A continuous flow of one tenth cubic feet of water per second, during the irrigation season of 5 months, is needed to irrigate each 100 acres of land.

(22) Remarks: The water from this spring was first used about 35 years ago, for stock watering and irrigation, by Jerome Vidovich and his estate later on. The undersigned claimant purchased the rights of Vidovich and estate and then about eight years ago filed a placer location on the same. The undersigned therefor claims to own this ground and spring by right of continuous possession for 35 years by himself and Vidovich.

G. W. Benton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of October, 1918

H. C. Johnson County Clerk

Notary Public in and for the County of Esmeralda, Nev

My commission expires By Stewart Myers Deputy

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Water Source BIG LOG SPRING

Through DITCH & PIPE LINE

Claimant C. W. BENTON

GOLDFIELD, NEVADA

Filed in the office of the State Engineer on

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