

THE STATE OF NEVADA  
PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR  
STOCK WATERING PURPOSES

02089

From UPPER PARISH SPRING No.1.  
Name of natural water course

Through UPPER PARISH SPRING NO.1.  
Name of ditch, pipe line, etc.

James C. Riordan, the undersigned, being first  
duly sworn, deposes and says that the statements herein contained 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 James C. Riordan,  
Address Sunnyside, County of Nye,  
State of Nevada.

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

(3) The water is impounded in reservoir.  
Troughs, reservoirs, tanks, etc.

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun in 1885,  
and completed 1885.

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

(7) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant during the first year was 25 cattle  
and said watering was conducted for an approximate period of 365 days during each  
of the following months all months of year.

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

From the year 1885 the number of cattle watered at this spring was gradually increased until in 1903, and ever since that time, approximately 200 head of cattle have been watered at this spring.

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

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

(10) The water is diverted from its source at a point which is <sup>N 59-50 W</sup> North 50' West, 22,510 feet <sub>feet from</sub> True bearing to nearest 5 minutes distance

the Southwest corner of Section 6, T. 7 N., R. 60 E., Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, and approximately in SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 28 in said township and range if surveyed.

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

Remarks: M. L. Riordan, the father of the applicant, first used this spring in 1885, and continued to use the same until the time of his death in 1908; since that time it has been used by this applicant who purchased the assets of the estate. No troughs have been installed but every year it has been cleaned out and kept in good condition for stock watering purposes by this applicant and used continuously by him for that purpose. A small earth and rock reservoir is located right at the spring and constantly maintained by the applicant.

Remarks: All the real estate, personal property, range and water rights were conveyed by the heirs of said M. L. Riordan to this applicant in 1909, and the deed conveying the same is recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Nye County, Nevada; the range and water rights were not specifically mentioned but conveyed and described therein generally.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ~~22nd~~ ~~day of~~ ~~March,~~ ~~1927.~~ ~~1927~~

22nd day of March, 1927.

*Jas. W. Riordan*  
*Clayton M. Kenia*  
Notary Public in and for the County of White Pine.

My commission expires April 16, 1930., ~~1927~~



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*Proof of Appropriation of  
Water for Stock Purposes*

Water Source .....

Through .....

Claimant .....

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