

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

From Yellow Rock Spring
Name of natural water course

Through The flow of water of this source watered stock without
Name of ditch, pipe line, etc.

artificial means. I Harold J. Powers, the undersigned, being first

duly sworn, deposes and says that the statements herein contained relative to the appropriation of water by
F. J. Powers & Son are full and correct to the
best of his knowledge and belief.

By 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 Harold J. Powers
Address Eagleville, County of Modoc
State of Calif.

(2) The means of diversion employed is From small dams constructed dry
Dam and ditch, pipe line, flume, etc. years.

(3) The water is impounded in small reservoirs constructed on dry years
Troughs, reservoirs, tanks, etc.

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun 1882
and completed 1882

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

(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 200
and said watering was conducted for an approximate period of 300 days during
each of the following months 15th. February to 15th. of December Incl.

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

From 1885 to 1910 approximately 200 cattle.

From 1910 to 1915 approximately 100 cattle.

From 1915 to 1925 approximately 75 cattle.

From 1925 to 1929 approximately 50 cattle.

1929 ~~1930~~ and 1931 ~~dry~~. Surrounding range utilized
by cattle watering in Big High Rock.

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

0.25 cubic feet per second.

40 miners inches equals 1 cubic foot per second

(10) The water is diverted from its source at N. 26° 20' W. 1090 feet from

True bearing to nearest 5 minutes distance

the SE corner of Section 23, T. 40N, R. 22E.

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.

Lot 4 Sec. 23 T40N R22E

(11) The works are located at SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 24 T. 40 N R22E E/

Describe as within 20-acre subdivision of public survey or by a tie in same manner as under (10)

Remarks: Yellow Rock spring is situated at the head of what is known as yellow Rock Basin it is a very small spring but usually holds up during a dry season. Sheep were never watered at this spring. It is about three miles from Big High Rock and has always been used by cattle and horses in Big High Rock. From 1887 to 1915 during the time Mr. Demick and Mr. Sizer were Superintendents for Miller & Lux about a thousand weaners were turned loose in Yellow Rock Basin about the 15th. of February working from here up on Mahogany during the summer out drifting back in the fall altho a part of the cattle would remain in the basin all winter summer this was also a very good winter range for cattle. During Mr. Wilson's time as Superintendent it was used as an early winter-er spring or winter range. Since 1925 our cattle have stayed around this spring from March until December after the spring was dry cattle utilized the surrounding r range and watered either in Big High Rock or at Mahogany creek spring. According to the Miller & Lux Superintendents no one ever claimed a right to this range other than Miller & Lux. It is on the slope toward Big High Rock and water from here and Yellow Rock Basin runs into big High Rock. It has always been used as a part of the Big High Rock range.

Remarks:.....
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Harold J. Powers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *31st* day of *Oct*, 193*8*

John W. King
Notary Public in and for the County of *Madison* *Ohio*

My commission expires *Feb 24*, 19*39*



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STATE OF NEVADA

Proof of Appropriation of
Water for Stock Purposes

Water Source *Yellow Rock Spring*

Through.....

Claimant *F. C. Bowers & Son*

Filed in the office of the State Engineer on

Dec 31 19*31*

Geo. W. Malone

State Engineer.

Certificate No. issued hereunder

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