

THE STATE OF NEVADA
 PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION

From PIUTE CREEK.
Name of natural water source

Through North and South Ditches.
Name of ditch, flume, or pipe line

Sam Johnstone, the undersigned, being first
 duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by W. A. Johnstone
 are full and correct to the best of his
 knowledge and belief.

son of W. A. Johnstone and Supt. of ranches.

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 W. A. Johnstone

Address Winnemucca County of Humboldt

State of Nevada

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

(3) The date of the survey of ditch, canal, or pipe line was

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

(5) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as originally constructed were: Width on bottom 6
 feet, width on top 8 feet, depth 2.5 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.

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
deeded

(11) Crops of meadow hay, alfalfa, grain, (garden & orchard)
 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
 of each year.

(13) The water was first used for irrigation by claimant or his grantors in the year 1867
 when 6.3 acres were irrigated in the Lot 6 of Sec. 6

T. 39 N., R. 27 E., MDB&M. 8.3 acres in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 6; 21.5 acres in
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 6; 2.6 acres in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 6; 2.2 acres in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 7;
22.6 acres in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 7; 0.4 acres in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 7; 8.1 acres
in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 7;

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

1867	20.8	acres in the	SE $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 7	T. 39N.	R. 27	E.
Year							
	3.2	acres in the	SW $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 8	T.	R.	E.
	40.32	acres in the	NW $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 8	T. "	R. "	E.
	15.5	acres in the	NE $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 8	T.	R.	E.
	16.0	acres in the	NE $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 7	T. "	R. "	E.
	6.5	acres in the	SE $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 7	T.	R.	E.
	40.0	acres in the	SW $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 8	T. "	R. "	E.
	39.3	acres in the	SE $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 8	T.	R.	E.
"	31.0	acres in the	SW $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 8	T. "	R. "	E.
	7.5	acres in the	SE $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 8	T.	R.	E.
	7.1	acres in the	NW $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 7	T. "	R. "	E.
	23.0	acres in the	NE $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 7	T.	R.	E.
	38.0	acres in the	NW $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 7	T. "	R. "	E.
"	18.7	acres in the	NE $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 7	T.	R.	E.
"	4.5	acres in the	SW $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 7	T. "	R. "	E.
"	16.1	acres in the	SE $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{2}$	of Sec. 7	T. "	R. "	E.

Remarks: Append a sheet if necessary

See remarks under Sheep Springs Creek Proof.
As waters from Piute Creek also waters all lands irrigated from Sheep Springs creek.

(15) The maximum acreage irrigated in any year was 399.52 acres.

(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 all of Piute Creek water used each year. 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 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:..... domestic purposes.....

(21) The character of the soil is..... loam..... The soil needs..... 3..... acre-feet
(Sandy, gravelly, loam)
per annum to properly irrigate the crops. A continuous flow of..... 1..... cubic feet of water per second, during the irrigation season of..... 9..... months, is needed to irrigate each 100 acres of land.

(22) Remarks:..... See remarks under Sheep Springs Creek Proof.....

..... W. A. Johnstone.....
..... By Sam Johnstone (Signed).....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... 27th..... day of..... February....., 1931
..... (Signed) Merwyn H. Brown..... (SEAL)

Notary Public in and for the County of..... Humboldt.....

My commission expires..... March 25 - 1933.....