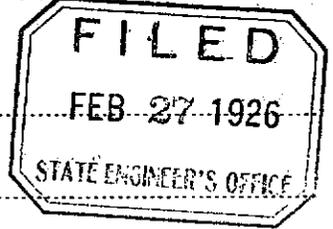


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THE STATE OF NEVADA
PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION



From TRUCKEE RIVER
Name of natural water source

Through HERMAN'S 'OLD DITCH'
Name of ditch, flume, or pipe line

J. C. DURHAM, CHAIRMAN BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,
WASHOE COUNTY, the undersigned, being first

duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by citizens
of town of Wadsworth are full and correct to the best of his
knowledge and belief.

J. C. Durham, as chairman of Board of County Commissioners
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 Washoe County for and on behalf of the citizens
of Wadsworth, in Washoe Co., Nevada.
Address Reno, County of Washoe
State of Nevada

(2) The means of diversion employed open ditch, hydraulic ram, and steam pump
Dam and ditch, pipe line, flume, etc.

(3) The date of the survey of ditch, canal, or pipe line was 1862 for Herman's "Old Ditch"

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun 1862
and completed 1862

(5) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as originally constructed were: Width on bottom 5'
feet, width on top 6.4' feet, depth 1.8' feet, on a grade of feet per thousand 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.

To extent of sufficient capacity to transport 3.13 c.f.s. of
water to Wadsworth townsite.
(10) The nature of the title to the land for which the water right is claimed is townsite lots

(11) Crops of garden, trees and lawns
have been grown upon the land irrigated.

(12) The water has been used for irrigation from Jan. 1st to Dec. 31st
Day of month Day of month
and municipal purposes
of each year.

(13) The water was first used for irrigation by claimant or grantors in the year
Wadsworth in the year 1862.
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T., R., E.,

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

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Remarks:
Append a sheet if necessary

(15) The maximum acreage irrigated in any year was 40 acres and municipal supply for 2,200 inhabitants

(16) The water claimed has ~~(has not)~~ 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
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

..... 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 (19)

(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: Municipal purposes and fire protection in town of Wadsworth to extent of 3.13 c.f.s.

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

(22) Remarks: Reference is here made to supporting affidavits attached hereto showing continued use of water by citizens of Wadsworth each and every year since 1862 -- first, through Herman's "Old Ditch", then through Herman's "Old Ditch" and "Wadsworth" Ditch, then by water wheel driven pump, then by steam pump direct from river, and finally through the so-called "Esden" or "Wadsworth" Light and Power Ditch.

J. C. Subban
Chairman Board of County Commissioners,
Washoe County.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of February, 1926

Gertrude L. Miller
Notary Public in and for the County of Washoe
My commission expires Feb 23rd 1928



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