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THE STATE OF NEVADA

PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES

From Ryan Patch Spring  
Through Natural Channel  
John Jackson

the undersigned, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the statements herein contained relative to the appropriation of water by Butte Valley Sheep Co. are full and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

An employee of predecessor in interest to claimants  
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 Butte Valley Sheep Co.  
Address Lo Vegas, Ely, County of White Pine  
State of Nevada

(2) The means of diversion employed is Natural Channel

(3) The water is impounded in Reservoir 25 ft deep

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun prior to 1905 and completed Rebuilt each year until 1919

(5) The nature of the claimant's title to the land upon which the works are located is Public Government Land

(6) The claimant's water right ~~was~~ (was not) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of \_\_\_\_\_ County, at Page \_\_\_\_\_ of Book \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

(7) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant during the first year was 2000, and said watering was conducted for an approximate period of 20 days during each of the following months Apr. 1st to Nov. 1st

(8) The approximate number of animals watered by claimant in subsequent years was as follows:

Approximately 2000 sheep each year deponent was employed i.e. 1905-1906-1912-1913-1914-1917 and 1919.

(9) The amount of water which it has been necessary to divert for the said purpose has been

0.025 cubic feet per second.  
40 miners inches equals 1 cubic foot per second

(10) The water is diverted from its source at  $S. 52^{\circ} 30' W. 16.75'$  feet from the East  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec corner of Section 36, T. 25 N., R. 67 E., Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Note—Information under (10) must invariably be given when a public corner is within 6 miles, unless the State Engineer consents to some other form of description.

(11) The works are located at  $N. 47^{\circ} E. 50$  ft. from point of divergence  
Describe as within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey or by a title in same manner as under (10)

Remarks: The deponent was employed upon the ranch and with the sheep owned by Frank McCurdy and John Chapman. During this employment he was out with the sheep considerable of the time moving camp and rebuilding reservoirs so as to furnish water for the sheep. He was thus employed in 1905-1906-1912-1913-1914-1917 and 1919.

During each of these years he assisted in rebuilding the reservoir at the above named spring and saw the McCurdy-Chapman sheep water there during different times during each of the years of his employment.

Remarks: .....

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Witness Harry A. Ragan

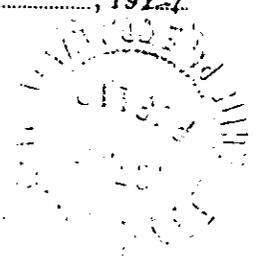
John Jackson & his mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of March, 1924

Frank Bassett

Notary Public in and for the County of White Pine

My commission expires Jan 8th, 1927



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STATE OF NEVADA

*Proof of Appropriation of  
Water for Stock Purposes*

Water Source.....

Through.....

Claimant.....

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THE STATE OF NEVADA

PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES

From Rye Patch Spring  
Through Natural Channel  
William McCurdy, the undersigned, being first

duly sworn, deposes and says that the statements herein contained relative to the appropriation of water by Butte Valley Sheep Co. are full and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Deponent is predecessor in interest to claimant  
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 Butte Valley Sheep Co.  
Address of V. H. Vargas, Elko, County of White Pine  
State of Nevada

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

(3) The water is impounded in Reservoir 25' deep  
Troughs, reservoirs, tanks, etc.

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun in 1879  
and completed Rebuilt each year until 1898

(5) The nature of the claimant's title to the land upon which the works are located is Public Government Land

(6) The claimant's water right ~~was~~ (was not) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of \_\_\_\_\_ County, at Page \_\_\_\_\_ of Book \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

(7) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant during the first year was 2000, and said watering was conducted for an approximate period of 20 days during each of the following months April 1st to Nov 1st

(8) The approximate number of animals watered by claimant in subsequent years was as follows:

Approximately 2000 sheep were watered each and every year 1879 to 1897

(9) The amount of water which it has been necessary to divert for the said purpose has been

0.025 cubic feet per second.  
40 miners inches equals 1 cubic foot per second

(10) The water is diverted from its source at  $S 52^{\circ} 30' W$   $16.75^{\circ}$  feet from the East  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec corner of Section 36, T. 25 N, R. 67 E., Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

NOTE—Information under (10) must invariably be given when a public corner is within 6 miles, unless the State Engineer consents to some other form of description.

(11) The works are located at  $N. 47^{\circ} E$  50 ft. from point of divergence.  
Describe as within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey or by a tie in same manner as under (10)

Remarks In the year 1879 the deponent and one James Hutton leased approximately 2000 sheep from James Sampson and ran them on the range adjacent to Chin Creek Ranch in Antelope Valley. During the period from Apr. 1<sup>st</sup> to Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> the sheep were watered at the above named spring at different intervals during this time. After the termination of said lease the deponent and his partner through the lease and by purchase secured over 2000 sheep of their own which they continued to water at the above spring until in 1897 when they sold their sheep and other interests to McCurdy and Chapman. It was necessary to use the water of this spring in conjunction with other springs in the vicinity to supply water sufficient for the sheep.

Remarks: .....

Mr McCurdy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of March, 1914.

Frank Bassett

Notary Public in and for the County of White Pine

My commission expires 9th Jan, 1927.

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STATE OF NEVADA

*Proof of Appropriation of  
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Water Source .....

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Claimant .....

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PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES

From Rye Patch Spring

Name of natural water course

Through Natural Channel

D. E. Quillici, Pres. Butte Valley Sheep Co., the undersigned, being first

Name of ditch, pipe line, etc.

duly sworn, deposes and says that the statements herein contained relative to the appropriation of water by Butte Valley Sheep Co., a corp. are full and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

As president of the Butte Valley Sheep Co. a corp.

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 Butte Valley Sheep Co., a corp.

Address % V. H. Vargas, Ely, County of White Pine

State of Nevada.

(2) The means of diversion employed is Reservoir 30ft Diam

Dam and ditch, pipe line, flume, etc.

(3) The water is impounded in Reservoir 20 ft. Diam

Troughs, reservoirs, tanks, etc.

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun Worked on in 1920 and completed

(5) The nature of the claimant's title to the land upon which the works are located is

Public Government Land

(6) The claimant's water right was (was not) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of County, at Page of Book of

(7) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant during the first year was and said watering was conducted for an approximate period of days during each of the following months April 1st to November 1st.

(8) The approximate number of animals watered by claimant in subsequent years was as follows:

Approximately 2500 sheep were watered partially at this spring since 1920 to the present time

(9) The amount of water which it has been necessary to divert for the said purpose has been

0.025 cubic feet per second.

40 miners inches equals 1 cubic foot per second

(10) The water is diverted from its source at S 52 deg. 30 min W 1675 deg. feet from

True bearing to nearest 5 minutes distance

the East 1/4 sec corner of Section 36, T. 25 N, R. 67 E.,

Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

NOTE—Information under (10) must invariably be given when a public corner is within 6 miles, unless the State Engineer consents to some other form of description.

(11) The works are located at N 47 deg. E. 50 ft. from point of divergence

Describe as within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey or by a tie in same manner as under (10)

Remarks: Complainant, Butte Valley Sheep Company, used the waters of this spring for stock watering purposes during the years 1920 and 1921, in 1922 it was leased to Joe Olechia and he watered sheep there during the year 1922 and in 1923 it was leased to Tippet Mercantile Company and that company watered sheep at it.

Remarks:

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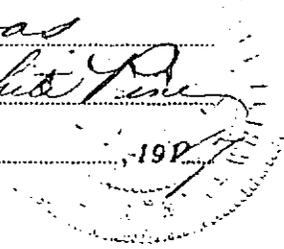
x *North Valley Sheep Co.*  
*By J. E. Quinlan Pres.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *8th* day of *May*, 19*24*

*J. V. Vargas*

Notary Public in and for the County of *White Pine*

My commission expires *Sept 11*, 19*27*



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STATE OF NEVADA

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Water for Stock Purposes

Water Source Rye Patch Spring

Through Natural Channel

Claimant Butte Valley Sheep Co.

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