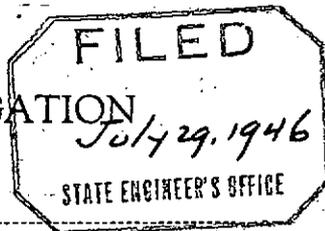


THE STATE OF NEVADA
 PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION



From HOME RANCH CREEK AND TRIBUTARIES
Name of natural water source

Through Natural Channel Ditch
Name of ditch, flume, or pipe line

James E. Stead, the undersigned, being first
 duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts 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 E. Stead
 Address Sutcliffe Star Route, County of Washoe
 State of Nevada

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

(3) The date of the survey of ditch, canal, or pipe line was Not surveyed.

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

(5) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as originally constructed were: Width on bottom.....
 feet, width on top.....feet, depth.....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 Patented land except
 2.5 acres in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and 4.38 acres in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec.4.

(11) Crops of Alfalfa and meadow pasture
 have been grown upon the land irrigated.

(12) The water has been used for irrigation from February 15 to November 15
Day of month Day of month
 of each year. Stock and Domestic Water the year round.

(13) The water was first used for irrigation by claimant or his grantors in the year.....
 when.....acres were irrigated in the.....of Sec.....
T....., R....., E..... All the described land has been irrigated
 for many years past. Probably prior to 1882, as Land Office maps of
 that date show this land as having been irrigated

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

Prior to	4.76	acres in the	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	3	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
1882									
"	3.26	acres in the	NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	3	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
"	2.19	acres in the	SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	3	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
"	✓ 15.46	acres in the	SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	3	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
"	✓ 4.38	acres in the	SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	4	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
"	✓ 1.88	acres in the	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	4	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
"	✓ 2.50	acres in the	SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	4	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
"	✓ 9.14	acres in the	NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	4	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
"	✓ 12.14	acres in the	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	4	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
"	✓ 5.88	acres in the	NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	4	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
"	✓ 0.69	acres in the	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	of Sec.	5	, T.	21	, R.	22 E.
		acres in the		of Sec.		, T.		, R.	E.
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		acres in the		of Sec.		, T.		, R.	E.
		acres in the		of Sec.		, T.		, R.	E.

Remarks:

Append a sheet if necessary

(15) The maximum acreage irrigated in any year was 62.28 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

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 Washoe 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 (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: Stock water and domestic purposes.

(21) The character of the soil is Sandy loam & gravel. The soil needs 540 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 62.28 ~~100~~ acres of land.

(22) Remarks: Aspen Creek and Twin Springs Creeks combine to form Home Ranch Creek. Water is taken from the channel of the creek at various points to irrigate the land. Many springs rise in the meadow lands and have always been used in the irrigation of these lands.

Water is used the year round on meadow land.

All available water is used during the irrigation season.

The reservoir known as Twin Springs Reservoir as shown by map has been used prior to the year 1905 to store water and also for the purpose of holding and regulating the natural flow to facilitate irrigation.

James E. Stead
By C. W. Taylor agent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of July, 1946

C. E. Ormsby

Notary Public in and for the County of Ormsby

My commission expires My Commission Expires July 6, 1949

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Water Source.....

Through.....

Claimant.....

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