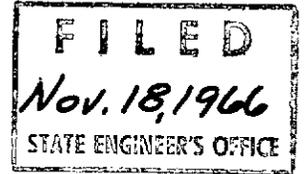


THE STATE OF NEVADA  
PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR  
STOCK WATERING PURPOSES



From Van Sickle Spring #12  
Name of natural water course

Through developed spring area  
Name of ditch, pipe line, etc.

....., the undersigned, being first  
duly sworn, deposes and says that the statements herein contained relative to the appropriation of water by  
..... 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 Jack Van Sickle  
Smith Valley Ranch  
Address Via Fallon, Nevada, County of Lander  
State of Nevada

(2) The means of diversion employed is developed spring area  
Dam and ditch, pipe line, flume, etc.

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

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun 1863  
and completed unknown

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

(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 100,  
and said watering was conducted for an approximate period of 365 days during  
each of the following months year around

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

at least 150 head of cattle have watered at  
this spring every year since 1863

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

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

(10) The water is diverted from its source at..... SE 4 SW 4 Sec. 33 feet from  
True bearing to nearest 5 minutes distance  
the..... corner of Section 33, T. 17N, R. 38 E,  
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.

(11) The works are located at.....  
Describe as within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey or by a tie in same manner as under (10)

Remarks: The present owner and holder of range rights  
in this area is the applicant, Jack Van Sickle.  
The ranch and use of the range has been continually  
in use since 1863. Cattle water directly from  
the spring and the spring area is maintained  
by the applicant.

Remarks: .....

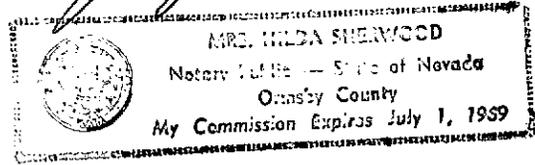
*Jackson Kelly*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 19*66*

*Mrs. Wida Sherwood*

Notary Public in and for the County of *Ormsby*

My commission expires *July 1*, 19*69*



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STATE OF NEVADA

Proof of Appropriation of  
Water for Stock Purposes

Water Source Van Sickle Sp #12

Through.....

Claimant Tack Van Sickle

Filed in the office of the State Engineer on

November 18, 1966

State Engineer.

Certificate No. .... issued hereunder

....., 19.....

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